

Summer Programme – Information for Parents/Guardians and Students

May 29th 2024

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s) & Student,

We are looking forward to the Summer Programme at Our Lady's 10th to 21st of June. The theme of our programme this year is "Building Confidence and Connection". We hope students will enjoy the range of activities which have been planned and that our focus on teamwork and confidence building will support students as they continue their second-level education at Our Lady's.

Several excursions have been planned for the programme including a hike up the Devils Bit, Lough Boora Discovery Park and a trip to Kilkenny. We expect that the excursions will be both enjoyable and worthwhile experiences for students. Please ensure consent forms for excursions (to be distributed to students on the first day - 12th June) are returned as soon as possible. *If your child is not attending any of the trips it is important to note that there will be no option to remain in school as all teachers will be traveling to each trip.* Please take note of the following:

- 1) The summer programme will start at 10am each day and conclude at 3pm. (1pm on Friday's)
- 2) Students should wear comfortable clothing e.g. track suits for the duration of the summer programme. Additionally, as some of the activities are taking place outdoors each day it is advisable to apply sunscreen in the morning prior to arrival at school.
- 3) Students should bring a snack and a packed lunch each day. Additional snacks will be provided by the school.
- 4) The planned activities on site will incorporate woodwork and metalwork working on Fairy trail community project, Practical Science Experiments constructing Bug Hotels, Artificial Intelligence, Nutrition & Cookery, Health & Fitness.

With kind regards,

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