



29th April, 2024

## 6th Year Graduation Day - 16th May, 2024

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

As we approach the final weeks of the term for our 6th Year students I would like to applaud our 6th Years on their exemplary behaviour to date. Each and every student has been a pleasure to work with and has made the school a richer place.

### **School Attendance**

It is imperative that our 6th Year students continue to attend school every day as courses are still being finished and teachers are also focusing on exam technique and marking schemes. It is disruptive to classes if students arrive late to classes or miss sections of the day. It is also of utmost importance that the atmosphere in the school remains calm and structured throughout these last weeks to create an environment conducive to preparation for their final exams.

#### Additional After School Classes

There will be additional classes available for all students after school over the coming weeks.

Subject	Content	Day/Date
English	Paper 1	Wednesday 1st May
Irish	Paper 1	Tuesday 7th May
Maths	Paper 1	Wednesday 8th May
English	Paper 2	Thursday 9th May
Maths	Paper 2	Monday 13th May
Irish	Paper 2	Tuesday 14th May
English	Paper 2	Wednesday 15th May

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We have worked hard on planning our 6th Years' final weeks in Our Lady's to ensure that they are recognised and celebrated appropriately through the Graduation breakfast and the Mass of Thanksgiving.

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### **Graduation Breakfast**

We look forward to inviting the 6<sup>th</sup> Years to a Graduation breakfast on the morning of the 16<sup>th</sup> May. This will take place after the rehearsal and final preparations for the graduation that morning. The graduation rehearsal will take place at 8.30am followed with a breakfast. This breakfast will be organised by the 6<sup>th</sup> Year Form team.

## **Graduation Mass of Thanksgiving**

We are also inviting 2 members of each 6th Year's family to mark the graduation of our 6th Year students on May 16th at 4.30pm sharp. Graduation will begin with a Mass of Thanksgiving in the Sports Hall followed by the presentation of Graduation folders. The Parents' Council will host a Graduation reception from 5.30pm concluding at 6.30pm.

# Students will attend this graduation evening in their school uniform.

The Summer term in 6th Year is a very special time for the group. We, the staff, look forward to joining with them in celebrating their time with us and with each other in Our Lady's School. We know the community in OLS has benefited from their positive contributions over the past 6 years.

Yours sincerely

Marguerite Gorby Principal