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Book List for 1st Years 2025-2026

Book list below is for information only

Core Subjects - All students will take these subjects through their Junior Cycle.

Subject	Books & Materials
Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Linking Thinking 1 Junior Cycle Maths</i> by James Trimble, Aisling Quirke and Audrey Byrne - Gill- <i>Maths & Formulae Book</i>- <i>Casio FX82 Calculator</i>
Gaeilge	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Mol An Óige 1</i> - Dermot Lucy & Stacy Stout - Gill Education
English	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Touchstone 1</i> - Clare Madden - Edco
Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Exploring Science for the New Junior Cycle (New edition)</i> by Michael O'Callaghan, Orlan Molamphy, Ger Reilly & Pat Doyle - Edco
History	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Making History-Complete Junior Cycle History</i> by Dermot Lucey - Gill
Geography	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Cyclone</i> by Stacey Kenny & Andrew Horan - Gill- <i>1A4 Hardback copy</i>
Religion	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Beliefs in our World</i> by Gary Carley and Paula Finnegan - Gill - (2nd Edition)

Language - All students will be assigned one language, French or Spanish for their Junior Cycle.

Subject	Books & Materials
French	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Tous Ensemble 1</i> by Dervla Murphy - Folens (New edition)
Spanish	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Aprendemos 1</i> by Elaine Higgins - Folens - (2017 edition, pink book)

Wellbeing - All students will have classes in the following subject areas.

Subject	Books & Materials
SPHE	- <i>SPHE for Wellbeing Book 1 - Stephanie Mangan - Folens</i>
PE	- <i>No book required</i>
CSPE	- <i>Make a difference CSPE for Wellbeing - Conor Harrison Mairin Wilson - Folens</i>

Taster Subjects - All students will sample these subjects in First Year but will select only two of them for Second and Third Year. Subject Choice for Second Year takes place after Christmas in First Year.

Subjects	Books & Materials
Art	- <i>Materials supplied by school</i>
Technical Graphics	- <i>H Pencil and eraser</i> - <i>1 set of colouring pencils</i> - <i>2 x drawing clips, A2 Folder, Full size: 60'/30' Set Square & 45' Set Square, Protractor, Compass</i>
Music	- <i>Materials supplied by school</i>
Business Studies	- <i>Time for Business - Joe Stafford Siobhan O'Sullivan Ultan Henry & James Cumiskey Edco</i>
Applied Technology	- <i>Applied Technology Theory & Practice - Peter Cusack & Richard Foudy</i>
Wood Technology	- <i>Wood Technology Theory & Practice - Peter Cusack & Richard Foudy</i> - <i>1 x A4 Hardback copy, Pencils (2H & HB), Colouring pencils</i>

Diaries & Lockers - All students in First Year will receive a School Diary and Locker during First Year Induction. Students are expected to bring their own locks for lockers

Please note that steel rulers and Tippex are forbidden