

NRCU

New Ross Credit Union, who kindly sponsored our new 'Sportsperson of the Year Award' and run a student Credit Union here in the College, offer 9 bursaries of €1000 and 2 bursaries of €500 each year to students starting 3rd level education. You can download further information and application forms by clicking on the link below or if you wish you can collect an application form at the school office.

[Information & Application Form.](#)

Registration 2018/19

REGISTRATION AUGUST 2018

**Dates and Times: Thursday 9th, Friday 10th, Monday 13th, Tuesday 14th August.
9:00am - 10:30am and 11:15am - 1:00pm**

To ensure Parents / Guardians are not delayed unnecessarily we set out hereunder times and surnames for Thursday, Friday, Monday and Tuesday. Please note there will be no Registration on Wednesday 15th August to facilitate Leaving Certificate results.

Day	Time	Surname	Day	Time	Surname
Thursday	9:00-10:30	Abartis to Cody	Thursday	11:15-13:00	Cogley to Dwyer
Friday	9:00-10:30	Egan to Hunt	Friday	11:15-13:00	Israel to Maziarz
Monday	9:00-10:30	McAuliffe to Mylett	Monday	11:15-13:00	Nash to Purcell
Tuesday	9:00-10:30	Quigley to Swan	Tuesday	11:15-13:00	Teague to Yu

On these days you must register your son for the 2018 / 2019 academic year. Failure to do so may result in your son not being on the roll when we commence classes at the end of August. Your son's timetable, calendar and the school homework journal will be handed out. In registering your son you are also agreeing to support the school in the implementation of its policies and in particular the Code of Discipline. This is also an ideal opportunity to pay any monies to the school as outlined below:

Administration Fee

(1st years have already paid this fee)

Insurance, Test Papers, Circular Letters, Phone calls, Reports, Exam Booklets etc. **€50.00**

Homework Journal

€10.00

Mock Examinations (3rd & 6th Year)

€30.00

Family School Support Contribution

€100.00

(This is sometimes paid in 3 instalments)

P. E. Expenses

€20.00

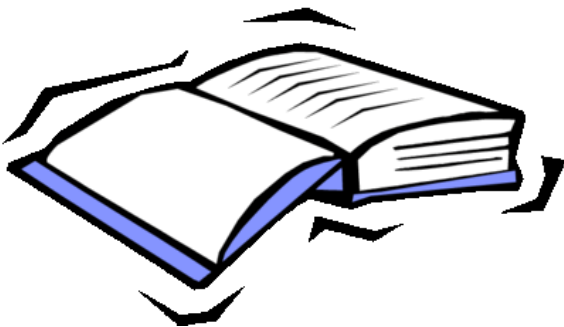
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For all subjects - (no money collected by teachers for copying) **€20.00**

Booklists 2018/19

Click below on the relevant year group link.

Booklists 2018/19



1. Please be advised that teachers will not collect any money for photocopying in 2018/19. A standard charge will apply at the beginning of the year as requested by the Parents Council.
2. The student Journal, which is €10, is compulsory and can be purchased at our registration days.
3. Subject departments have indicated additional costs for materials etc to be collected in September on each booklist.

[6th Year](#)

[5th Year](#)

[3rd Year](#)

[2nd Year](#)

[1st Year](#)

**1CN Geography Field Trip to
Woodstock, Inistioge.**

Student Reports & Photographs

**Click on the name below to
download student reports.**

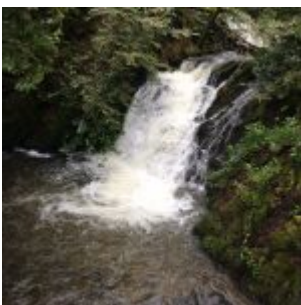
[Report from Rory](#)

[Report from James](#)

[Report from Patrick](#)

Report from Kacper

Report from Evan





Thank you to Mr Barron for organising the trip and well done to all of his students on their Reports.

GDPR

Data Protection – The law is changing!

Good Counsel College processes data in line with the Data Protection Act.

The Data Controller for this school is the Principal, Mr Mark O'Brien and our Data Protection Policy can be found at this [link](#).

What's Changing?

On 25th May 2018, the new **General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR)** come into force and these will apply to all schools adding extra responsibilities to those of the Data Protection Act. Schools will have to ensure that the strategies they currently have in place for data protection are compliant and failure to do so could result in very heavy fines for breaches. Accountability is central to GDPR.

The 6 Principles of GDPR – *will replace the existing 8 listed in our policy.*

Data will be:

- 1. Processed fairly lawfully and in a transparent manner*
- 2. Used for specified, explicit and legitimate purposes*
- 3. Used in a way that is adequate, relevant and limited*
- 4. Accurate and kept up to date*
- 5. Kept no longer than is necessary*
- 6. Processed in a manner that ensures appropriate security of the data*

We will be working to ensure school is compliant with the new regulations. Many of the GDPR's main concepts and principles are much the same as those in the current Data Protection Act. However, there are new elements and significant enhancements so we will have to do some new things for the first time and change the way do some existing things. In order to identify fully what needs to be done school will be undertaking a full review/audit of existing data held in school. Training will be taking place to raise awareness of staff to the new regulations regarding data protection.

The GDPR explicitly states that children's personal data merits specific protection and also introduces new requirements for the online processing of a child's personal data.

Guidelines for Data Protection for Good Counsel College

Overview

The school will ensure that personal data is protected and kept safely and securely. It will ensure that its policy for data protection is used as the basis for collecting, storing, accessing, sharing and deleting personal data. The school will use the General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) as the benchmark for its standard for protecting personal data.

Objectives

1. To ensure that decision makers and key people in school comply with the statutory changes to the GDPR coming into force on 25th May 2018.
2. To ensure that there will be regular reviews and audits of the information we hold to ensure that we fully meet the GDPR statutory requirements.
3. To document the personal data we hold, where it came from and with whom it will be shared.
4. To ensure that data collection, data handling, data storage and data disposal procedures are in line with the GDPR and cover all the rights individuals have, including how personal data is deleted and destroyed.

Strategies

1. Data access request procedures will be handled within the timescales set out in the GDPR and we provide any additional information in line with the GDPR guidance.

2. The processing of personal data will be carried out on a lawful basis as required by the GDPR.
3. Where the school needs to seek consent, it will do so in a manner that meets GDPR standards.
4. Any records of consent and the management of the process for seeking consent will also meet the GDPR standard.
5. Where there is a personal data breach the procedures used to detect, report and investigate it will meet the requirements of the GDPR.
6. The systems the school puts into place to verify individuals' ages and to obtain parental or guardian consent for any data processing activity will meet the standard set in the GDPR.
7. There will be a senior member of staff designated as the Data Protection Officer who will be given responsibility for data protection compliance.
8. When the school requests data we will provide appropriate privacy notices to explain why data is being requested and the purposes for which it is used.

Outcomes

The requirements of the GDPR will be met by this school as the basis for collecting, storing, accessing, sharing and deleting personal data. Data will be processed fairly lawfully and in a transparent manner. It will be used for specified, explicit and legitimate purposes in a way that is adequate, relevant and limited. It will be accurate and kept up to date and kept no longer than is necessary. Data will be processed in a manner that ensures appropriate security of the data.

Our work on being compliant with the new regulations is a "work in progress" and this page will be updated as further information is available. Meanwhile, if you have any issues regarding current data protection in our school please do not hesitate to speak to the Principal, Mr Mark O'Brien.

Careers Night

Careers Night 2018

DATE: Monday, February 26th

VENUE: Sports Hall

Agenda:

7:00 – 7:30 Opening: **Matthew O Hanlon** – Past Pupil & Wexford Senior Hurling Captain.

7:30 – 9:00 Visit to individual career

Download the event brochure [here](#).

Aim of the night

1. Provide students/parents with first-hand information about careers of interest.
2. Provide students/parents with opportunities to discuss various access routes to chosen careers with people actively working/studying in those areas.
3. Encourage students to consider a number of career options.

4. The night will be structured as follows:.

- Matthew will focus on study, target setting, physical and mental wellbeing along with the importance of study/life balance.
- Each facilitator will have an assigned table where you can sit and chat with them about their career. Some areas of focus are identified below.
- Areas of Focus
 - What the profession/trade/business currently entails and the opportunities it presents.
 - The challenges faced in the profession/trade/business.
 - The access route to this career option and alternative routes to the same career.
 - The future of the profession/trade/business.
 - Any other relevant info

There will be tea/coffee etc available in the Sports Hall throughout the evening.