



WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH OF CLUNY!

Dear Student,

A very warm welcome to St Joseph of Cluny. Starting school in a new country is exciting and can also feel unfamiliar at first. This booklet has been created to help you settle into life at school and feel confident as you begin your experience in Ireland.

At St Joseph of Cluny, we value:



Respect



Inclusion



Curiosity



Kindness



Academic achievement



Personal growth



We are delighted that you are joining our school community.



About St Joseph of Cluny

St Joseph of Cluny is committed to creating a supportive and welcoming environment where every student feels valued.

Our school encourages students to:

- ✓ Develop academically and personally
- ✓ Participate fully in school life
- ✓ Respect different cultures and perspectives
- ✓ Build confidence and independence

You are now part of our community.



COMMUNICATION & KEY PEOPLE



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Principal: Mr Healy

Deputy Principal: Ms Byrne

International Co-ordinator: Ms Beamish

TY Co-ordinator: Mr Berry

Guidance Counsellor: Ms McFarland

Reception: Caroline Crimmins

IClass App: PLEASE DOWNLOAD - School notices for Parents/ Guardians

VSWare App: Fees, Outings & Payments





YOUR FIRST WEEK AT SCHOOL

Your First Week

During your first week you will:

- ✓ Be met by the International Co-ordinator Ms Beamish
- ✓ Meet teachers and classmates
- ✓ Receive your timetable
- ✓ Learn school routines
- ✓ Become familiar with classrooms and facilities
- ✓ Learn how to access online learning systems
- ✓ Food Village App: Order hot/cold meals daily.
Our code is STICSS



Remember:

Everyone feels nervous at first.
Ask questions whenever you need help.



Learning at School

Irish classrooms often encourage students to:

- Participate in discussion
- Ask questions
- Work independently
- Collaborate with classmates
- Reflect on feedback

Assessment may include:

- Classwork
- Homework
- Projects
- Presentations
- Exams



STUDENT LIFE

School is about more than lessons.

Get involved in:

- Clubs and societies
- Sport
- Music and performance
- Student leadership opportunities
- School events

Joining activities is one of the best ways to make friends.



Co-Curricular

St. Joseph of Cluny

LUNCHTIME

AFTER SCHOOL

M	1st - 2nd Yrs Girls Basketball 1:00 - 1:20 pm	Student Council 1:15 pm	ALL YEARS Green Schools 1:20 pm
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3rd - 6th Yrs Hockey 3:45 - 5:30 pm	1st - 2nd Yrs Girls Basketball 4:00 - 5:30 pm
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T	ALL YEARS Chess Club 1:00 - 1:45 pm	ALL YEARS Choir 1:15 - 1:45 pm	
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ALL YEARS Choir 3:45 - 4:15 pm	1st Yr Boys Basketball 3:45 - 5:30 pm	1st - 2nd Yrs Hockey 4:00 - 5:30 pm	3rd - 6th Yrs Basketball 4:00 - 5:30 pm
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W	1st Yr Boys Basketball 1:15 - 3:30 pm	ALL YEARS GAA 1:30 - 3:00 pm	
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Hockey Matches		
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T	ALL YEARS Rainbow Alliance 1:00 - 1:45 pm	ALL YEARS Model United Nations (MUN) 1:00 - 1:45 pm	ALL YEARS Public Speaking 1:20pm
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1st - 2nd Yrs Badminton 3:45 - 5:30 pm		3rd - 6th Yrs Hockey 3:45 - 5:30 pm
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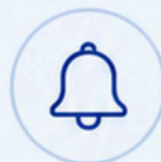
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SCHOOL DAY TIMINGS



Start of the School Day

Monday – Friday

8:30am

All students must be in school before 8:30am. Please use the Student Entrance. Students arriving after 8:30am must sign in at Reception and will be marked late.



Morning Break

Monday – Friday

10:45am – 11:00am

Students should return promptly to class following break.



Lunch Time

Monday – Friday

1:00pm – 1:45pm

Students may access Food Village for hot and cold food options. Orders are placed using the Food Village App and collected in the Sports Hall daily (except Wednesday Half Day).



End of the School Day

Monday 3:45pm

Tuesday 3:45pm

Wednesday 1:00pm

Thursday 3:45pm

Friday 3:30pm



All mobile Phones must be placed in a Yondr Pouch during school hours and kept in students Locker. You will be shown how to do this.



After-School Study

After-school study is available for 3rd Year and 6th Year students.

For further information, please contact:

✉ reception@clunykilney.ie





SCHOOL UNIFORM

UNIFORMITY

St. Joseph of Cluny - SCHOOL UNIFORM CHECKLIST

You can click on the item you require and it will take you straight to our website or you can print out this sheet and use it as a checklist

FORMAL Uniform is measured in inches around the fullest part of the chest and in inches around the waist						
Item	Colour	Compulsory	Size	ADVISED QTY	Qty	☐
Coat	Navy	1st-6th Year (Fleece can also be worn)		1		
Pullover	Blue	1st-6th Year		1/2		
Blouse	Blue	1st-5th Year		3		
Blouse	White	6th Year		2x 2pk		
Skirt	Blue	1st-6th Year		1		
School Trousers	Navy	1st-6th Year		1		
Socks	Blue	1st-6th Year		3 x3pk		
Fleece	Blue	Optional		1		
Scarf	Navy	Optional		1		

SPORTS Uniform is measured in women's sizes. Use the size guide on our website if you need help						
Item	Colour	Compulsory	Size	ADVISED QTY	Qty	☐
Sports Top (Compulsory for Hockey, Badminton & PE)	White	1st Year Compulsory 2nd-6th Year Optional		2		
Skort (Hockey Only)	Blue	Compulsory		1		
PE/Gym Shorts	Navy	Compulsory		1		
Tracksuit Top	Blue	Compulsory		1		
Tracksuit Bottoms	Navy	Compulsory		1		
Sports Socks	Sky Blue	Compulsory		2		
Training Top	Blue	Optional		1		
Leggings	Navy	Optional		1		
Gym Shields	Assorted	Yes		1		

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School Shirt	Blue	1st-6th Year		1/2		
School Trousers	Navy	1st-6th Year		1		
Fleece	Blue	Optional		1		
Scarf	Navy	Optional		1		

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Tracksuit Bottoms	Navy	Compulsory		1		
Sports Socks	Sky Blue	Compulsory		2		



STUDENT SUPPORT

You are never expected to manage everything alone.

Support may include:



ACADEMIC SUPPORT

- SUBJECT TEACHERS
- LEARNING SUPPORT



WELLBEING SUPPORT

- GUIDANCE COUNSELLOR
- STUDENT SUPPORT STAFF
- YEAR HEAD SUPPORT
- BUDDY SYSTEM



LANGUAGE SUPPORT

- ADDITIONAL ENGLISH SUPPORT WHERE AVAILABLE

