



Holy Family Community School

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Dear Parents/ Guardians,

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome your child to 2nd year and wish them every success in the year ahead.

To assist with the smooth running of their first day in second year, please note the following very important details:

- Second Year students are in school on **Tuesday 27th August 9.00am – 11.00pm.**
The full school calendar and all other important information can be accessed on the school website.
- Students must be in **full school uniform** and be wearing **fully black shoes/footwear** (no other colours/markings are permitted on footwear)
- Students should have their fully charged iPad with them to engage in the induction day

For the 2024/25 school year all Junior Cycle students will receive free schoolbooks and certain classroom resources. Funding for the scheme in 2024/25 is being provided directly to post-primary schools by the Department of Education. This new scheme is in recognition of the cost of preparing children and young people for the return to school.

Schoolbooks includes all relevant eBooks and workbooks at Junior Cert level. It also includes necessary additional texts such as novels and plays for English. The supply of books will be facilitated by the school at the start of the academic year.

All schoolbooks and core classroom resources provided under the new scheme will remain the property of the school.

Please remind your children to take care of their schoolbooks and classroom resources and keep them in good condition during the period that they are in their possession. The funding does not extend to replace lost or damaged books or resources which must be replaced by Parents/Guardians. There may be some additional classroom resources that are not covered by the scheme.

In addition to schoolbooks and workbooks, the following will be supplied to all Junior Cycle Students at no cost to parents:

- School Dialann (journal)
- 1 copybook for each subject
- 1 mathematics copybook
- 1 science hardback copybook

- 1 display A4 plastic folder
- 1 music copybook/manuscript per student per Junior Cycle year (Music Students)
- Ledger book (Business students)
- A4 hardback copy (Engineering students)

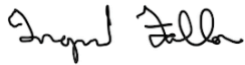
Students will purchase the following depending on the option subjects they have selected:

- Textiles pack (Home Economics students): €20.00
- Two 2H Pencils, masking tape (Wood Technology students): €3.50
- 10 litre plastic box (Engineering students): €10.00

Students will have a number of paid apps on their iPad and access to Studyclix which will also be paid for by the school.

The school looks forward to your child returning in August and to working together to ensure they have a happy, positive and successful educational journey in Holy Family Community School.

Yours sincerely,



Ingrid Fallon,
Principal

2nd Year Booklist 2024/2025

Core Subjects

Subject	Book
English	Classes Avoca & Erne: Drama – ‘The Merchant of Venice’ Novel – ‘Trash’ Classes Blackwater, Fergus and Nore: Drama – ‘Julius Caesar’ Novel – ‘The Outsiders’ Classes Corrib & Liffey: Drama – ‘The Merchant of Venice’ Novel – ‘Of Mice and Men’
Mathematics	Linking Think 2 by Gill Education (HL) Linking Think 2 by Gill Education (OL)
SPHE	SPHE - Health & Wellbeing 2 Edco 2024 (eBook)

Option Subjects

Subject	Book
Business	Time for Business – 2 nd Edition
French	Allons Y2 by Educate.ie (eBook)
German	Gefällt Mir 2 (Text & Workbook) (eBook for Textbook and Physical Workbook)