



Holy Child Community School

Address: Pearse Street,
Sallynoggin,
Co Dublin.

Website: www.holychildcommunityschool.ie

Status: Public School

Profile: The Holy Child Community School welcomes students with diverse abilities and talents. In keeping with their Christian ethos, they seek to recognise and develop these varied gifts and to promote in our students a sense of self confidence, tolerance and respect for others. They foster learning within a secure and happy environment, so that our pupils may mature to their fullest potential, socially, physically and academically. The school structures, curriculum and special events are all designed to reinforce these values and this vision.

Students: Boys – 157 Girls – 100

ACADEMIC CURRICULUM

Junior Cycle: Students have the option of studying; Irish, English, Mathematics, Religious Education, French, History, Geography/ Environmental Studies, Computer Studies, Science, Civic, Social and Political Education (C.S.P.E.), Art, Home Economics, Business Studies, Social, Personal and Health Education (S.P.H.E.), Materials Technology (Wood), Technical Graphics and Music

Transition Year: is designed as a 'stepping stone' from the Junior Cycle to the more academic demands of the Senior Cycle. Students who have completed the Junior Certificate are strongly advised to undertake this programme which has been greatly enhanced over the years. It encourages an awareness of the world of work and contributes to the growth of self-confidence and personality through a wide range of academic, cultural, aesthetic, sporting and leisure activities. As part of Transition Year



Programme students have an opportunity to go on an educational tour abroad. The Transition Year Core Curriculum is: Irish, English, Mathematics, Religious Education and French.

Subject Modules include: Leisure and Recreation, Business, Environmental Studies, Food Studies, Art, Biology, Classical Studies, Drama, Guidance, Physics, Chemistry, History, Spanish, Computer Studies, Woodwork

Senior Cycle: Students have the option of studying; Irish, English, Mathematics, Religious Education, Physical Education, Guidance, History, Geography, Art, Technical Drawing, Home Economics, Spanish, French, Physics, Biology, Business, Computers, Chemistry and Construction Studies

Non-Academic Activities: Soccer – girls and boys teams, Snooker, Tennis, Volleyball, Rotary Youth Leadership Award, Golf, Gymnastics Athletics Teams/Clu, Badminton , Basketball Teams/ Club, Music, School Band, Charity fundraising activities, Chess Teams / Club, Theatre visits, Scholarships Irish and Foreign languages Choir, Drama, Educational tours in Ireland and abroad, An Gaisce / President’s Award

