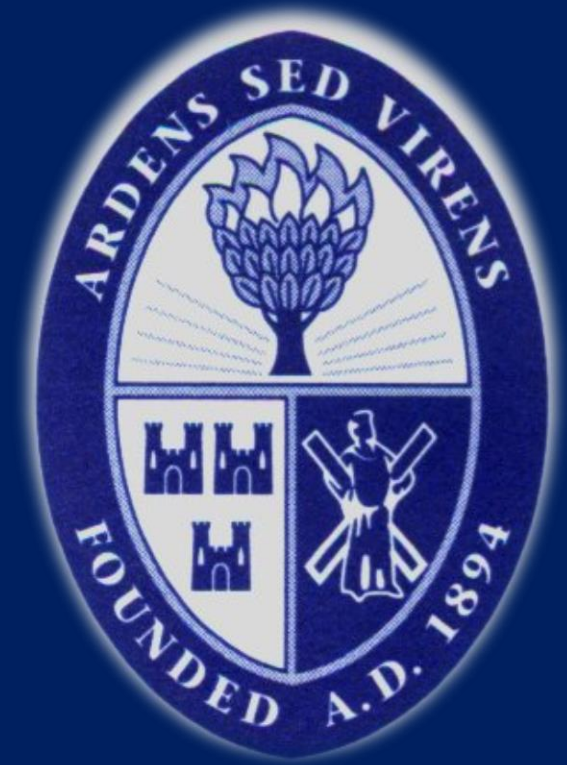


Transition Year

St. Andrew's College

2024 - 2025



Junior cycle application form

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 Roll Class :

Candidate Name:

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Examination No:

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If you are repeating the Leaving Certificate, please mark X in box

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Performing Elective ☐

Listening Elective ☐

Composing Elective ☐

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Signature of Candidate

Date

SECTION E: COMPLETION BY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL ONLY

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- There is an individual form for each student
- A photocopy will be sent home with each student
- Check the form
- The original will probably be completed in school – awaiting final instructions from examinations commissions

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and levels. There is no
change to the level allowed
after this form is
submitted. Most are now
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**If you are doing
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subject outside of
school – add it
here**

INSTRUCTIONS

1. **USE A BLACK BALL POINT PEN WHEN WRITING ON THIS FORM.** Do not use any other colour ink, or pencil or highlighter pen as they are incompatible with the technology in use.
2. **SECTION A:** Check that your name spelling, date of birth, PPS number and gender details are correct. If an amendment is required, you should write the amended details clearly in the spaces provided using **BLOCK CAPITALS.**
3. Check carefully the subjects listed in section B. For each subject listed that you will **not** be sitting place 'X' opposite that subject in the WITHDRAWN box.
4. **SECTION C:**
 - (a) If you wish to change the level that you will be sitting from that shown under "current", please place 'X' under the appropriate level.
 - (b) If you require an Irish version of the question paper, please place 'X' in the appropriate box.
5. If you discover that you have inserted an 'X' in error you should draw a circle around it thus **ⓧ** and insert 'X' in the correct box(es).
6. **SECTION D** must be completed where you wish to be examined in a subject not listed in Section B - See list of subjects and subject codes beneath. Do not forget to indicate "Level Option" and "Paper Version"
7. Sign and date the form at Section D, having carefully checked that your examination entry details are correct.
8. **Having signed the form hand it back to a member of the school staff.**

Data Protection

The State Examinations Commission (SEC) is a registered data controller with the Office of the Data Protection Commissioner. Your personal information, including that provided in this entry form, shall be processed in accordance with the provisions of the Data Protection Acts and solely processed for the purposes of the administration of your participation in the State Certificate Examinations. The SEC will not hold onto your personal information for any longer than necessary and most of your information will be confidentially disposed of/deleted at the end of the annual examinations cycle. When you complete your examinations the SEC will retain your examination results for the purposes of reissue at a later stage should that be necessary. The SEC will provide your Leaving Certificate results to the Department of Education and Skills and to the Central Applications Office which processes applications for entry to third-level institutions. Other than this your personal information will not be disclosed to any external third party without your consent, except where necessary to comply with statutory requirements or where an organisation is acting as an agent of the SEC. You have the right to request a copy of your personal information as well as, in certain circumstances, the right to erase or correct any inaccurate or incomplete personal information held by the SEC. By signing this form you are giving your consent to the SEC to process your personal information as required for the purposes of the administration of your participation in the State Certificate Examinations.

SUBJECT CODES AND TITLES

001	IRISH	039	SWEDISH
002	ENGLISH	049	FINNISH
003	MATHEMATICS	058	JAPANESE
004	HISTORY (LATER MODERN)	059	ARABIC
005	GEOGRAPHY	065	TECHNOLOGY
006	LATIN	067	MUSIC
007	ANCIENT GREEK	071	DESIGN (ART)
008	CLASSICAL STUDIES	072	CRAFTWORK (ART)
009	HEBREW STUDIES	096	HISTORY (EARLY MODERN)
010	FRENCH	098	HOME ECONOMICS S & S
011	GERMAN	099	RUSSIAN
012	SPANISH	223	RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
013	ITALIAN	462	LINK MODULES
017	DUTCH	547	CZECH
018	PORTUGUESE	548	POLISH
019	MODERN GREEK	549	LATVIAN
020	APPLIED MATHEMATICS	550	LITHUANIAN
021	PHYSICS	551	HUNGARIAN
022	CHEMISTRY	552	ESTONIAN
023	PHYSICS & CHEMISTRY	553	ROMANIAN
024	AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE	554	SLOVAKIAN
025	BIOLOGY	557	MALTESE
026	AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS	558	SLOVENIAN
027	ENGINEERING	559	BULGARIAN
029	CONSTRUCTION STUDIES	562	DESIGN & COMMUNICATION GRAPHICS
032	ACCOUNTING	567	CROATIAN
033	BUSINESS	568	POLITICS AND SOCIETY
034	ECONOMICS		
038	DANISH		

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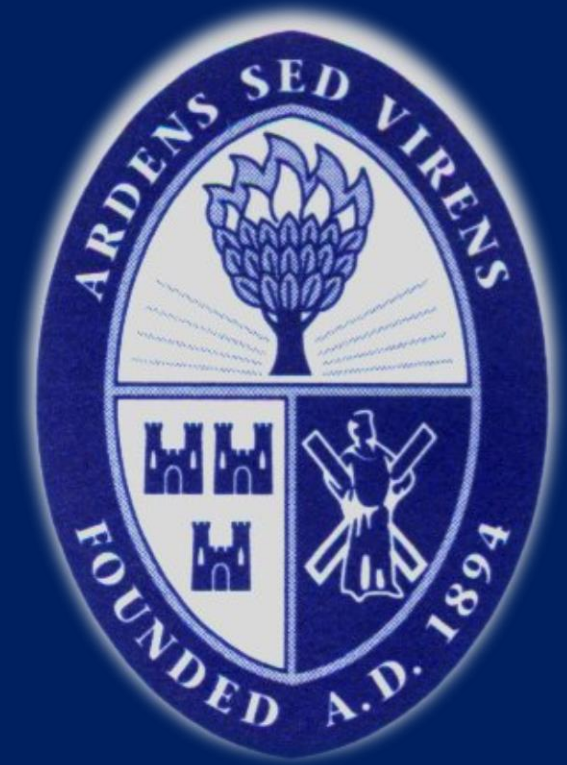
- **Talk at home about levels now (many now common level)**
 - **in case of concern contact the subject teacher, they cannot change once selected on the form**
- **Any queries about Junior Certificate please email Mr Hehir**
 - **examinations@st-andrews.ie**

Junior cycle application form

Transition Year

St. Andrew's College

2024 - 2025



STRUCTURE OF THE YEAR

35 weeks of school

Adventure /
Culture Trip

Language
Exchanges
(Provisional)

Work
Experience

Examinations

Continual
Assessment

Camping
Trips

European
Trips

Workshops



Transition Year Timetable 2023 - 2024

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
P1	English	Irish	Extended Core	Skills	Skills
P2	Language	Maths	Extended Core	Skills	Skills
P3	SPHE	Extended Core	Language	Language	Maths
P4	SPHE	Extended Core	English	English	Irish
P5	Option C	Language	Irish	Option B	Option D
P6	Option C	Language	Maths	Option B	Option D
P7	Option A	English		Irish	Outward Bound / PE
P8	Option A	Lectures		Maths	Outward Bound / PE
P9	Option A	Lectures		Maths	Outward Bound / PE



Core Subjects

English

Irish (Irish Culture/American Studies)

Maths

Modern Foreign Language



Extended Core Subjects

Accounting, Business, Economics

Biology, Chemistry, Physics

Religion & Biblical Studies

Classical Studies

History

Geography / Geology



OPTIONS

Option A	Option B	Option C	Option D
Coaching	Architecture	Applied Maths	Beginner French
Crafting / Upcycling	Computer Aided Design	Bridge / Card Games	Beginner Spanish
Culinary Arts	Culinary Arts	Creative Writing	*Coding
Martial Arts	Film Studies	Philosophy & Psychology	Enterprise
Modern Dance	Journalism	Photography	Film Studies
Performing Arts	Legal Studies	Podcasting	Interactive French
Sports Acrobatics	Sociology and Anthropology	Politics	Interactive Spanish
Strength & Conditioning	Sports Science/Psychology	Visual Arts	Philosophy & Psychology
Visual Arts	Yoga	Yoga	Research
World of Rugby			Salsa



WORLD OF RUGBY

- Open to both girls and boys
- Practice and theory of the game of rugby
- Improve skill levels and game understanding
- core skills (practical)
- positions specific skills (practical)
- history of the game
- video analysis
- laws of the game

St Andrew's College



THE PERFORMING ARTS

- music performance
- (song and instrumental)
- drama
- musical theatre (combining dance, singing and acting on the stage)
- music technology
- music culture

SUBJECT CHOICES

Options Form - due 5th Feb

- Option A
- Option B
- Option C
- Option D
- Extended Core
- Modern Foreign Language

Soccer

Gym

PE

Tennis

Jumpzone

Walking

Indoor Rock Climbing

Outdoor Rock Climbing

Orienteering

Hillwalking

Kayaking

Friday Afternoon



SCHOOL TRIPS



- Start of Year Trip
- Camping Trips - 1st & 3rd Term
- Language Exchanges (French/Spanish/German)
- European Trips
- Model United Nations trips
- Uganda

The President's Award (An Gaisce)

One-Act Drama Festival

Grapevine

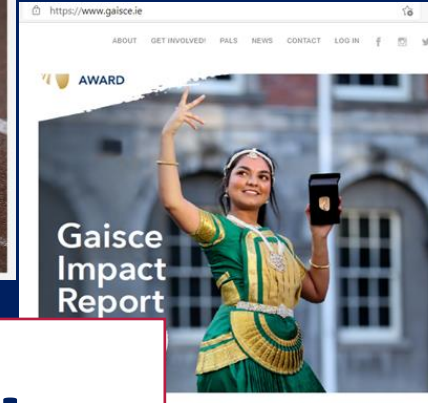
The Wine Dark Sea

Model United Nations

Young Scientist

Sports (curricular and extra curricular)

Think Languages



Winter Fair

U Live

School Musical

Barista Courses

First Aid Training

Work Experience

Workshops

International Night/

International Week

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES



Thinking of others

Uganda Project

Down Syndrome Centre

Christmas hampers

Shoebox Appeal

Run in the Dark



Portfolio Assessment

1st Portfolio Assessment - December

2nd Portfolio Assessment - May

- **Transition Year Projects**
- **Work Experience**
- **Lecture Notes**
- **Social Awareness Contribution**
- **Other Work**



End of Year Assessment

Reports

**Form Teacher
Recommendations**

**Subject Teacher
Recommendations**

**Involvement in
Activities**
(both curricular and
extra-curricular)

Attendance

**General Conduct
and Behaviour**

**Portfolio
Assessments**

**Special Transition
Year Projects**

Work Experience

Lecture Notes

**Social Awareness
Contribution**

Things to think about

- **Options form due Tuesday 5th Feb**

Options subjects A-D

Extended Core Sampling Subjects (4 to sample during year)

Language

- **WORK EXPERIENCE**

2 Weeks in February / March

2 Weeks in May / June

Garda Vetting

Work Experience and garda vetting

- 2 blocks of work experience on the calendar
- lots of individual (worthwhile) opportunities spread throughout the year

Garda Vetting

- Only relevant when you turn 16
- Usually only relevant if employer requests it
- Must be applied for through school
- Might take a long time to process (can be up to 8 weeks)
- Forms available at reception – will require passport

Parental feedback

Get involved. Play Sport. Be prepared for friendships to change/move and be open to forming friendships with others.

Try something new and/or something they have always wanted to do - Get involved - Say Yes to everything! - It's a short year

Organise work experience early

Give your son/daughter more responsibility; they should check notice boards, know when events are happening, be in the right uniform etc

Step back and allow your child to be more independent and sociable

There is lots to offer but the students must put themselves forward to get real value from the programme

A green road sign with a white border and rounded corners is mounted on two wooden posts. The sign features the word "Opportunity" in large, white, sans-serif capital letters. Below it, the word "Missed" is followed by a white arrow pointing left, and the word "Taken" is followed by a white arrow pointing right. The background is a bright blue sky filled with fluffy white clouds.

Opportunity



Missed

Taken



TRANSITION YEAR

**“You will get out of
Transition Year what you put
in”**

