



# SIXTH Year NEWSLETTER

February 2026 |

Dear Parents/Guardians,

I am writing to you to provide an update on the progress of our Sixth Year students since Christmas.

Thank you for your continued support in relation to school policies and procedures, which can be found on the school website: [Coláiste na Mí School Policies](#).

Well done also to all 6th Year students for their resilience and engagement in the mock examinations. Completing a full set of mocks is a significant milestone in the Leaving Certificate journey. Congratulations to the Senior Boys Basketball Team on bringing home the Championship Cup.

Students recently attended a Garda Road Safety Talk, delivering a strong road safety message and important guidance on the roads.

## Upcoming information for students:

- Mock Examination Reports will be available on 14<sup>th</sup> February on Compass.
- One-to-One Student Meetings using Athena.
- After-School Study: Monday–Thursday.
- Additional free Subject Support Classes.
- 6th year Graduation: 20th of May.

## General Reminders

- All absences from school must be explained and recorded on [Compass](#). [Compass Parent Guide](#).
- Fundraiser for the school musical will take place on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> February as a non uniform day.
- SPHE RSE Programme starts 23<sup>rd</sup> February and runs in class time for 6 weeks up to 17<sup>th</sup> April 2026.

The CAO application deadline (1st February) has now passed, and all applications should be completed at this stage.

Any student applying under the DARE scheme is reminded to ensure that the relevant form has been completed on the 6th Year Teams page.

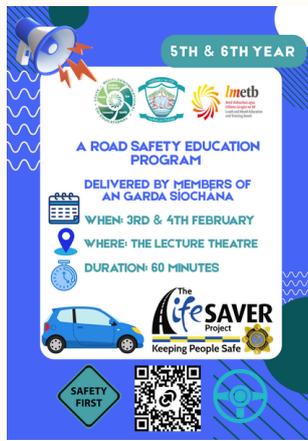
Guest speakers from the Alumni Council visited for a talk to 6th years in assembly recently, giving their experience and insightful points of the important of setting routines and study plans in prep for exams. Please see the homework assigned by subject Teachers for the week. Your support on this work being completed is much appreciated.

Yours sincerely,  
Máistir Lanigan,  
Sixth Year Year Head



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Subject	Work Assigned	Expected Engagement 2 to 2.5 hours
Irish HL	Mock corrections and oral prep	2 hours
Irish OL	Mock corrections and revise oral questions.	2 hours
English HL	Mock corrections. Essay prep. Refer to class teams for more info.	2 hours
Maths HL	Complete exam paper questions from study plan	2 hours
Maths OL	Revise Statistics for Exam on return / Mock Questions redo	2 hours
Spanish	Revise 3 roleplays, oral questions from worksheet and complete mock aural paper	2 hours
French	As per reports	2 hours
History	USA and Wider World workbook pg 2-15	2 hours
Geography	Essay questions/ revision	2 hours
Physics	Complete exam paper questions	2 hours
Chemistry	Exam recap questions and definitions	2 hours
Biology	Mock Paper 2025	2 hours
	Practice Exam Questions for the following Areas	
	1. Sole Trader accounts and/ or Company accounts	
	2. Interpretation	
Accounting	3. Budgets - Cash, Production and Flexible - complete at least 1	3 hours
Business	Mock Exam Paper Long Questions	2.5 hours
DCG	x2 Exam Question Geological Geometry 2024, 2023	2 Hours
Construction	Portfolio work - introduction- investigation research- design- project plan-health and safety	2 hours
Technology	Portfolio work- refine sketches	2 hours
	Targets set from individual tutorials in class with personalised feedback WWW, EBI, AAF on development sheet 1 in SEC LC Art Practical Exam project. Work on targets during Monday 16th Extra Art day and fully complete during the week. LC Art Timeline letter on TEAMS, with key dates and checklist.	2.5 hours
Art		
Politics	Exam papers 2019 section A & B. Study for test scheduled 23/02	2 hours
Music	Revise Irish music topics. Minor melody question	2 hours
LC. P.E.	Exam Papers	2 hours
Home Economics	Exam Q's and study	2 hours