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Congratulations to 6<sup>th</sup> Yr student Sinéad Farrell and the rest of the U20 Girls Irish Mountain Running team. The U20 Girls team shone brightly in The British & Irish Mountain Running Championships, on Saturday the 14<sup>th</sup> of September, capturing the Team Bronze with standout performances. The Championship took place in Glendalough, Co. Wicklow. The event showcased challenging terrain that included steep ascents and fast grassy downhills which tested the endurance and skill of every participant. Sinéad is pictured below.

### k STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Well done to 5<sup>th</sup> Yr Thomas Hayden and 6<sup>th</sup> Yr Cindy Wang who travelled to London as finalists in the John Locke Global Essay competition. Thomas and Cindy attended the academic conference on Saturday the 21<sup>st</sup> of September at Grosvenor House, Hyde Park. Thomas was awarded a merit in the Philosophy Category and Cindy a merit in the Economics Category. All of the essay prizes are judged by a panel of senior academics drawn from leading universities including Oxford and Princeton. Thomas and Cindy are pictured below.













#### HI STUDENTS,

We hope you all enjoyed your wellbeing day on Friday. Remember, there's loads of support available so if you need anything at all, please reach out. A reminder that you can make a guidance appointment anytime by signing up at a time you're free (study/lunch) using the QR codes. We look forward to working with you.

#### **CAO HANDBOOKS**

CAO handbooks are in a very user-friendly interactive flip-book download format. Download the flip-book at www.cao.ie/handbook or scan the QR code on the guidance noticeboards.

#### UCAS

Well done to students for getting their Oxbridge, medicine, veterinary and dentistry UCAS applications in by today's internal deadline. If anyone who's planning on applying for the UCAS OCT. 15th deadline missed today's internal deadline come to see a guidance counsellor urgently please.

#### **THURSDAY TALKS**



This week's Thursday talk is on Engineering. As always, HG1 at 12.30.

#### **OPEN DAYS**

Here's ten reasons why we feel you should not miss Open Days: 1.Attend invaluable talks on courses you're considering

- 2.Eliminate any options that don't suit you
- 3.Meet the lecturers and tutors
- 4.Chat to current students
- 5.Learn about modules
- **6**.Get a feel for the campus
- 7.Explore the facilities and amenities
- 8.Decide if it's the right fit
- 9.Get answers to all your questions

10.Freebies!



#### Have a great week, your Guidance team





This Thursday, Oct  $3^{rd}$ , we have a Masterclass in Economics on the Budget 2025 with Rob. It is for  $6^{th}$  yrs and is live online at 7:00pm. *Link is on your Moodle*.

## CANTEEN OPEN!

The school canteen opens this week and is only for Institute students and staff. It offers excellent coffee at a great price (see image below) and great quality food.

The Special this week is Gourmet Sandwich of the day and cup of soup for  $\in 6$ .

Our Canteen is located just past the Hatch Street junction across the road. Look out for the "Institute" blue Canteen sign! The opening hours are 8am to 4pm. Gillian and her team look forward to making your day just a little bit better!



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### **REVISION CLASSES**



Once a month Roisin will run a Biology revision class on a Monday for 5<sup>th</sup> years. **October's class is online today** at 5:30pm. The topics are Food, Cell Structure and Diversity Cell Division / 5:30pm / *Link is on Moodle* 



Every Monday we have a revision class in Economics with Rob. It is for  $6^{\rm th}$  years in HG-0 / 4:30-5:30pm



with Aidan. It is for 6<sup>th</sup> years in H1-0 / 3:30-4:30pm. This week's topic:Quadratic roots, rational, irrational, transformations of graphs

Every Thursday, we have a revision class in Geography with Lesley. It is for 6<sup>th</sup> years in L1-0 / 3:30-4:30pm. Lesley covers a new topic each week.



very Mon, Tues, Wed and Thurs we have revision lasses in HL Maths with Hilary. It is for 6<sup>th</sup> years in HG-1 7:55 to 8:27am.