

Banagher College, Coláiste Na Sionna

Banagher, Co. Offaly



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TYPE OF SCHOOL: Mixed school, Day pupils

NUMBER OF STUDENTS: 552 Students

UNIFORM



Boys

Trousers	Grey
Shirt	White with School Tie
Jumper	Blue with School Crest
Shoes	Black

Girls

Trousers	Grey Trousers or Skirt
Shirt	White with School Tie
Jumper	Blue with School Crest
Shoes	Black

BRIEF STATEMENT

I wish every success to our students as they progress through our education system. This is an extraordinary time in their lives during which they gradually leave childhood behind and become young adults. All young people are different and have different personalities, learning habits, interests and talents, many of which are documented here. I sincerely thank our dedicated staff for nurturing this uniqueness and assisting all students in reaching their full potential.

Parents also play a significant role in the education of their children and in the development of the school community. I would like to thank all parents/guardians for your co-operation and participation in your children's education. If education is valued in the home, children will perceive their school in a positive, creative way. Together, parents and school can provide an environment conducive to successful learning and personal achievement. We will continue to meet the challenge of providing excellent second level education in a rapidly changing world

FACILITIES

This new school has been built to optimum size to benefit from the additional resources made available by the Department of Education and Science. State-of-the-art facilities, equipment and buildings, including 4 Science Laboratories, 2 Home

Economics Rooms, 2 Art/Craft Rooms, P.E. Hall, Fitness Suite, etc. and will offer a top class atmosphere which will undoubtedly foster positive learning and development

CURRICULUM

Junior Cycle

- Irish
- English
- Maths
- History
- Geography
- Science
- Civic, Social & Political Education
- French/German
- Business Studies
- Religious Education
- Physical Education
- Music
- SPHE
- Technical Graphics
- Art, Craft & Design
- Construction Studies
- Metal Work
- Career Guidance
- Home Economics
- Computer Studies

Transition Year

Transition year is a one year programme taken after the Junior Certificate and before the Leaving Certificate Programme. The following are the answers to some frequently asked questions about TRANSITION YEAR.

Senior Cycle

The following are the subjects which are examined in the Leaving Certificate:

- Accounting
- Art & Design
- Biology
- Business
- Chemistry
- English
- French
- Geography
- German
- Agriculture Science
- Engineering
- History
- Home Economics S&S
- Irish
- LCVP Link Modules
- Mathematics
- Music
- Physics
- Physical Education
- Religious Education
- Technical Graphics
- Construction Studies

EXTRACURRICULAR

Academics

- Music/Choir
- Speech & Drama
- Public Speaking
- Quizzes
- Education Trips
- Foreign Trips
- Formula 1 Challenge
- Seachtain Na Gaeilge
- Linguascope
- Anti-bullying Week
- Art Competitions
- Science Week
- Healthy Eating



Please feel free to refer to the school website for further information on the school.