Kilkenny College: Welcome to Open Day 2024





CELEBRATING 50 YEARS
OF CO-EDUCATION





A 50 acre site outside the city









A Co-educational boarding & day School



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Our Team for Today

- The Principal Ms. Emma Raughter
- The Deputy Principals Mr. Aubrey O'Keeffe, Ms. Claver Ryan and Ms. Valda Langrell
- Chief Operations Officer: Mr. Murt Larkin
- The First Year Head − Ms. Mary Wilkins
- The College Nurse: Ms. Irene Henebry
- Heads Of Boarding:

Mr Pieter Swanepoel, Ms Fiona Prendergast

Representative from SEC (Room 30-11.30am & 3.30pm)

A Church of Ireland diocesan school





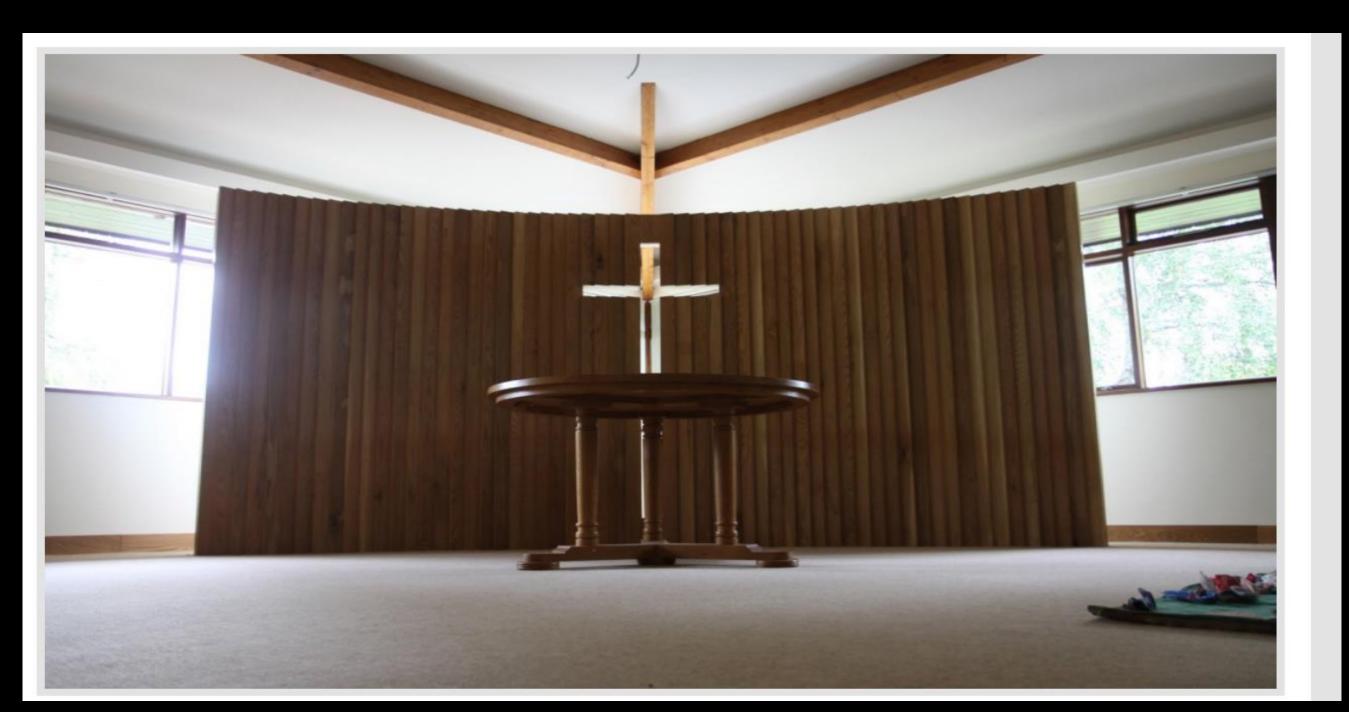
DIOCESE OF CASHEL, FERNS AND OSSORY

(United Dioceses of Cashel, Ferns, Leighlin, Lismore, Ossory & Waterford)

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A faith-based co-educational boarding & day School





Kilkenny College Mission Statement

A Church of Ireland College, which endeavours to offer an education of the highest standard and broadest range within the context of the development of its Christian, cultural and sporting heritages.'



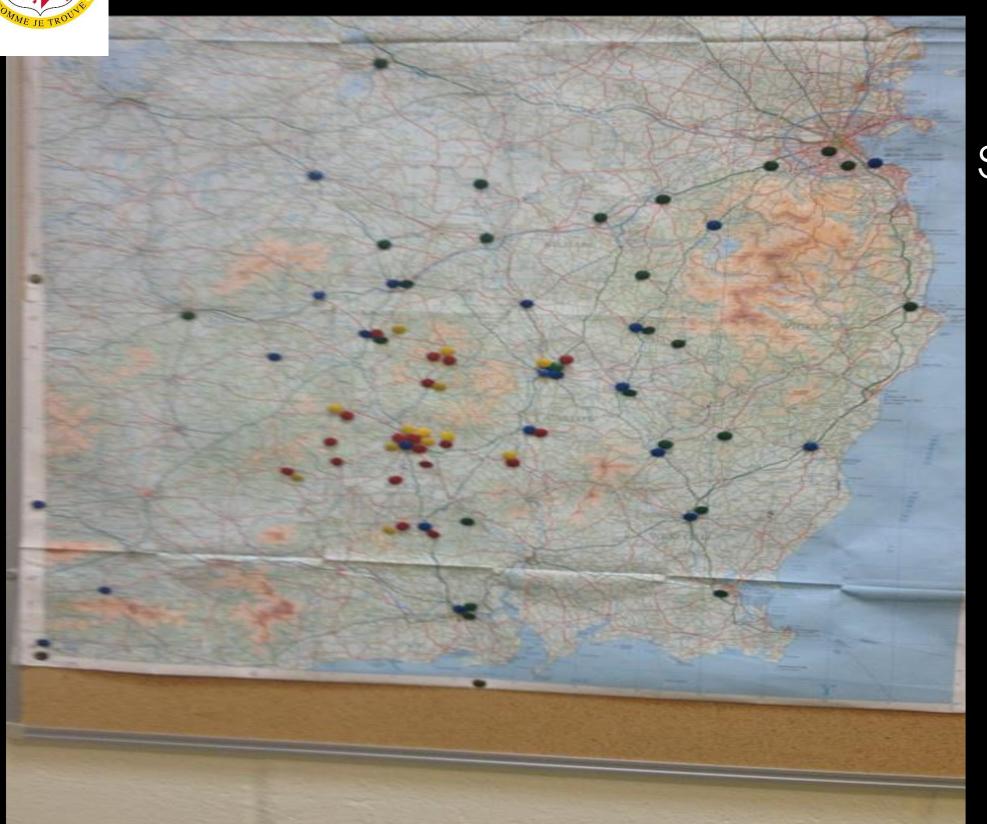
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'Each person who studies and works here is a valued member of the College community & is encouraged to make a positive contribution to the life of the school & well-being of others.'





Serving the South, East and Midlands across Cashel, Ferns and Ossory



Students from 12 counties



Places available in 1st Form

- A maximum of 76 Boarders (38 Boys and 38 Girls)
- A maximum of 84 Day pupils (42 Boys and 42 Girls)
- All places offered on the same day as the other schools in Kilkenny City and for the same offer window of 10 days.
- Kilkenny College places offered on a round-by-round basis until 160 places have been accepted
- Places offered as per the College Admissions Policy



Admissions Procedures

- Intention to Enrol Form
- Application Window for 1st year 2024/25 is open from: Monday 1st October until 22nd October 2024
- IMPORTANT: The applications will be made online. An enrolment link will be made available on www.kilkennycollege.ie
- Applications received after the window closes will be marked as "LATE"



Admissions Procedures

- Offers will be made based strictly on the criteria as stated in our Admissions Policy
- Please complete application form carefully to ensure that Admissions criteria are correctly applied to your application
- Please upload any relevant documents via the Application Portal (Parish form)
- When you submit your application, you will receive an application ID number as proof of application



J 056-7761544 ■ admissions@kilkennycollege.ie

Application Form for Form 1 2025/26 Applications open until 22-Oct-2024 Select language: English ~ Please fill out all of the following fields BEFORE you start your application. A link to your application will be emailed to you from noreply@enrol.school (PLEASE ALSO CHECK YOUR SPAM FOLDER). Parent/Guardian first name: Parent/Guardian surname: Student's full name: Raughter Abigail Raughter Emma Parent/Guardian mobile phone number: Parent/Guardian Email Address: Confirm email address: 0567761544 info@kilkennycollege.ie info@kilkennycollege.ie Next

Student Details

Application Form for Form 1 2025/26

Applications open from 17-Sep-2024 until 22-Oct-2024

Select language:



Thank you for starting to fill out an application for this student. In case you dont get to finish this now, a link to complete the form has been sent to your email address from noreply@enrol.school

Please also check your junk or spam folder in case this email has been misdirected.

Declaration

Submission of the Application Form does not guarantee a place. Pupils are offered places in accordance with the Kilkenny College Enrolment Policy (see website Kilkenny College). You have already completed an 'Intention to Enrol' Form. This is an application form for admission and does **not** constitute an offer of a place, implied or otherwise. Use of the word 'student'throughout this Application Form does **not** imply that the person on whose behalf this application is being made is regarded as having been accepted as a student of Kilkenny College. A copy of our Admission Policy can be found on our website Kilkenny College

Student Details

Please indicate belov	v, whether this	place is for a	Day or	Boarding Place
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Boarding Place

Student's First Name

Alex

Student's Surname

Raughter

Student Details

Student's Date of Birth	
01/01/2012	
Gender	
• Male	
O Female	
Student's PPS. No.	
2312365k	
Mother's Maiden Name (required by Department of Education & Skills)	
Murphy	
Religious Denomination (please specify, Christian not sufficient)	
Church Of Ireland	
Student is a member of which Parish	
St. Canices	
Please list siblings who are currently attending Kilkenny College or are past pupils of Kilkenny College (if not ap	plicable please insert n/a)
N/A	

Details of Parent/Guardian

Parent/Guardian Details

Details of Parent/Guardian	
Parent/Guardian No. 1	
First Name	
Emma	
Surname	
Raughter	
Home Address	
No.1, High Street, Kilkenny, Co. Kilkenny R95 C12P	
Daytime contact No.	
0567761544	
Mobile No.	
08765312565	
Email Address	
admissions@kilkennycollege.ie	
Year left Kilkenny College (if applicable)	
dd/mm/yyyy	

Other Information

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Please list the names of all other Schools where you have also applied. N.B. Failure to disclose all information may lead to an offer being withdrawn.

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- 1. Church of Ireland applicants from within the United Diocese of Cashel, Ferns and Ossory*
- Children who themselves are members of other Protestant churches or Reformed traditions of Christianity being members of the Irish
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 Diocesan area*.
- 3. Church of Ireland applicants from outside the United Diocese of Cashel, Ferns and Ossory*
- 4. Brothers and sisters of pupils currently attending the School or who are past-pupils.
- 5. Children of all permanent members of staff with a minimum of 3 years' service not included in categories 1 3 above.
- 6. Children not included in any of the categories above who are a child of a parent who is a past-pupil of Kilkenny College. This category is capped statutorily at a maximum of 25% of the places offered for entry each year.
- 7. Pupils who have attended a Church of Ireland school for at least 3 years.
- 8. All applicants who are members of other recognised faith traditions in Ireland.
- 9. All applicants of no religious affiliation.

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Certificate of Parish Membership

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Please upload a signed copy of Certificate of Parish Membership here

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Upload Documents & Final Submission

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Important information for Parents/Guardians
A separate Application Form must be completed for each child. The Admissions Policy and procedures are formed and conducted in lie with relevant legislation Should a place be offered, you will be asked to sign and Enrolment Agreement Form and to pay a Booking Fee to confirm your acceptance of the offer. Prospective parents/guardians should read the Kilkenny College Code of Behaviour and will be asked to confirm acceptance of this before accepting a place and paying the Booking Fee.
Please see the Application Form Privacy Notice here; Application Form Privacy Notice
Acknowledgement of Parent/Guardian
In registering this application, I understand that this does not guarantee a place for entry in Kilkenny College. If accepted for entry I undertake for myself and for the applicant, to observe the rules and regulations of the school.
I have read and understand all of the above information
O Yes O No
Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Name



Admissions Procedures

- Offer of Places will be made by email on Wednesday 6th November (12 noon)
- All applicants will receive correspondence either with an offer of a place or informing you that your child is on the waiting list
- Closing Date for the acceptance of an offer is Friday 15th November 2024
- Any places not accepted will then be offered in subsequent rounds according to the order on the Waiting List.



Schedule for Enrolled 1st year Students

- 1st March 2024: Assessment Tests for enrolled students (same date for all schools in Kilkenny)
- March 2024: Scholarship exams for enrolled students (provisionally scheduled for 6th March)
- April/May 2024: Information Meeting for Parents of enrolled students
- June 2024: Introduction to Boarding Taster evening for enrolled Boarding Students
- Late August 2024: Start of term for Enrolled 1st year students



A school which sets and maintains high standards



A school which values the Arts, Humanities and Sciences



Transition Year Musical Sister Act Waterfront Theatre, Kilkenny April 2024







A school where young people can grow in a secure and safe environment





A school that promotes Wellbeing for all



A day out with friends



Extracts from Child Protection Inspection report-to be published in late September 2024

- "A strong sense of community"
- "first year students welcomed the opportunity to spend one night in the boarding facility during the summer period which provided them with an insight into life as a boarder"
- Parental feedback was "very complimentary about the boarding facility"

















A school where young people can grow and become who they were created to be.





Leaving Certificate Results 2024

- The Average CAO points score per pupil at Kilkenny College was 475. The National Average was 410.
- 155 students sat the exam.
- 625 points = 7 students
- 600+ = 19 students
- 500+ = 68 students (43.9%)
- 77% (119) of students attained 400+CAO Points Nationally 51.8% in 2023



Scholarships/Awards (2023-24)

As you go on your tour, you will see examples of the many awards/scholarships that have been awarded to Kilkenny College alumni in recent years.

In the past twelve months alone, the following university awards/scholarships have been awarded to 18 former pupils of Kilkenny College:

- Trinity College (Entrance Exhibition Awards)
- University College Dublin (Entrance Scholar Awards)
- University College Dublin (Ad Astra Scholarship)
- Dublin City University (Academic Scholarship Awards)



Our Aim:

- The best facilities and pastoral teams in any co-educational boarding and day school in Ireland
- A comprehensive range of education provision and high quality teaching
- An outstanding range of sporting and non-sporting extra activities
- The ideal location for a young person to grow, learn and mature



DES Inspection: September 2019

- The quality of teaching evident was Very Good. Teachers love their subject, love teaching. Respectful at all times. Teachers know their students. The trait of care and wellbeing was very evident. They shared high expectations with students and the belief that 'we can all do this and succeed together.'
- DES Inspection: 12th September, 2019



DES Inspection: September 2022

- . "All teachers created a vibrant learning environment where learners were appropriately challenged and set high expectations of students in terms of knowledge and skills development"
- "An impressive array of co-curricular and extra-curricular activities is available to students and these are provided by both the music department in addition to external tutors. These include vocal and instrumental lessons, jazz band, chamber choir, pop choir, junior and senior choir, liturgical ceremonies and open days. The level of provision is highly commended."
- DES Inspection: 22nd September, 2022



Facilities at Kilkenny College

7 fully equipped Science Laboratories

4 modern fully equipped computer rooms

On Line projectors in all classrooms.

Specialised areas are fully computerised

Re-furbished Library

Specialised Technical, Music and Art Rooms



Recent Development Projects in Kilkenny College

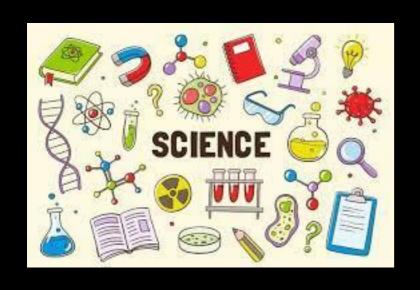
- Solar Panels installed on Sports Hall roof, now generating electricity for our school community (37.8% of our electricity needs since Feb 2023, equivalent to a reduction of 55.3 tonnes of CO2)
- Installation of a new heating system across the entire school at a cost of €1.1 million (completed in Oct 2023)
- Music & Arts Building-Layton Building opened in May 2024 (€2.03 million)

Breadth of Choice















The Curriculum at Kilkenny College

- > A Six Year cycle school
- Junior Cycle based on sampling all subjects, then making Choices
- Core and practical subjects for all
- SEN provision in line with NCSE procedures
- > 4th Form / Transition Year for all
- An eight-subject framework for Leaving Certificate



All First Year pupils sample the following subjects

- Technical Graphics
- Applied Technology
- Wood Technology
- Engineering
- Business Studies
- Home Economics
- Art
- Music
- Wellbeing







How 1st Form classes are divided

Classes are mixed ability, Boarder/Day and girls/boys mixed.

Some Core subject classes are set later in the year or in Form 2.

Pupils can sample all subjects and choose languages (from French, German, Spanish).



We are a Green School





A school that values rural life: Tractor Run



Funds raised for various charities.

Kilkenny College Open Day 2024

