

Scoil Aireagail

Ballyhale, Co. Kilkenny



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WEBSITE: www.scoilaireagail.ie

TYPE OF SCHOOL: Mixed day school

UNIFORM

Boys: Dark grey jumper with school crest
Grey or white shirt
School Jacket
Grey trousers
Black shoes

Girls: Dark grey jumper with school crest
Grey or white Shirt
School Jacket
Tartan skirt
Black tights/Socks
Black shoes



SUBJECTS

Full details of junior cycle, Transition Year, and Senior Cycle subjects are available on the website.

FACILITIES

- Metalwork Room
- Woodwork Room
- Music Room
- Home Economics Room
- 2 Science Labs
- 2 Computer Rooms
- Canteen & Tuck Shop
- Stationary Shop

JUNIOR CYCLE CURRICULUM

Examination subjects:

- English
- Irish
- History
- Geography
- Mathematics
- French
- Business Studies

Non Examination subjects:

- Religion
- S.P.H.E
- Computer Studies
- Physical Education

In addition, students select one from each of the following two groups of three:

Group 1:

- Material Technology
- Art
- Music

Group 2:

- Technical Graphics
- Home Economics
- Metalwork

TRANSITION YEAR

Between Junior and Leaving Certificate we run a Transition Year Programme. This programme is optional but each year approximately 98% of students do it. The objective of this year is to promote the personal, educational, social and vocational development of students. Approximately, 1/3 of the programme is preparation for the Leaving Certificate.

A selection of the topics covered are:

- Environmental Awareness
- C.V. Preparation
- Social Awareness and Life Skills Relationships
- Drink & Drug Awareness
- Educational Visits
- Soccer & Basketball Coaching
- -Computer Studies
- Public Speaking
- -Dance Workshop
- -Song Writing Workshop
- Career Guidance
- Safe Driving Course
- Safe Site Course
- Metal Work

SENIOR CYCLE CURRICULUM

The following subjects are available at Senior Cycle:

- English
- Irish
- History
- Geography
- Mathematics
- French
- Accounting
- Business
- Art
- Construction Studies
- Technical Graphics
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Agricultural Science
- Home Economics

All of the above subjects can be taken at **Higher** and **Ordinary** level.

Extra Curricular Activities

Sporting activities for boys and Girls:

- Hurling
- Gaelic Football
- Basketball
- Inter Schools Hunter Trials
- Handball
- Camogie
- Soccer
- Badminton
- Running/Athletics

Non sporting Activities:

- Golf
- Public Speaking
- Traditional Irish Music Group
- Creative Writing Group
- Art Competitions
- Chess
- Archaeological Competitions
- Drama for First Years

Charitable Work:

Scoil Aireagail students support and fundraise for a number of charities, such as TROCAIRE, Concern, Chernobyl Aid Ireland etc.

Mission Statement

Scoil Aireagail is committed to the educational welfare of its entire community. This includes staff, students, parents and the wider population we serve.

We will respect and support the needs of staff and so enable them to carry out their duties efficiently and effectively.

We will provide a holistic education in which each student is valued and their individual needs are recognised and catered for.

We will provide a structured, caring environment enabling each student to reach their full potential and enter society as a responsible adult.



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