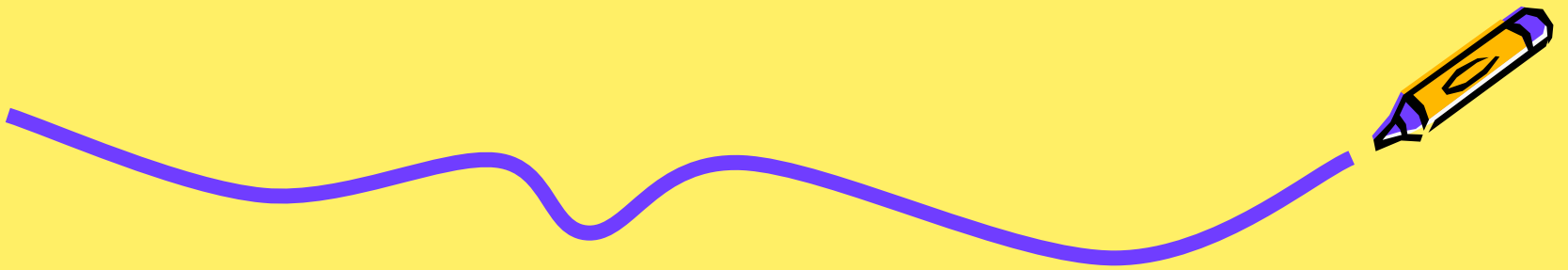


Curriculum and Assessment



Year 8



- Classes of 24
- Mixed ability
- Where possible, each child has someone of the same sex from the same primary school.



Subjects

In Year 8 all students study:

- Religious Education
- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- Geography
- History
- French
- Spanish
- Irish
- ICT
- Library
- Music
- Drama
- Home Economics
- Technology
- Art
- Physical Education
- Swimming
- Pastoral
- LLW



Subjects

In class groups of 24 or 20

- Religious Education
- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- Geography
- History
- French
- Spanish
- Irish
- ICT
- Library
- Music
- Drama
- Home Economics
- Technology
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Subjects

Year 8 pupils have one period of

- Religious Education
- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- Geography
- History
- French
- Spanish
- Irish
- ICT
- Library
- Music
- Drama
- Home Economics
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Subjects

3 Pastoral Periods (Form class)

- Religious Education
- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- Geography
- History
- French
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Includes

Learning for Life and Work. (LLW)

Citizenship

Employability

Personal Development



Year 9 and 10



- Pupils choose a second language - Spanish or Irish.
- Form classes are rearranged according to language choice **ONLY**



Assessment



- Formal and Informal
- Formal -
 - continuous assessment
 - School exams in
December and June



Reporting



- One Parent-Teacher meeting each year.

Thurs 17th November (3.45 pm - Assembly Hall)

- Reports issued after each set of exams.
- Christmas Report (Computerised)
- Summer Report (Written comments)



Computerised Reports

Contains results and progress indicators



Maths	65	Year Av 60	Effort B
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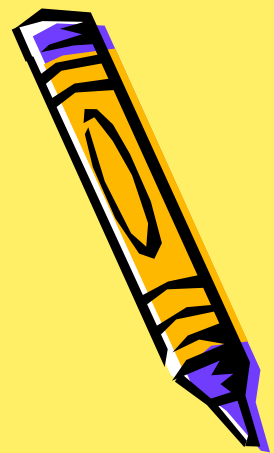
Report Books

The Summer Report gives:

- a mark in each subject
- the Year Average for each subject
- a comment by each subject teacher
- comments on skills - communication, using mathematics & using ICT
- General comment by Form Teacher



TRANSPORT



- Bus contract is between Parents and Ulsterbus.
- Parent should contact Ulsterbus directly regarding any problems with service.
- Ulsterbus - 70325400



TRANSPORT

- **Bus passes**
 - Issued on 1st September
 - Must be carried at all times
 - £20 charge for replacement
 - Temporary pass obtainable from office.



TRANSPORT



- Bus passes
- **Bus Prefects**
 - Senior students
 - On all buses
 - There to help!
 - Help maintain courtesy and manners



TRANSPORT



- Bus passes
- Bus Prefects
- **Bus Timetables**
 - Issued on Open Day
 - Copies available from office
 - Teething Problems
 - Don't miss bus! (Ballymoney 3.18pm)



TRANSPORT

- Bus passes
- Bus Prefects
- Bus Timetables
- Extra-curricular activities
 - Started this week
 - 3.30pm - 4.30pm
 - Late bus to Depot 4.20pm
» (4.30pm)



TRANSPORT



- Bus passes
- Bus Prefects
- Bus Timetables
- Extra-curricular activities
- **Safety**
 - Extreme care at Bus Stops
 - All school rules apply when travelling to and from school
 - Individual seats
 - Seat belts must be worn



TRANSPORT



Any problems - let us know

