

Education and Training Boards Ireland (ETBI) is the national representative association for Ireland's sixteen Education and Training Boards (ETBs). ETBs and ETBI were established on 1 July 2013 and were formerly VECs and IVEA respectively.

**ETBI provides a range of services to its membership including:**

- ▶ Representing, negotiating and advocating on behalf of member ETBs
- ▶ Consulting and negotiating at national level on behalf of ETB members with Government Departments, Trade Unions and with a range of other relevant bodies and authorities
- ▶ Promoting the development and implementation of appropriate education and training policies, procedures and guidance for member ETBs
- ▶ Conducting research, devising and delivering education and training programmes targeted at the general ETB membership

**ETBI head office services to its members include:**

- ▶ Education Policy
- ▶ HR, IR and Legal Support
- ▶ Procurement
- ▶ Training
- ▶ IT

The headquarters for ETBI is located at Piper's Hill, Kilcullen Road, Naas, Co. Kildare and includes state-of-the-art training facilities. The Piper's Hill Training Centre offers the most flexible conferencing and training facilities, with optional catering, which makes every seminar or training programme a real success.

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## Training and Research Centre



Piper's Hill, Kilcullen Road, Naas, Co. Kildare, Ireland.



## Lecture Theatre

75 Capacity

The **video conferencing** feature of this theatre will facilitate distance learning, the ability to include international speakers for conferences, etc.



- ▶ 2 metre motorised electric screen
- ▶ HD projector
- ▶ Gooseneck microphones with integrated sound system
- ▶ Document Camera with zoom facility
- ▶ State of the art lectern including a touch panel control for management of the room's environment and facility to plug in a laptop
- ▶ Video conference link to Boardroom available in case of overflow



## Boardroom

40 Capacity

The Boardroom provides the latest integrated technology in a contemporary setting.



- ▶ Video conferencing
- ▶ Plug-in points for laptops on table
- ▶ HD projector
- ▶ Motorised electric screen and plasma TV
- ▶ Motorised blinds
- ▶ Touch panel control
- ▶ Video conference link to Lecture Theatre available in case of overflow

**TWO OTHER MEETING ROOMS AVAILABLE:**  
The Oval Room & The Library  
10 capacity in each room

**ALL ROOMS AIR CONDITIONED**  
**80 CAR PARKING SPACES**  
**CATERING AVAILABLE**



## The Plaza

50 Capacity

The ideal venue for a launch or workshop.



- ▶ Motorised electric screen
- ▶ 2 plasma TVs
- ▶ Facility to connect laptops to plasma TV
- ▶ Touch panel control



## Piper & Hill Rooms (1st Floor)

18 Capacity (in combined room)

These rooms can be split or used as one large room.



- ▶ Plasma TV in combined room with connected PC