

Coláiste Bhaile Chláir

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TYPE OF SCHOOL:

Co- Ed, Day pupils

NUMBER OF PUPILS:

972 Students

BRIEF DESCRIPTION



An Innovative Learning Community Committed to Leadership & Excellence

- We are INNOVATIVE, constantly LEARNING, & striving to find and create better ways of pursuing our goals.
- We are all engaged and committed to life-long LEARNING staff and students alike.
- We are a COMMUNITY bound by strong values and traditions.
- We are COMMITTED to developing young people who will become LEADERS in their community and society
We expect and deliver EXCELLENCE

UNIFORM

Boys

Blazer	Black with School Crest
Trousers	Grey
Shirt	White Shirt with grey/berry striped tie
Jumper	Grey V Neck with berry stripe
Shoes	Black

Girls

Blazer	Black with School Crest
Trousers	Grey with berry pinstripe
Skirt	Tartan skirt
Shirt	White Shirt with grey/berry striped tie
Jumper	Grey V Neck with berry stripe
Shoes	Black



CURRICULUM

Junior cycle

The following are the core subjects which are examined in the Junior Certificate:

- Irish
- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- French/Spanish/German/Italian
- Wellbeing (incl. CSPE, PE, SPHE & Personal development)

A taster programme is offered to allow students choose a language that interests them most. All students also attend lessons in all chosen subjects below once each week. At the end of first year, students can choose the three subjects that they would like to continue to Junior Certificate level.

There are the option subjects and students have to choose any three:

- History
- Geography
- Music
- Visual Art
- Home Economics
- Metalwork
- Religion
- Woodwork
- Technical Graphics
- Business Studies

First year students will also study **two short courses** as part of the **Junior Cycle Reform**:

- Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM)
- Civic, Social and Political Education (CSPE)
- Physical Education (PE)
- Social, Political and Health Education (SPHE)

Transition Year

Transition Year is an optional one-year programme that acts as a bridge between the Junior Certificate and Leaving Certificate programmes. This gives students the chance to play an active role in both their school and local community, as well as gaining valuable work experience and taking part in memorable events such as musicals, trips and development days.

Senior Cycle

The following are the core subjects which are examined in the Junior Certificate:

- Irish
- English
- Mathematics
- French/Spanish/German/Italian
- Wellbeing (incl. PE and SPHE)

A taster programme is offered to allow students choose a language that interests them most. All students also attend lessons in all chosen subjects below once each week. At the end of first year, students can choose the three subjects that they would like to continue to Junior Certificate level.

There are the option subjects and students have to choose any three:

- Accounting
- Ag Science
- Applied Maths
- Art
- Biology
- Business
- Chemistry
- Construction Studies
- Design & Communication Graphics
- Economics
- Engineering
- Geography
- History
- Home Economics
- Music
- Physics
- Phys Chem
- Politics & Society
- Religion

Other programmes:

- Leaving Cert Vocational Program (LCVP)
- Leaving Cert Applied (LCA)

EXTRACURRICULAR

We are proud to run a wide range of extracurricular activities which allow students to practice and develop our core values. Through participation in these clubs and teams students can strengthen bonds with other members of the school community and develop life-long friendships.

A range of school clubs and teams are listed below:

- Boys Football/Girls Football
- Hurling/Camogie
- Boys Basketball/Girls Basketball
- Boys Soccer/Girls Soccer
- Handball

- Boys Rugby
- Athletics
- Table Tennis
- Chess
- School Choir
- Traditional Music Group
- Science Club
- Homework Club



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

