St. Mary's College

Ballysadare, Co. Sligo



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Website: www.smcb.ie

Type of School: Co-Educational

No of Students: 161 Students

UNIFORM

Boys Girls

Jumper Navy with school crest Jumper Navy with school crest

ShirtWhiteShirtWhiteTrousersGreyTrousersGreyShoesBlackShoesBlack



BRIEF STATEMENT

Since 1943 we have educated confident, thoughtful and caring students in the familial atmosphere of St. Mary's College. We continue to make a difference through education, just as Catherine McCauley sought to make a difference in founding the Sisters of Mercy.

We provide successful learning in a caring school community. St. Mary's College is committed to student success. Students are offered a wide curriculum and are taught by a professional and dedicated staff. We offer a range of extra-curricular and sporting activities, confident in the knowledge that our students are enabled to develop their talents and abilities. We enjoy a strong relationship with the community of Ballysadare. St. Mary's College is also close to Sligo town.

As a school, we offer students individual attention and we respond quickly to their changing needs and circumstances.

I hope you enjoy visiting our website. You are welcome to contact our school if you would like to know more.

FACILITIES

- 3 Science Labs
- 2 Home Economics Rooms
- 1 Arts & Crafts Room
- 1 Business Studies Room
- 1 Technical Graphics Room
- 1 Woodwork Room
- 1 Information Technology Room
- 1 Prayer Room

- 1 Library
- 1 Lunch Room
- 1 General Purpose Hall
- 1 Learning Support Room
- 2 Meeting Rooms
- Outdoor Basketball Courts
- Outdoor Football Facility
- 19 General Classrooms

CURRICULUM

Junior Cycle

All students study Irish, English Maths, RE, History, Geography, Science, CSPE, SPHE, PE, IT. They choose three electives from the remaining subjects.

- Materials Technology (Wood)
- Technical Graphics
- Home Economics
- Irish
- English
- French, German, Spanish
- Computers
- Art, Craft & Design
- Science
- Mathematics

- Religious Education
- SPHE
- Relationships and Sexuality Education
- History
- Geography
- CSPE
- Business Studies
- PE

Transition Year

Transition Year is a year between the end of the Junior Certificate and the beginning of the Leaving Certificate. The year provides for a broad education of students. The mission of Transition Year is to promote the personal, social, educational and vocational development of the students and to prepare them to participate as responsible members of society.

Senior Cycle

Core Subjects

- Irish
- English

Optional Subjects (students choose four)

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Physics
- French
- German
- History
- Geography

- Mathematics
- Accounting
- Business
- Technical Drawing
- Construction Studies
- Home Economics (Social & Scientific)
- Art

EXTRACURRICULAR

Sports

- Gaelic Football
- Volleyball

Academics

- Debating
- Choir & Musicals
- Public Speaking
- An Gaisce
- Past Pupils Union

- Basketball
- Soccer
- Scifest
- Fundraising
- Active Citizenship
- Field Trips
- Doodle for Google







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