



KILLINA PRESENTATION SECONDARY SCHOOL

Rahan, Tullamore, Co. Offaly.

Junior Certificate Exams 2019

29th April 2019

Dear Parents / Guardians,

As we approach the end of the school year and the beginning of the State Examinations, I wish to draw your attention to the following:

1. Junior Cert exams begin on Wednesday 5th June. Enclosed is a copy of their exam time-table and you should familiarise yourself with the timetable for your son/daughter. It is very important that all students attend on time for each exam. Students arriving late may not be allowed into the exam centre. Bus Eireann buses will operate during the exam period.
2. The normal school rules apply during the period of the exams and **full school uniform must be worn for the duration of the exams.** As always students should not have mobile phones on them during exams and while in school.
3. Students should come fully equipped for the exams, e.g. Calculator, mathematical sets and a good supply of pens and pencils. Students should remain in the exam centre for the full duration of each exam session. Please discuss this with your son/ daughter and strongly encourage them to remain in Exams for the full duration. A record will be kept of students leaving early.
4. In an effort to maintain the appropriate atmosphere and to minimise all unnecessary noise and distraction, any student leaving the Exam Centre early must go directly to the office so that they can contact home and organise to be collected. The school is not in a position to provide supervision during state exams. **You are therefore requested to collect your son/daughter at the finishing time of the morning exam each day or when contacted if your son/daughter leaves the Exam Centre early.**
5. If a student has an afternoon exam only they should be dropped to the school 10 to 15 minutes before that exam is due to commence.
6. All 3rd year students are required to return all books given to them through the book rental scheme. Books should be returned in a bag with the students name on the outside and left into the school. All books must be returned at the end of the examinations.
7. As a number of 6th year students are driving to school, I would request that parents/guardians ensure that your son/ daughter does not take lifts from fellow students.

Examinations students can continue to use their lockers during Examinations but these must be emptied on completion of Exams. When lockers are emptied the lock must be left on the student locker. Books rented through the book rental scheme must be returned as per the instructions of the teachers who administer the scheme. Where books have not been returned or the lock has not been left on the student locker, the costs of their replacement will need to be made.

On behalf of all the staff, I would like to take this opportunity to wish all our students every success in their examinations.

With every good wish for an enjoyable summer,

Yours sincerely,

John Cotter
Principal



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State Examinations Commission

JUNIOR CYCLE EXAMINATION

TIMETABLE 2019

Each candidate should note carefully the dates and hours, as fixed on this official timetable, for the examinations in the subjects in which he/she intends to present himself/herself. The Commission will not be responsible for any errors which may occur in the reproduction of this timetable by outside agencies. Candidates are required to be in attendance at least half an hour before the examination begins in the subject in which they first present themselves.

Junior Cycle candidates must indicate their final choice of subject level not later than 15 March 2019.		
JUNE	SUBJECT H = Higher Level O = Ordinary Level F = Foundation Level	TIME
WEDNESDAY 5	English - H & O	9.30 – 11.30
	Civic, Social & Political Education - Common Level	2.00 – 3.30
THURSDAY 6	Irish - H - Paper 1 (incl aural)	9.30 – 11.30
	Irish - O (incl aural)	9.30 – 11.30
	Irish - F (incl aural)	9.30 – 11.30
	Irish - H - Paper 2	2.00 – 3.30
FRIDAY 7	Geography - H & O	9.30 – 11.30
	Environmental and Social Studies - H & O	9.30 – 11.30
	Mathematics - F	2.00 – 4.00
	Mathematics, Paper 1 - O	2.00 – 4.00
	Mathematics, Paper 1 - H	2.00 – 4.30
MONDAY 10	Mathematics, Paper 2 - O	9.30 – 11.30
	Mathematics, Paper 2 - H	9.30 – 12.00
	Science - Common Level	2.00 – 4.00
TUESDAY 11	Business Studies - Common Level	9.30 – 11.30
	Technology - H & O	2.00 – 4.00
	Italian - H & O	2.00 – 4.30
	Ancient Greek - H & O	2.00 – 4.30
WEDNESDAY 12	French - H & O	9.30 – 12.00
	History - O	2.00 – 3.30
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THURSDAY 13	Home Economics - O	9.30 – 11.30
	Home Economics - H	9.30 – 12.00
	Religious Education - H & O	2.00 – 4.00
FRIDAY 14	German - H & O	9.30 – 12.00
	Latin - H & O	2.00 – 4.30
	Classical Studies - H & O	2.00 – 4.30
MONDAY 17	Technical Graphics - O	9.30 – 12.00
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	Materials Technology (Wood) - H & O	2.00 – 4.00
TUESDAY 18	Spanish - H & O	9.30 – 12.00
	Metalwork (Materials & Technology) - O	2.00 – 3.30
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WEDNESDAY 19	Music (Listening, Composing & General Study) - H & O	9.30 – 11.30
	Jewish Studies - H & O	9.30 – 12.00

The start date for the 2020 Examinations will be Wednesday 3 June.