

Moate Community College

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WEBSITE: www.moatecs.com

TYPE OF SCHOOL: Co-educational, day pupils

NUMBER OF STUDENTS: 817 Students

UNIFORM

Boys: Navy trouser, navy jumper with school crest and white shirt, jacket with school crest, black shoes

Girls: Navy trouser / Skirt tartan, navy jumper with school crest and white shirt, school jacket with school crest, black shoes (non-slip soles)



BRIEF STATEMENT

Our school is characterised by an atmosphere of respect. This is at the heart of our school ethos. Respect manifests itself in our attitude towards one another in the school, in the community and in the environment in which we live and work. We endeavour to help each individual reach his/her full potential by promoting the formation of the whole person. We provide an education which empowers young men and women to put their Christian beliefs and values into practice. As a Community School we strive to provide an educational environment which serves the needs and aspirations of the entire local community.

FACILITIES

- Art Room
- Library
- Music Room
- Computer Labs
- Chapel
- Canteen
- Science Labs
- Interactive Whiteboards
- Sports facilities: Sport Hall/Gym, sports pitch, tennis & basketball courts, cross country course
- Interactive whiteboards

CURRICULUM

Junior Cycle

First year: A system of Subject Sampling is in operation for first year students.

Core Subjects – Studied for full year

- Irish
- English
- Maths
- PE
- History
- Geography
- Religion
- SPHE*
- CSPE
- Science
- Business Studies
- French/Spanish

Tasted Subjects (16 weeks each)

- Woodwork
- Metalwork
- Technical Graphics
- Music
- Art
- Home Economics

2nd / 3rd Year:

At the end of first year students decide on their subjects for Junior Certificate.

Core Subjects

- Irish
- English
- Maths
- History
- Computer Studies
- Geography
- Religion
- CSPE
- SPHE
- PE

As well as four other subjects of their choice.

Transition Year

Transition Year is a year between Junior Certificate and the beginning of Leaving Certificate. Moate Community School has designed its own Transition Year Programme to meet the needs of its own students. One of the chief benefits of TY is that students can sample various subjects and have the opportunity to grow and mature.

Senior Cycle

Leaving Certificate – Core Subjects

- Irish
- English
- Maths

Students choose four other examination subjects

- Home Economics
- History
- Geography
- Agricultural Science
- Biology
- Physics
- Technical Drawing
- French/Spanish
- Chemistry
- Art
- Music
- Engineering
- Business
- Construction Studies
- Accounting
- Religion

Leaving Certificate Vocational Programme: Students taking certain combinations of subjects are LCVP students. This programme allows the students to have project work together with work experience recognised as a subject. It is a considerable advantage to have project work carried out during school time accepted as an examination subject, which qualifies for points.

EXTRACURRICULAR

Sports

- Gaelic football
- Basketball
- Hurling
- Athletics
- Camoige
- Badminton
- Soccer

Academics

- Vocal training
- Piano
- Brass-Trumpet and Trombone
- Woodwind-flute and clarinet
- Saxophone
- String-violin
- Viola
- Cello
- Double bass and guitar



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