

St. Mary's Christian Brothers' Grammar School Scoil Mhuire na mBráithre Críostaí



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July 2025

Dear Parent/Guardian,

As we prepare for the next academic year, I wish to express our appreciation for your continued support and co-operation as we work in partnership to ensure your son has a positive and successful experience in the coming academic year.

The following is the timetable for the registration of students for the academic year 2025-26:

Tuesday 26 th August 2025	Year 8 Parental Induction and Pupil Registration 10.00 – 11.00 Year 8 Pupil Induction 10.00 – 15.15	Year 8 Parent Induction and pupil registration in the school Assembly Hall with Year 8 Induction continuing for pupils until 2.15pm
	Year 11 Parental Induction and Pupil Registration 13.30 – 14.30	Year 11 Parent Induction and pupil registration in the school Assembly Hall.
Wednesday 27 th August 2025	Year 8 Pupil Induction 09.00 – 15.15	Year 8 Induction continuing for pupils.
	Year 12 Pupil Registration 09.30 – 10.15	Year 12 Pupil Induction and registration in the school Assembly Hall.
Thursday 28 th August 2025	Year 8 Pupil Induction 09.00 – 14.45	Year 8 Induction continuing for pupils.
	Year 9 Pupil Registration 10.00 – 10.45	Year 9 Pupil registration in the school Assembly Hall.
	Year 10 Pupil Registration 11.00 – 11.45	Year 10 Pupil registration in the school Assembly Hall.
	Year 14 Pupil Registration 12.00 – 12.45	Year 14 Pupil registration in the school Assembly Hall.
Friday 29 th August 2025	Staff INSET DAY	



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Monday 1 st	Classes begin for Year 8 Pupils only	
September 2025		-
Tuesday 2 nd	Classes begin for ALL PUPILS in Years 8-12 and Year 14	
September 2025		
Wednesday 3 rd – September 2025	Year 13 Parental Induction and Pupil Registration 9.30- 10.30	Year 13 Parent Induction and pupil registration in the school Assembly Hall 09.30 – 10.30. Year 13 pupils will go home with their Parents/Guardians following the Induction.
Thursday 4 th - Friday 5 th September 2025	Year 13 Pupil Induction	09.00 – 15.15. Full schedule will be provided during pupil registration
Monday 8 th September 2025	Year 13 classes begin 09.00 – 15.15	Classes begin for Year 13 on Monday 8 th September 2025 at 9.00am

OTHER INFORMATION:

Free School Meals/ School Uniform/ Physical Education Clothing Allowance 2025-26

Parents / guardians who are currently in receipt of support for the 2023/24 school year will **not** be sent a pre-populated form for the 2025/26 school year. All parents (including new applicants) are required to apply online via EA website https://www.eani.org.uk/financial-help/free-school-meals-uniform-grants. If your son is entitled to Free School Meals, it is very important that you apply for these whether or not your son intends availing of the service.

• Pupils must arrive in full uniform and adhere to our dress code policies regarding haircuts and wearing the correct school shoes.

Please be aware that for health and safety reasons Parents / Guardians are requested **NOT to drive up the school lane** at the beginning or end of the day to drop off or pick up their son.

We trust that the coming academic year will prove very successful and enjoyable for your son.

Yours faithfully

Mr Brendan McComb

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Principal