



Coláiste Bríde

Templeshannon, Enniscorthy, Co. Wexford.

18th January 2024

Dear Parent/ Guardian,

As your daughter progresses in Transition Year or in her 3rd Year studies and we move towards the latter stages of the Junior Cycle programme, I am writing to highlight two important dates for your diary:

1. Transition Year Information Night for current 3rd Years on Thursday, February 8th at 7:00pm.
2. 5th Year Senior Cycle Subject Choice Information Night for current 3rd & Transition Years on February 21st at 7.00pm.

These online meetings are open to both parents ***and*** students in **3rd Year** and **Transition Year** to attend.

At these meetings information regarding Senior Cycle programmes, subjects and the application process will be outlined and explained by our Programmes Coordinator, Ms. Margo Whelan, (Transition Year) and our Guidance Counsellor, Ms. Aisling McDonald (5th Year Senior Cycle Subject Choice).

If your daughter is considering applying for Transition Year 2024, we ***strongly advise*** attending both information sessions as there is an application process attached to TY. If the Transition Year programme is oversubscribed, your daughter's application may not be successful. In this instance she would progress to 5th year.

Equally, for 5th year, when making subject choices, the process must be completed via our school's VS Ware portal and detailed instructions will be provided at the meeting.

Both meetings will take place online, via your daughter's Microsoft Teams. The meetings will be scheduled in the 3rd Year Group TEAM and the TY Year Group TEAM.

If you and your daughter have already decided, definitively, that they will move directly into 5th Year from September 2024 then you do not need to attend the Transition Year Information Night on February 8th. However, at this stage, we would encourage everyone to keep their options open and take part in both information sessions.

We look forward to your attendance.

Yours sincerely,

Kiera O'Sullivan