

**2nd Year
Information
Night**

Welcome





KEY CHANGES IN THE SCHOOL

SCHOOL RULES & MERITS

HOMEWORK & STUDY

MOBILE PHONES & SOCIAL MEDIA

SCHOOL TOUR

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

CLASSROOM BASED ASSESSMENTS (CBAS)



KEY CHANGES

**Deputy
Principals:**

Mr Scully

1st & 2nd Years

Mr Cahillane

3rd & Transition Years

Ms Ronan

5th & 6th Years

GOOD LUCK!

KEY CHANGES

OLD



Resource Area

Courtyard

Uniform

School Jacket

Mobile Phones

School Journal

Morning Detention



NEW



Expectation for each Student

Abide by the school rules at all times

Attend school every day

Respect all staff and students

Do not disrupt another student's learning

Wear the correct uniform

Use the toilet at break times

Do your best in every subject

Use the journal, keep it neat, & signed

No rough behaviour

Keep the resource area & courtyard clean

STUDENTS ARE
REWARDED FOR
GOOD
BEHAVIOUR
THROUGH THE
MERIT
SYSTEM...

MERITS HELPING ME TO LEARN

MANAGING MYSELF

- PUNCTUALITY**
 - BEING ON TIME FOR SCHOOL AND CLASS
- PRESENTATION**
 - BEING TIDY AND CLEAN
 - WEARING FULL SCHOOL UNIFORM
- ORGANISATION**
 - HAVING MY BOOKS AND EQUIPMENT FOR CLASS

COMMUNICATION

- ACTIVE PARTICIPATION**
 - BEING ENGAGED IN CLASS
 - LISTENING
 - ASKING QUESTIONS
 - SHARING OPINIONS AND IDEAS
 - EXPRESSING MYSELF RESPECTFULLY

WORKING WITH OTHERS

- CO-OPERATING WITH OTHERS**
 - BEING WELL BEHAVED
 - BEING MANNERLY AND POLITE
 - BEING HELPFUL TO OTHERS
 - WORKING WELL IN GROUPS

STAYING WELL

- POSITIVE ATTITUDE**
 - TO MYSELF
 - TO CLASS
 - TO MY SURROUNDINGS
 - ACHIEVING MY POTENTIAL

MANAGING INFORMATION & THINKING

- HOMEWORK**
 - ALWAYS HAVING HOMEWORK COMPLETED
 - ALWAYS MAKING AN EFFORT
 - STUDYING AND REVISING
 - REFLECTING ON WHAT I'VE LEARNED

BEING CREATIVE

- CHALLENGING MYSELF**
 - TAKING PART IN EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES
 - TAKING PART IN SCHOOL EVENTS
 - WORKING ON MY OWN INITIATIVE





Homework

The School Journal

MONDAY

	Subject	Details
1	English	Novel 'Trash' - Read p. 14-20
2	French	Learn 20 words on p. 9 (+quizlet)
3	Maths	No HW. Today we revised Sets, p. 32
4	Science	No HW. Today we started Density, p.57
5	P.E.	Basketball
6	Art	Bring in art folder for next class

Homework Codes



The School Journal

Reflecting on Key Skills - How am I performing?



Managing Myself

Organised: I can organise my books, copies, equipment and homework so that I have them in class as needed.

Rate: ☆☆☆☆☆



Staying Well

Optimistic: I am positive about the future and how I will do in school.

Rate: ☆☆☆☆☆



Managing Information & Thinking

Attentive: I can concentrate on my learning in class and at home.

Rate: ☆☆☆☆☆



Being Numerate

Problem solving: I can enjoy solving maths problems.

Rate: ☆☆☆☆☆



Being Creative

Imagining: I use different ways of learning to help develop my imagination.

Rate: ☆☆☆☆☆



Working With Others

Co-operating: I am co-operative with fellow students and teachers.

Rate: ☆☆☆☆☆



Communicating

Performing and presenting: I can present my ideas using visual images and graphics.

Rate: ☆☆☆☆☆



Being Literate

Reading: I can read for enjoyment and understanding.

Rate: ☆☆☆☆☆



What did you do well during the week?



What could you have done better during the week?



What next? What would you like to do very well next week?



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Community School

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Student Name _____

Year 2 _____

Tutor Group: _____

Tutor: _____

Attendance	Total Absences	Total Lates	Total Merits	Academic Potential



Teacher	Attendance	Lates	Merits
Collaboration	Attitude	Enterprising	Homework
Learning Progress		"Next Steps" for Learning	
On Going Assessment	Summative Assessment		
Descriptor	Percentage Mark	Grade	Study Level

Study Skills Programme

eLearning modules: Learning and study skills for Junior Cycle

This programme is made-up of 10 sections a total of approximately 40 minutes.

- What is learning?
- What is study?
- Mindset
- Study timetable
- POKER system and notes
- Plan it, Do it, Review it!
- Certificate of Completion.

Students will receive a code for the programme and gain access for the full school year!

Students will be guided through this programme in the coming weeks.

This programme is explained further from page 49 to 72 of the student journal.



A guide to supporting your student eLearning programme

This programme consists of three modules a total of approximately 45 minutes.

We will provide access to this programme using the school App.

Module 1 - Supporting your student

Module 2 - What is learning?

Module 3 - All about Study

Studyclix

Codes for student access have been sent out on the school app.

What's included?

- Junior Cycle and Leaving Cert Questions by Topic and marking schemes
- Maths Solution Videos
- Subject/Topic Quizzes
- Flashcards
- Collections: Save questions for later
- Community discussion forum
- Live chat with our subject experts
- Junior Cycle subject & CBA guides
- Print past papers & marking schemes



Mobile Phones & Online Safety

‘Are students allowed to use mobile phones during school?’

‘Should my son/daughter be using their phone for homework?’

‘My son/daughter is constantly on their phone.’

‘My son/daughter is being bullied online’.

‘How do I set up rules regarding their phone?’

‘My son/daughter saw inappropriate content online’

Welcome to the Webwise Parents Hub!

Here you'll find all the information and support you need to ensure your child makes the most of their time online.

The #TalkListenLearn campaign supports children and parents/guardians online.

Having regular open conversations is one of the most effective ways of supporting your child online.

Start the chat using our Topic Generator!

[Topic Generator](#)

[Parents - \(webwise.ie\)](#)



Report Illegal Content



Helplines



ONLINE SAFETY TIPS FOR PARENTS



1. GET INFORMED

Get started by visiting webwise.ie/parents. You'll find expert advice, how to guides, explainers and helpful talking points for parents.



2. HAVE THE CHAT

Have regular conversations with your child on the important things to look out for online and any potential risks.



3. AGREE RULES

Agree on a clear set of rules in your home about internet use and around screentime. Remember the importance of a healthy balance!



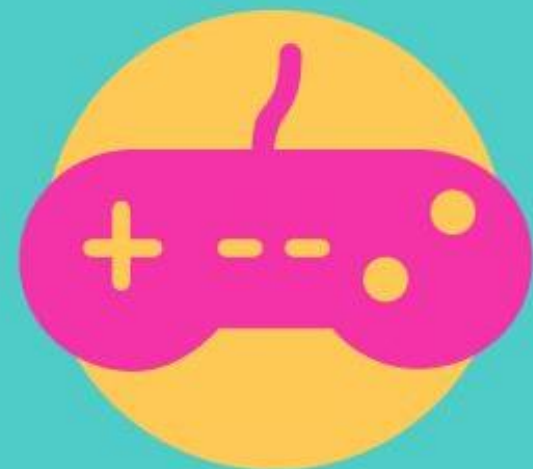
4. ASK FOR HELP

Reassure your child that they can always come talk to you about anything that comes up online.



5. LEAD BY EXAMPLE

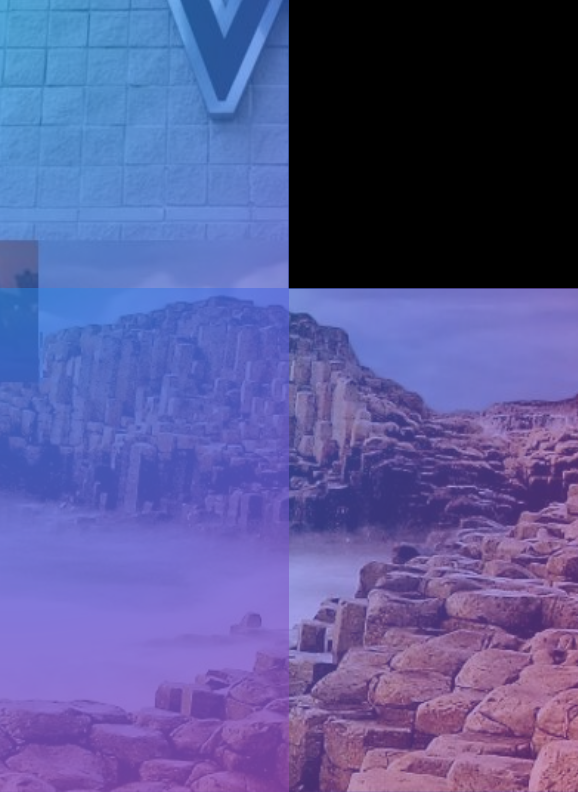
Do as you say! Modelling behaviour is the most powerful way you can influence your child's behaviour!



6. JOIN IN

The internet is a great resource for children! Play your child's favourite computer game and discover the online world together.

Visit webwise.ie/parents for more expert advice, support and resources



2nd Year Tour

When:
15th – 17th February 2023

Destination:
Belfast

Cost:
€400 (approx.)

What's included on the tour?

- Executive Coaching throughout tour
- 2 nights at the Ramada Hotel, with breakfast & evening meal
- Visit to Titanic Belfast
- Visit to W5, Ireland's Science & Discovery Centre
- Visit to the Giant's Causeway
- Visit to Dunluce Castle
- Visit to Crumlin Road Gaol
- Visit to Vertigo / Airtastic
- 2 evening social activities (e.g. bowling)
- Visit Victoria Square Shopping Centre
- Travel Insurance

Thank You!

