## Maths

Teachers in Coláiste na Mí encourage collaboration in the Maths classroom by encouraging students to complete interactive class activities, to participate in class discussions, to peer assess classwork/home learning and to deliver class presentations. Students in Coláiste na Mí remain in mixed ability Maths classes until 3rd year. At the start of 3rd year, classes are separated into higher level and ordinary level. Several different modules are taught during Transition Year. All students sit Junior Cycle and Senior Cycle state exams. Junior Cycle classes have four Maths lessons a week, Transition Year students have four lessons a week and Senior Cycle classes have five lessons a week.

All first-year students partake in the IMTA school Maths quiz, and some students have previously been successful at reaching beyond the Leinster stage of the competition. All students of Coláiste na Mí partake in Numeracy Week, which is held in October. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to further explore the world of Maths. There is a strong, hard-working Maths department in Coláiste na Mí. The department run after school support classes open to all students to assist them with homework, assessments, and preparation for examinations.

