

WELCOME

Our Lady's School



OUR
LADY'S
SCHOOL
TERENURE

OPEN DAY 2024





The Four Pillars



ETHOS

ACADEMIC
EXCELLENCE

HOUSE

WELLBEING

Empowering our students to reach their potential

- Our Lady's School is a community that embraces **Christian values**. The education it provides is rooted in a deep sense of **faith**.
- We aim to create a positive inclusive environment which enables everyone to reach their **full potential**. We promote **mutual respect** within the school community and strive to provide a **happy and secure** atmosphere which **fosters a love of learning**.
- We encourage the development of the whole person, by fostering the **personal, spiritual and moral development** of every student. The **realisation of individual talents and academic excellence** is paramount.
- We aim to create a **friendly, healthy, safe and caring** environment which affirms **our pride in the school**.
- We promote the development of the **necessary skills** so that students may become **responsible members of society**.
- It is our wish to see every student leave Our Lady's School with **moral integrity and a heightened sense of social conscience**.



Holistic Development



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ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

*I go to encounter for the millionth time
the reality of experience and to forge
in the smithy of my soul the uncreated
conscience of my race.*

James Joyce BA 1902
A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man



School Feeder Tables

Top non-fee paying

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| School | Pupils | Percentage |
|---|--------|------------|
| Presentation Convent, Secondary School, Kilkenny | 104 | 115% |
| Coláiste Iosagain, Br Stigh Lorgan, Baile an Bhothair, An Charraig Dhubh | 79 | 113% |
| Our Lady's School, Templeogue Rd, Terenure, Dublin 6w | 114 | 110% |
| Muckross College, Marlborough Road, Donnybrook | 109 | 109% |
| Coláiste Naomh Mhuire, Clochar na Trocaire, Nas, Co Chill Dara | 176 | 106% |
| Coláiste an Spioraid Naoimh, Bishopstown, Cork | 103 | 106% |
| Sacred Heart School, Sunnyside., Drogheda, Co Louth | 104 | 106% |
| St Angela's College, Patricks Hill, Cork City | 92 | 105% |
| Coláiste na Maighdine, Presentation Secondary School, Cannon St., Waterford | 38 | 105% |
| Oatlands College, Mount Merrion, An Charraig Dhubh, Co Bhaile Atha Cliath | 86 | 105% |

Top Girls Schools

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| School | Pupils | Percentage |
|--|--------|------------|
| Presentation Convent, Secondary School, Kilkenny | 104 | 115% |
| *Loreto Secondary School, Springfield Park, Foxrock, Dublin 18 | 76 | 113% |
| *Mount Sackville, Chapelizod, Dublin 20 | 95 | 111% |
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| *Scoil Mhuire, 1/2/3 Sidney Place, Wellington Road, Cork City | 66 | 106% |
| Sacred Heart School, Sunnyside,, Drogheda, Co Louth | 104 | 106% |
| St Angela's College, Patricks Hill, Cork City | 92 | 105% |

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Only five of the top 16 girls-only second-level schools are fee-paying, with three of the six most successful colleges being non-fee-paying. In 1st place is Presentation College, Kilkenny; in 4th place is Our Lady's Templeogue, Dublin, and in 5th place, Muckross College, Donnybrook, Dublin.

Highest progression rate schools

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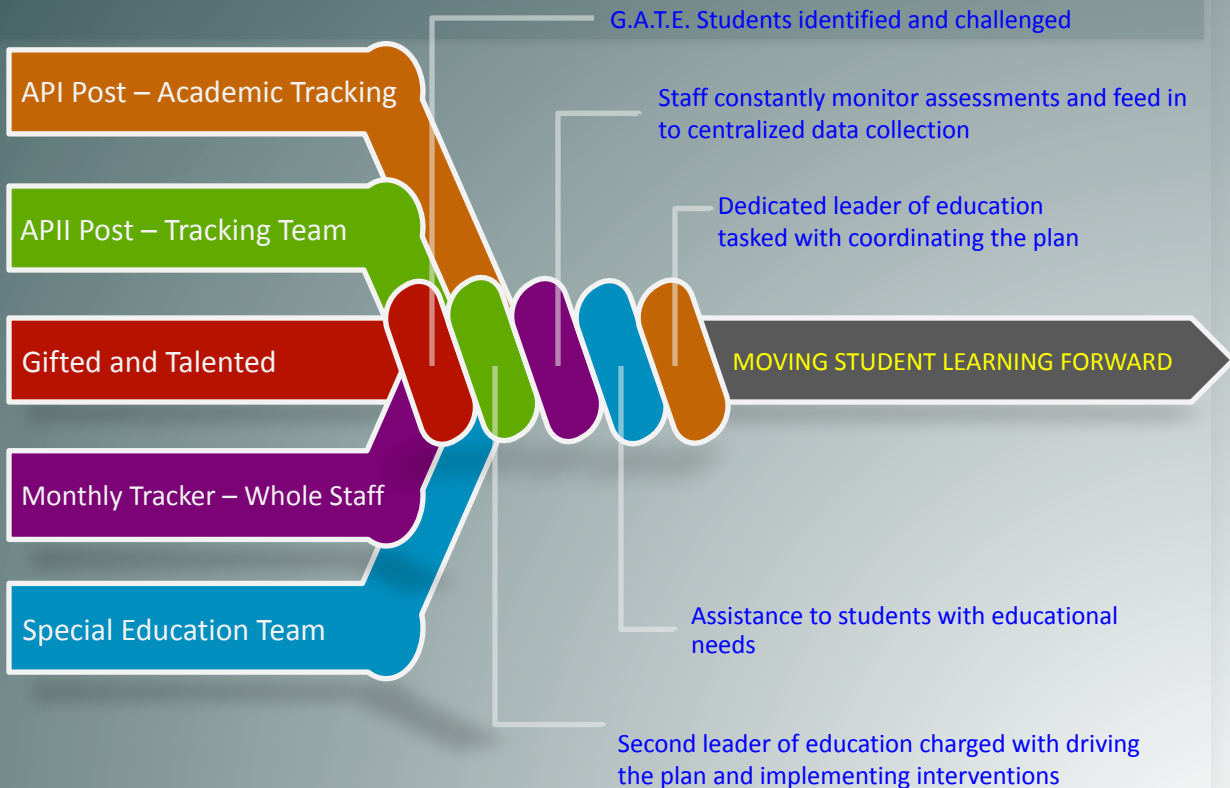


| School | Pupils | Percentage |
|--|--------|------------|
| Gaelcholáiste na Mara, Pairc na bPiarsach, Bóthar na nGleanntáin, Arklow | 30 | 120% |
| *St. Michael's College, Ailesbury Road, Dublin 4 | 115 | 116% |
| Presentation Convent, Secondary School, Kilkenny | 104 | 115% |
| *Gonzaga College, Sandford Road, Dublin 6 | 85 | 114% |
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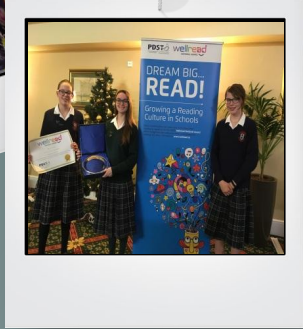


6th Year Leadership Team

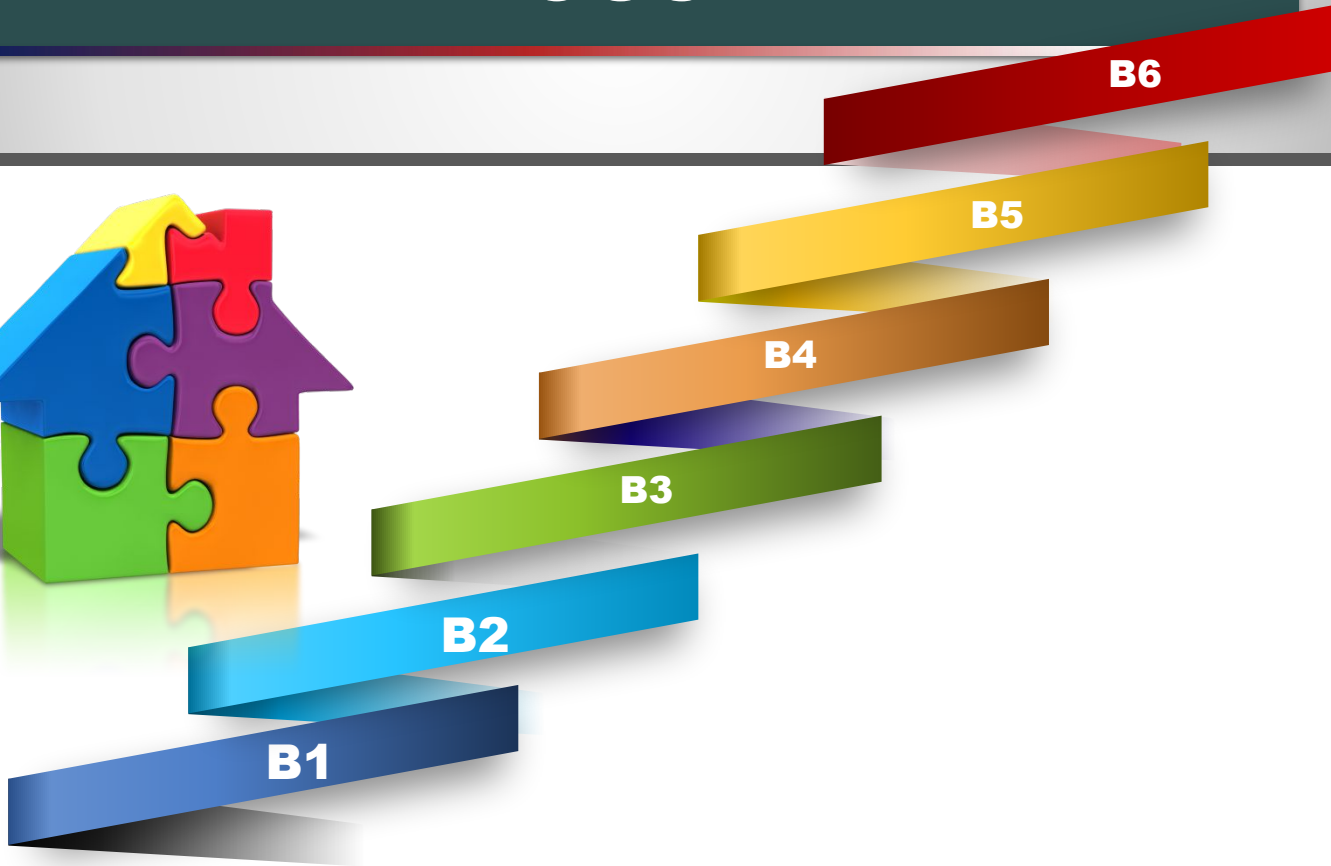


Rachel Davis

**2024/2025
Head Girl**



HOUSE



The Vertical System



St. Brigid's House
B House

House Mentor:
Staff Member

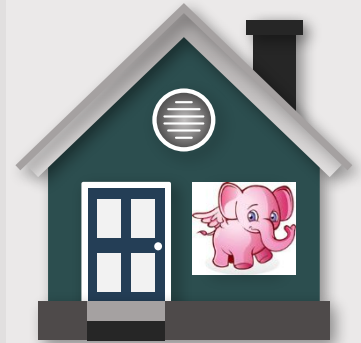
House Captain:
Student



St. Colmcille's House
C House

House Mentor:
Staff Member

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Student



St. Lawrence's House
L House

House Mentor:
Staff Member

House Captain:
Student



St. Muireann's House
M House

House Mentor:
Staff Member

House Captain:
Student



St. Patrick's House
P House

House Mentor:
Staff Member

House Captain:
Student



The House System.

HOUSE

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THE 5 C's

Courage
Compassion
Community
Charity
Conscience



St. Muireann's House
M House



St. Patrick's House
P House



St. Brigid's House
B House



St. Colmcille's House
C House



St. Lawrence's House
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1st Year 2024



Eva - M1



Faye - B1



**TOGETHER WHAT A
WONDERFUL PLACE TO BE**



6th Year Leadership Team



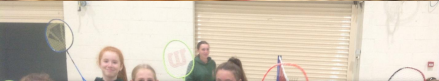
Katie Kennedy

**2024/2025
Sports Captain**

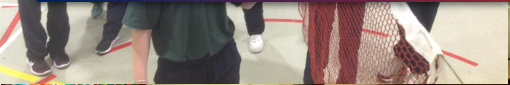


WELLBEING





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OTHER AREAS OF LEARNING



- Hockey
- Basketball
- Camogie
- Gaelic Football
- Badminton
- Athletics
- Soccer club
- Choir
- Student Council
- Charity Group
- Le Chéile Council
- Green Committee
- Digital Champions
- Minecraft Club
- Film Club
- Games Club
- Chess
- Puzzle Club
- Class Captain
- Spanish Club
- Maths Club
- Coiste
- Amber Flag
- Mindfulness
- Sports for All
- GPA Games Hub
- Library Active Zone
- Gym
- MUN
- Scifest
- Baking Club
- Book Club
- Science Club
- Amazon Get IT
- Drama
- Publication Club



SPORTS COORDINATOR



Alan Sothern



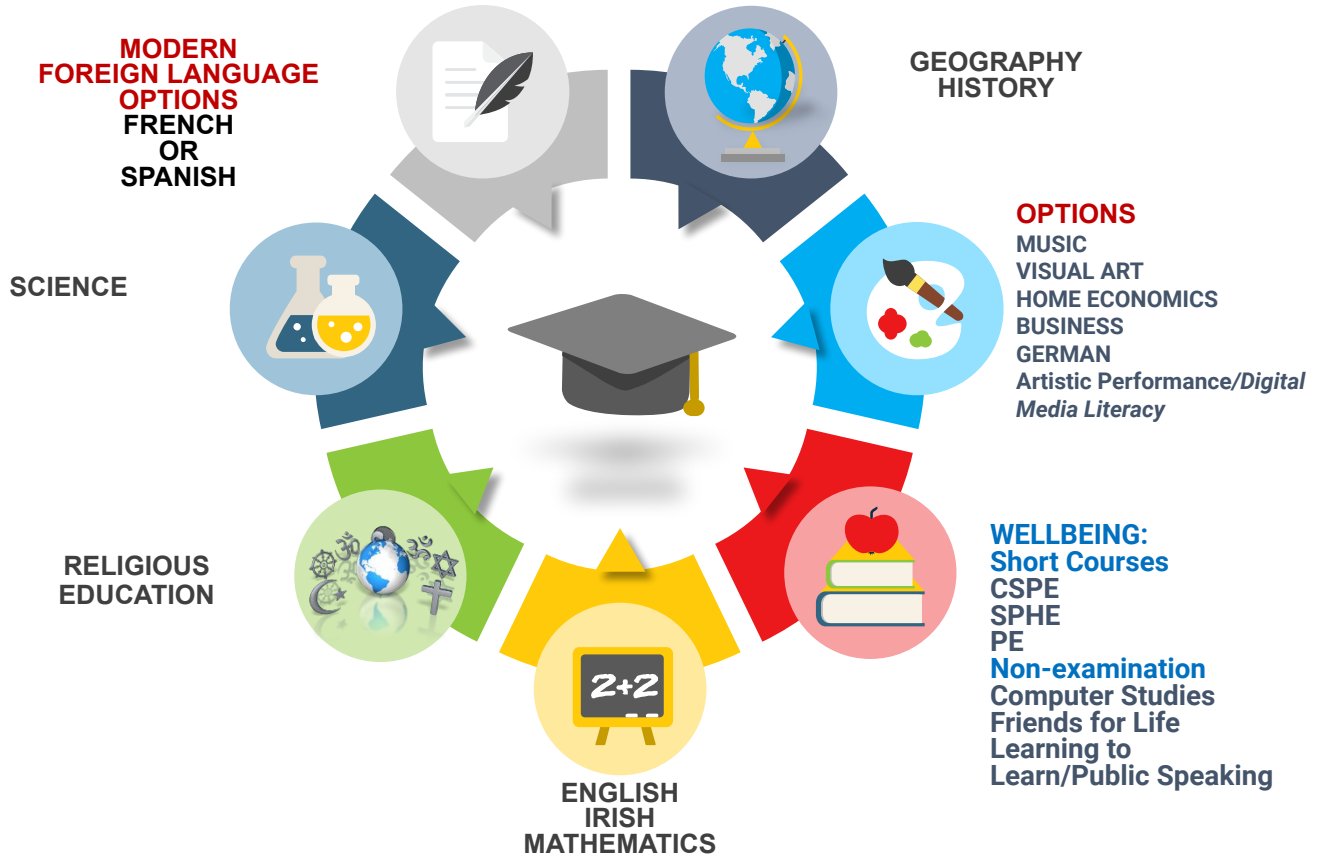
| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|---------------|---|---|---|--|---|
| Before School | Hokey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Juniors - Mr Urwin - 7.30-8.20 | Camogie <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Juniors - Mr Cantwell - 7.40 - 8.10 | Hokey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seniors • Mr Sothorn • 7.30- 8.20 | Camogie <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Seniors - Mr Cantwell - 7.40 - 8.10 Chamber Choir <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Audition based • Ms Reilly • Room 10 • 8am-8.25am | Gym <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 4th-6th year - Mr Maher - 7.30-8.15am |
| Break Time | | | | | |
| Lunch Time | Creative Mondays <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Library • Ms Morin/Ms.Dunn Debating <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms McAlear, Ms Crowley, Mr Hannan • Room 11 Hokey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minors • Mr Sothorn and Mr Williamson • Astro Badminton <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Cleary • PE Hall Maths Club <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms Barron • Ms Patton • Ms Ruane • Room 41 Table Tennis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr Walsh - GPA | Book Club <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Library • Ms Morin Hokey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Juniors • Mr Urwin and Mr Sothorn • Astro Badminton <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Cleary • PE Hall Cloroal oainte <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms Donnelly • Ms Malone • Room 12 Table Tennis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr Walsh - GPA Film club <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms Keogh • Ms O'Mahony • Lecture theatre | XXX XX | Lego Club <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Library • Ms Morin Hokey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seniors • Mr Sothorn and Mr Williams • Astro Culture Club <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All welcome • Room 2 • Ms Darcy and Ms Power MUN <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Cox (TY-6th Year) • Room 16 Badminton <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Cleary • PE Hall Table Tennis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr Walsh - GPA Social Soccer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Gammall • Dome | Board Games and Chess <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Library • Ms Morin Hokey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Williamson and Mr Sothorn • Astro Table Tennis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr Walsh - GPA Tred group <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Ms. Byrne Room 13 Junior Science Club <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All juniors welcome • Rm 14 • Ms. Stuart |
| After School | Hokey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seniors • Mr Sothorn/ Mr Williamson First Year Basketball <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dome • Mr Jago Cookery club (After Christmas) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Room 29 • 1st years • Ms Breen • Ms Collins | Hokey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minors • Mr Williamson/ Ms Crowley/ Mr Sothorn | Hokey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Matches Gym <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 4th-6th year - Mr Maher - 1.45-2.30pm | Hokey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Juniors • Mr Sothorn/ Mr Williamson/ Ms Dunne U16/U19 Basketball <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dome • Mr Jago/ Ms Ruane | Hokey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Years • Mr Sothorn/ Mr Williamson/ Ms Dunne/ Ms Crowley Drama <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms Daly • 1st-3rd years • Room 1 under the arch |



New Beginnings

The Transition From Primary to Secondary

1st Year Subjects



Transition Year

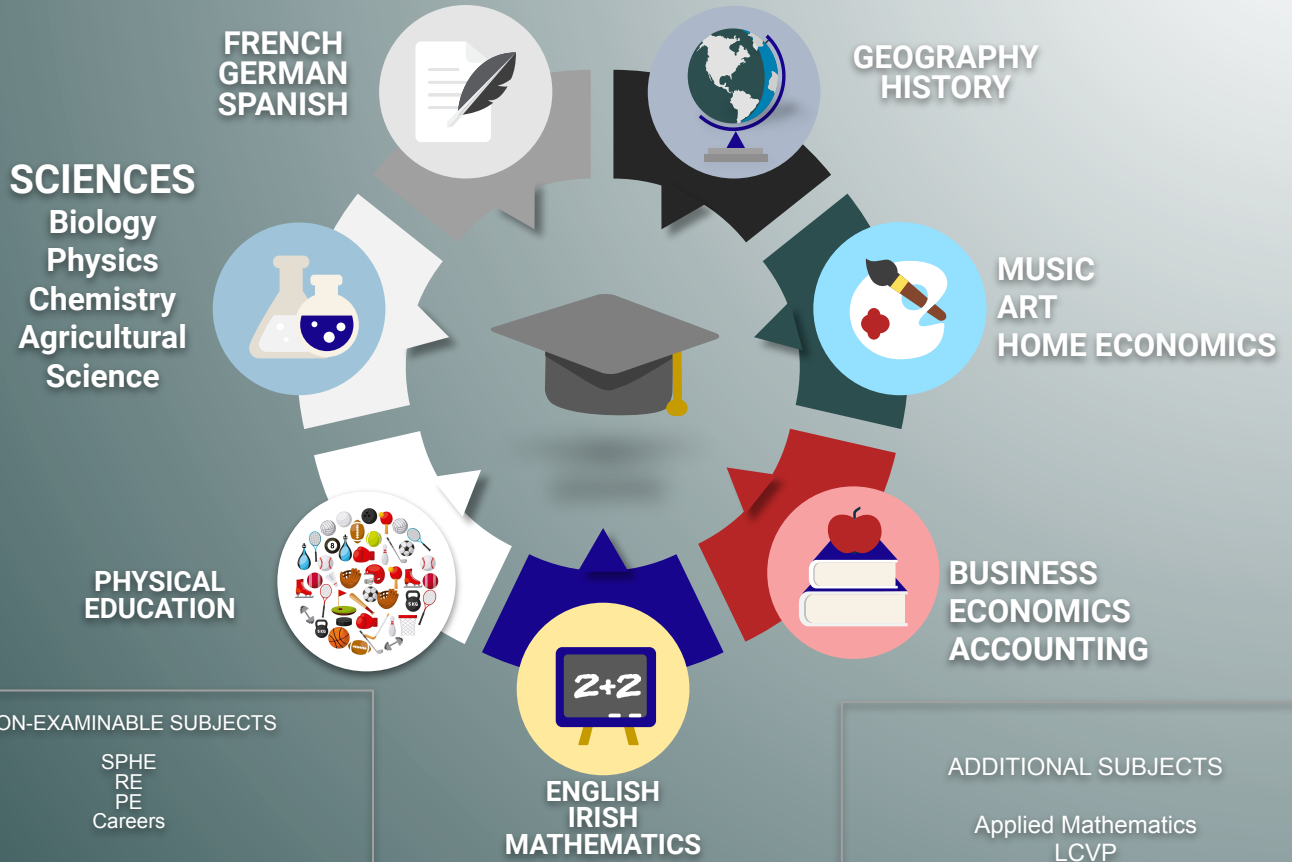
- Strong core academic programme
- Tasters of all Leaving Cert. subjects
- TY-specific subjects: CSI, Film, Chinese, Journalism, Philosophy, Psychology, Junk Kouture
- Musical
- Work Experience
- Community Care
- Carlingford
- Foreign trips
- Development days
- Gaisce



Senior Cycle

- Academic excellence
- Student leadership opportunities: Lighthouse, Amber Flag, Coiste Gaeilge
- Senior Leadership Team
- After School Study
- Academic Tracking Programme & mentors
- Wide variety of subject choice

Senior Cycle Subjects



What Next? Application Procedure



2025/2026 First Year Intake - 150 places



Applications in priority categories will be identified in accordance with the Admissions Policy - Please see website



Five Box CheckList



Admission notice posted on the website in September 2024.



Three week window to apply. September 30th - 21st October 2024 at 4 p.m. sharp.



Remaining places will then have an option to go on a waiting list.



Meeting for the Parents/Guardians of enrolled students in Spring 2025



CAT4 Assessments follow for students as does a visit to the school





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easy payments plus



APP

SEARCH

NEWS CALENDAR GALLERY CONTACT

OUR SCHOOL **ADMISSIONS** CURRICULUM CO-CURRICULUM DOCUMENTS

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NEWS



TY Update & What's On Next Week



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Official Opening of New Astroturf Hockey Pitch by Minister Catherine Martin T.D



Affirmation Ceremony



Leinster Schools Cross Country



Swimming Success at the Leinster Schools Competition



TY Update & What's On Next Week



Le Chéile Student Showcase



TY Development Day



Junior & Senior camogie



Sports for All is here to stay!



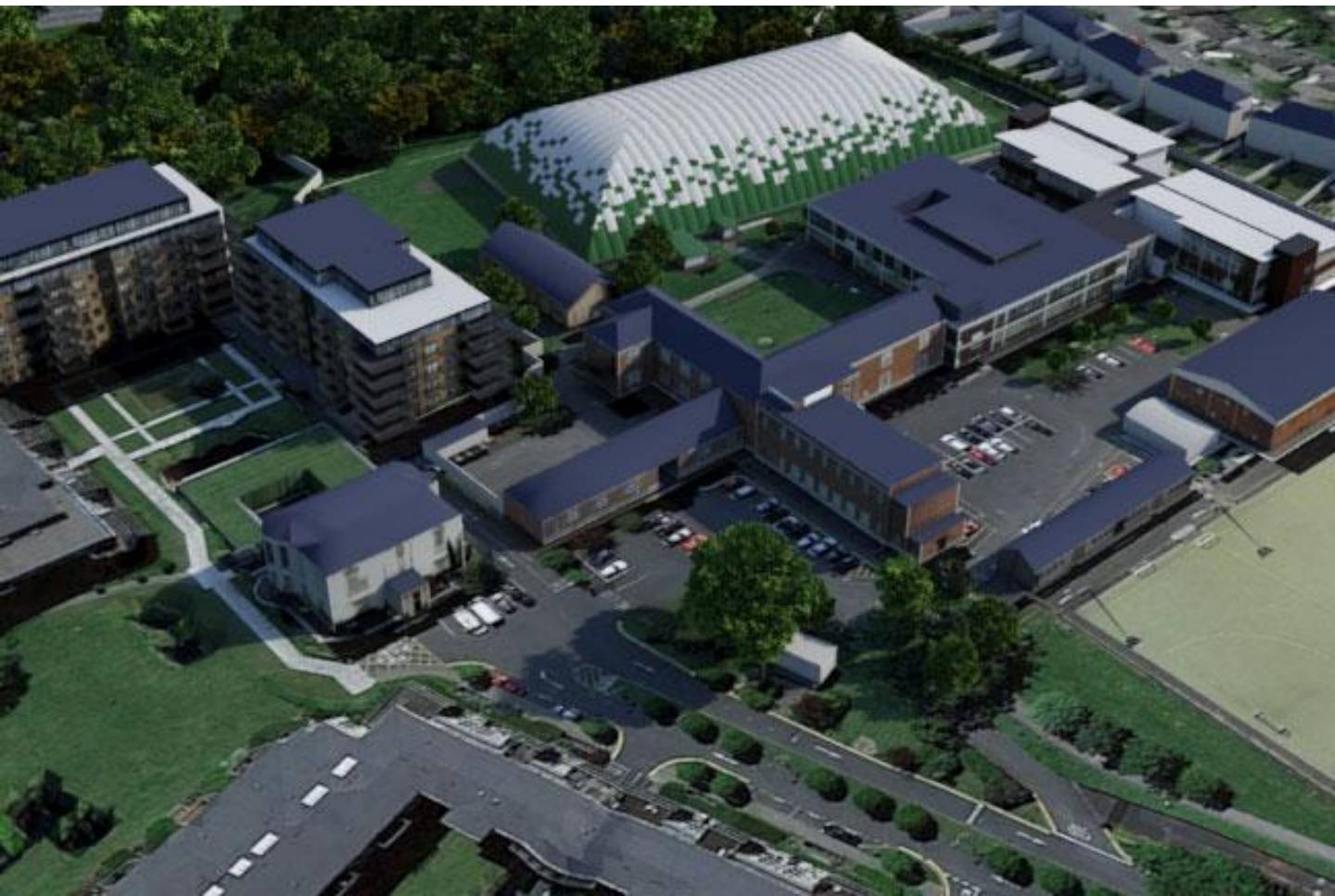
Arts and Crafts Club

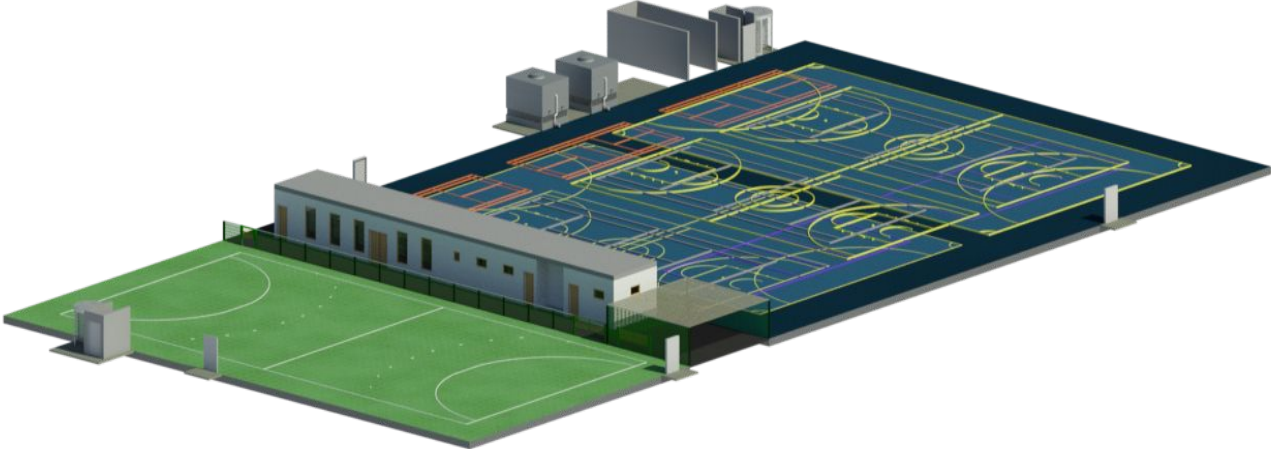
Plant Developments

- Continued investment in Digital Technologies and Infrastructure
- Sustainability: refurbishment of one computer lab with Chrome Flex rather than sending them to landfill
- The “Polygon” Podcast studio with state of the art equipment.
- Continued investment in the Arts - With our sporting facilities of the highest quality our focus now shifts to the Arts
- Walls have been knocked to create or Artistic Performance room which is in phase 1 of its development plan.
- Further investment of equipment for the Nutri-Quick Sports Dome
- A second “Chat zone” has been established in the link area with soft seating.
- Sustainability: Replacement of windows in older building
- Improved traffic management plan









Thank You

- Thank you all for joining us today.
- Thank you to all our students who helped us celebrate all we do here at OLS and of course our very enthusiastic and diligent staff.
- If you haven't visited St. Joseph's Hall yet, please do - the Parents' Council and some of our barista trained students are serving tea and coffee
- Any enquiries should be emailed to admin@olschool.ie
- Follow us on Twitter!



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