THE BUZZ

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DEAR STUDENTS,

The days lengthen and the nights shorten. We have entered the final straight of what has been a historic year. We hope you enjoyed the mid-term break 4th and 5th years and that you had a chance to indulge in the joys of youth. 6th years, we hope you have a lovely mid-term break and a well deserved rest after your mock exams. We wish you all the very best for the last few months of term. Maintain the focus you have shown thus far this year and success will be yours!

Kind regards,

Yvonne, Liam and Hugh.



STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Congratulations to 4th Year Student Millie McCabe who has been chosen as a finalist for the Leinster region in ActionTalks. ActionTalks is a national speech writing competition run by ActionAid and open to all students aged 14 to 17 years old. Millie was one of five chosen out of 134 students to take part in the regional final. *Best of Luck Millie!*





SEACHTAIN NA GAEILGE







Tá Seachtain na Gaeilge ag tosú an tseachtain seo agus beidh sé ar siúl go dtí an 17ú Márta. Beidh seanfhocail ar na scáileáin timpeall na scoile agus beidh tráth na gceist againn ag am lóin Dé Luain, 7ú Márta i seomra 2-3.

Déan iarracht cúpla focal a úsáid le do chairde agus le do mhúinteoirí pé uair is féidir. Beatha teanga í a labhairt!

Seachtain na Gaeilge starts this week and will run until the 17^{th} of March. We will have Irish sayings and proverbs on the digital screens and a Quiz next Monday the 7^{th} , at lunchtime in room 2-3.

Why not try a few words with your friends and your teachers whenever you get the chance. The life of a language is to speak it!



MASTERCLASSES

This week's Maths Masterclass topic is Probability



This Thursday, March 3rd - Maths with Aidan Roantree. It is for **6**th years and will be live online at 6pm. Link is on Moodle.





WELCOME BACK STUDENTS.

We hope you had a lovely midterm break 4th and 5th years and we hope you are currently enjoying yours 6th years - much needed after your exams. The guidance counselling team are looking forward to supporting you with any future planning and/or challenges you may be facing in the term ahead. Please sign up for an appointment on the guidance noticeboard or drop in any morning 8.30-9.30am.

STUDY IN THE UK - 5TH YEARS

5th years who are interested in applying to study in the UK, don't miss this week's webinar. We will give an overview of the application process and applications consultant, Roxanna Harrop will give hints and tips on what you should be doing to prepare now. With the first deadline being October 15th, it is key for 5th years to start their preparation this year. As always, 4pm on Wednesday, link is on Moodle.



SCHOLARSHIPS

Have you checked or applied for the scholarship options that are open to you? Many colleges and universities around the country are now accepting applications for the wide range of scholarships they provide. You can search through all of these scholarship options on the excellent scholarship tool on careers portal. https://careersportal.ie/scholarships. Check out their useful video guide showing how to use the scholarship tool.

TRINITY MATRICULATION EXAMS

The closing date for applying for the Trinity College Matriculation Exams in Geology and/or Biblical Studies is tomorrow, March 1st. It is an online application. The link is on the TCD website as well as on the Guidance noticeboard. TCD expect that the exam will take place in person this year on the 20th of April.

EVENTS



2nd March at 15.00pm & 5th March at 12.00pm -Maynooth University Campus Tours

Have a areat week!

Management (on campus)



4TH & 5TH YEARS

Please call into the 1st floor school office to sign up for the online HPAT Introduction course for 4th & 5th Years, which is on Saturday the 12th of March.



Driving school takes place this week for 4th Years on Wednesday the 2nd March – at the Mondello Race track.

SAVE THE DATES: Driving school will also take place on the 14th and 30th of March.

4th Year Carlingford Adventure Centre outing: Friday 11th March.

