St. Finian's College

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WEBSITE: <u>www.stfinianscollege.ie/</u>

TYPE OF SCHOOL: Co-educational, Day pupils

NUMBER OF STUDENTS: 762 Students

UNIFORM

Trousers Navy

Skirt Tartan (girls)

Shirt Navy polo shirt with School Tie

Jumper Navy

Shoes Black



BRIEF DESCRIPTION

St. Finian's College is a Catholic Secondary co-educational school, the diocesan school of the Diocese of Meath. The school was founded in 1802 and was originally situated in Navan, moving to its current site in Mullingar in 1908. The college aims to provide its pupils with an educational environment which is intellectually, physically and culturally balanced so that each young person is enabled to achieve his or her full potential. The school has long been recognised as a centre of academic excellence and stands on vast grounds which facilities a wide range of sporting activities.

St Finian's is also home to the Schola Cantorum. The Schola Cantorum operates as a miniature music conservatoire within the College. Its purpose is to provide a specialised music education for boys and girls in parallel with their normal secondary school studies. Since its foundation in 1970, the Schola Cantorum has made a tremendous contribution to the liturgical life of the church in Ireland and to the musical life of the country and indeed internationally.

FACILITIES

- Library
- Sports facilities
- Sports Hall
- Gym
- Sports Pitch
- Basketball courts
- Art room

- Interactive whiteboards
- Canteen
- Chapel
- Science labs
- Music room
- Computer labs

CURRICULUM

Junior Cycle

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

- Irish
- English
- Maths
- History
- Geography

- Science
- Civic, Social & Political Education (CSPE)
- Religious Education

In addition, students select three subjects from the following:

- French
- German
- Business

- Art
- Home Economics
- Music

Non-examination subjects

- Physical Education
- Social, Personal & Health Education (SPHE)

Senior Cycle

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

- Irish
- English

- Maths
- Option subjects, students select four of the following subjects:
 - Accounting
 - Agricultural Science
 - Applied Maths
 - Art
 - Biology
 - Business
 - Chemistry
 - French

- Geography
- German
- History
- Home Economics
- Music
- Physics
- Religious Education

- Non-examination subjects
 - · Religious Education
 - Physical Education

Guidance

EXTRACURRICULAR

Sports

- Basketball
- Gaelic Football
- Soccer

Academics

- Music
- Chess
- Science Club
- Writing Club (School newspaper)
- Cooking

- Badminton
- Rugby
- Swimming
- Trips/Excursions
- Art
- Drama
- Dance
- Languages







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