



Nenagh College

1st Year Information Evening

Agenda



Curriculum

1:1 Devices

Pastoral Care

VS Ware

Communication with School / Parents

Way2Pay



School Day

- ▶ School begins each day @ 08.55 a.m. with registration.
- ▶ 1st year students should be in their Base Room at 08.55 a.m.

Timetable

Monday – Thursday

2 Periods x 60 minutes

Break 11.05 - 11.20

2 Periods x 60 Minutes

Lunch 13.20 -14.00

2 periods x 60 minutes

Friday

2 periods x 60 minutes

Break 11.05am – 11.20am

2 periods x 60 minutes

Junior Cycle

Core Subjects:

- Irish
- English
- Maths
- Science
- History
- Intercultural and Religious Studies**
- Wellbeing **

** Non – exam.

Plus three (3) option subjects:

- Visual Art
- Music
- Home Economics
- Wood Technology
- Graphics
- Engineering
- French
- Geography
- Home Economics

Options for Junior Cert. are chosen at end of October in First Year

- Wood Technology
- Graphics
- Geography
- Home Economics
- Visual Art
- Music
- Engineering
- Business
- French
- Geography

Preferences 1 - 3

Pilot Project for 2022/ 2023.

- ▶ Students get “straight down” to work on subjects they like.
- ▶ Aren't “subjected” to a full year subjects they don't like.

Options – First Year

- ▶ Students take each of the 9 options subject for full term
- ▶ 2 / 3 periods per week for 8 / 9 weeks.

Short Courses



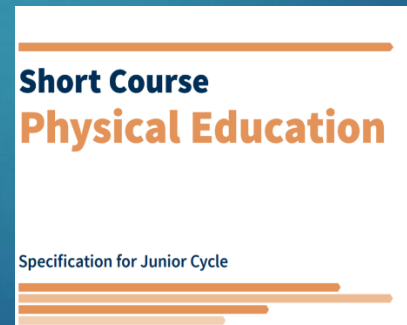
- ▶ New Concept examined for first time in 2018
- ▶ Digital Media Literacy / Coding and PE are the short courses taken in Nenagh College

Short Courses

- ▶ One Classroom-Based Assessment in each Short Course
- ▶ School reports to parents and students
- ▶ All assessment in Short Courses is school-based



OR



Your Child's Junior Cycle



5 Core Subjects

English

Irish

Maths

Science

History

3 Option Subjects

2 Short Courses

Wellbeing

An tSraith Shóisearach do Mhúinteoirí
Junior **CYCLE**
for teachers

Junior Cycle vision for wellbeing...

Student wellbeing is present when students **realise their abilities**, take **care** of their physical wellbeing, can **cope** with the normal stresses of life, and have **a sense of purpose** and **belonging** to a wider community

There is overwhelming evidence that students learn more effectively, including their academic subjects, if they are happy in their work, believe in themselves and feel that the school is supporting them.

Weare, K. (2000)

Subjects included in the Wellbeing Module

- ▶ PE
- ▶ SPHE
- ▶ Tutor Time
- ▶ CSPE





Lenovo Devices

MS. O MALLEY

Why 1:1 Devices for Nenagh College?



In 2021, Survey of Staff, Student and Parents– preference is for Nenagh College to become a 1:1 device school.



Our current first years, TY and 5th Years are using the devices to enhance their learning and to access their e-books.



Feedback from students and staff has been positive.



We are preparing our students for life after school

Nenagh College works closely with Wriggle for setting up, configuring and managing the device.



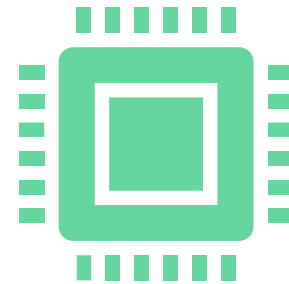
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WRIGGLE

What happens next



In March, the school will send you a link to the wriggle parent's pack.



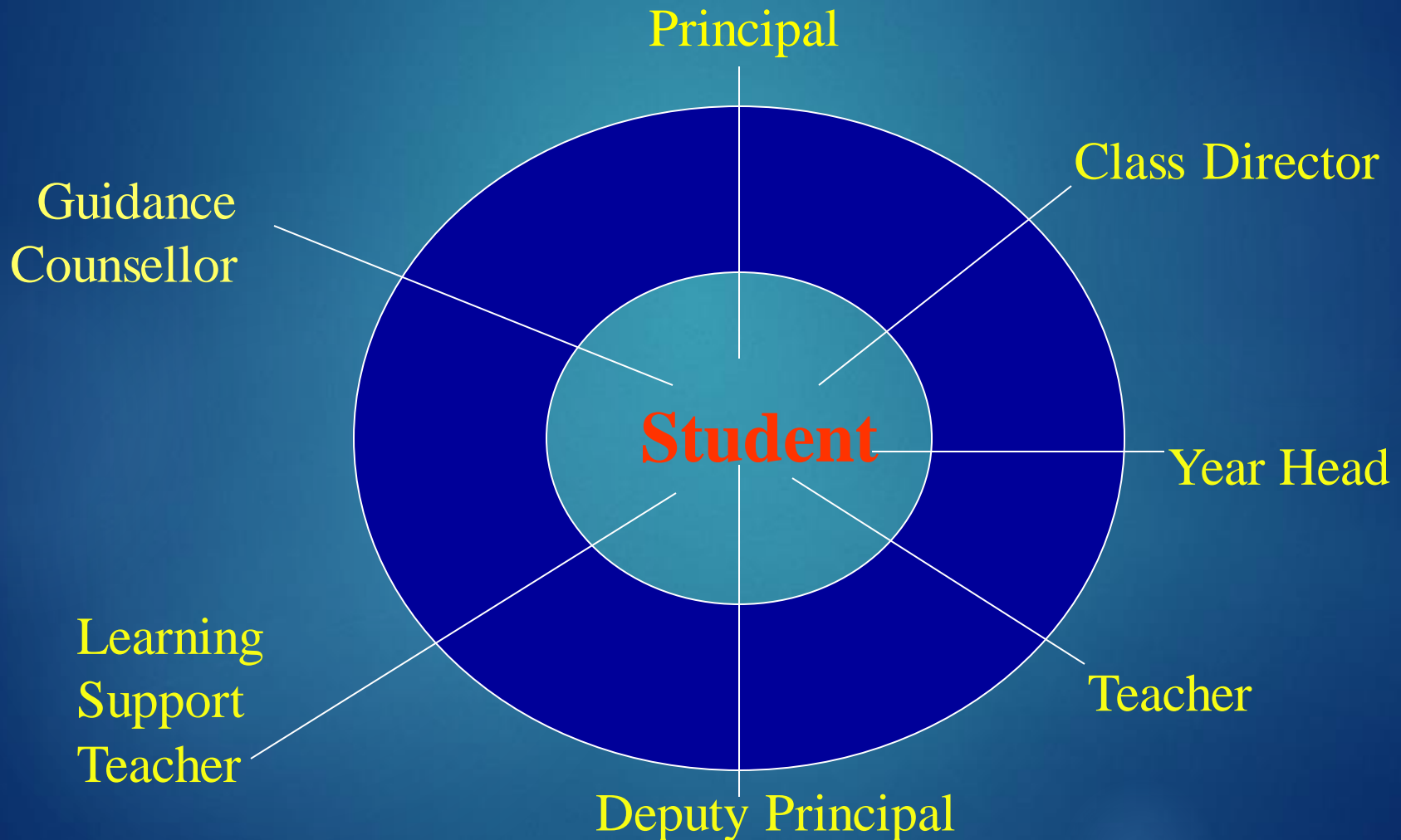
This link will have the website address and the store code to purchase your child's laptop.

Nenagh Credit Union

- ▶ Pat Naughton is familiar with this scheme and is available to answer any questions you may have in relation to a credit union loan.



Pastoral Care



Support Structures to assist First Years

Big Brother / Big Sister

Year Head / Directors

Induction Day

Alert Programme

Smaller Classes

Homework Club

Counselling Service

Homework Club



No Charge

4.00 – 5.30

Tuesday / Wednesday / Thursday

Fully Supervised – absences followed up in
“real time”

Parent E mail address as contact.



Additional Needs

- ▶ Identification
- ▶ Learning Support (One to one tuition & small groups)
- ▶ S.N.A.
- ▶ “Reasonable Accommodation” in state exams
- ▶ DARE (CAO)



Sport & Activities

- ▶ Camogie
- ▶ Athletics
- ▶ Basketball
- ▶ Badminton
- ▶ Soccer
- ▶ Gaelic Football
- ▶ Rugby
- ▶ Traditional Music
- ▶ Computer Room
- ▶ Green Schools
- ▶ Amber Flag
- ▶ Green Flag
- ▶ Choir

AEN / Special Class

- ▶ Any parent who wishes to share a concern regarding their child or entry to Special Class should contact the school and make an appointment to meet with Ms. Goulding or Ms. Devitt



Stephen O' Meara

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

Communication



- ▶ Critical to relationship between the School and Parents.
- ▶ We exhort Parents to engage with the procedures and protocols that are currently in place

What's available to you?

- ▶ VS Ware – You can view Timetable / Behaviour, Term Report and Attendance in “real time”
- ▶ Website.
- ▶ Text – a – Parent service and VS-mail

Protocols for “signing – out”

- ▶ Please **do not** contact your son / daughter directly on their mobile phones throughout the day.
- ▶ Main office can deal with or communicate any issues / messages you may have.
- ▶ Do not advise your child to "hold on" to their phone in cases such as not feeling well and may want to go home you may need to collect them during the day you need to remind them of an after- school activity or changes to pre - arranged plan.

New user friendly lock



Uniform / Boys & Girls

- ▶ Navy Pants – Navy Skirt is also an option for girls.
- ▶ Navy V – Neck Jumper (School Crest).
- ▶ White Shirt with Collar
- ▶ Black / Dark shoes.
- ▶ One pair of earrings – stud only.
- ▶ ***School Jacket is mandatory for any student enrolling in Nenagh College from September 2018.***
- ▶ Facial Piercings are not permitted

What is included in the Administration Fee.

- ▶ Materials for Engineering, Wood Technology and Visual Art
- ▶ Ingredients for Home Economics
- ▶ Insurance (24/7)
- ▶ Locker
- ▶ Journal
- ▶ School Jacket

Administration Fee

- ▶ ONCE ADMINISTRATION FEE IS PAID, JACKETS, LOCKERS, JOURNALS WILL BE ISSUED TO THE STUDENTS.
- ▶ PRACTICAL CLASS INGREDIENTS AND MATERIALS WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS UPON PAYMENT OF FEE.

1st Year Payment 24/25

- ▶ Incoming 1st Year Fee 24/25 is €300
- ▶ 2 Instalments of €150
- ▶ You will receive a text message to notify that payment is due.



BRÍD FITZGERALD

School Administrator

Way2pay



Nenagh College

Way2Pay

Methods of Payment



Phone...Via Text message Link



Website...Login...View/Make payments

Text Message



Text Message
Today 11:31

Test 1st year Payment, please
pay €100.00 by clicking on
[https://www.way2pay.org/
ParentLogin/ItemID/
EaZFSVVSk6xTLRdRpFC8Q/
SchoolId=161](https://www.way2pay.org/ParentLogin/ItemID/EaZFSVVSk6xTLRdRpFC8Q/SchoolId=161)
Thank you.

Verification

The screenshot shows a mobile application interface for 'Way2Pay'. At the top, the status bar displays 'Messages 30', '11:35', and '67%'. Below the status bar, the 'Way2Pay' logo is visible, with a 'Login' link in the top right corner. The main content area is titled 'Confirm Your Details' and contains the following text: 'Hello and welcome! This looks like the first time you have logged into our new application, we just need to confirm a few details below before continuing.' Below this, it says 'Please enter the last four digits of your Mobile Phone Number'. A label reads '* LAST 4 digits of your Mobile Phone No.:' followed by a text input field and a 'Submit' button.

Change Password



The screenshot shows a mobile application interface for 'Way2Pay'. At the top, the status bar displays '11:27' and '80%' battery. The app's logo is visible. The main content area is titled 'Confirm Your Details' and contains a welcome message and instructions for setting a new password. Below the text are two input fields for 'Password' and 'Confirm Password', followed by a 'Submit' button.

Confirm Your Details

Hello and welcome! This looks like the first time you have logged into our new application, we just need to confirm a few details below before continuing.

Please enter a new Password with at least, One Capital Letter and One Number. The password must be over 8 characters long

* Password

* Confirm Password

Submit

Pay Bill

The screenshot shows the Way2Pay mobile application interface. At the top, the status bar displays the time as 11:39 and the battery level at 59%. The app's logo, "way2Pay", is prominently displayed. Below the logo, there is a dark blue button labeled "Help Section, click here..".

The main section is titled "Pay Bills". It prompts the user to "Please select a school:" and features a dropdown menu currently showing "Nenagh College & Nenagh College of I".

A table lists the payment activities:

Activity	Pay Now?	Balance	Total
Test 1st year Payment	+ -	100.00	100.00

Below the table, the following information is displayed:

- * Currency: Euro €
- * Amount To Be Paid (€): 0
- * I agree to the [Terms and Conditions](#)
- * I give permission for this activity

At the bottom, there is a large teal button labeled "Pay By Card Online".

Pay Bill

way2pay.org

Help Section, click here..

Pay Bills

Please select a school:
Nenagh College & Nenagh College of I

Activity	Pay Now?	Balance	Total
Test 1st year Payment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	100.00	100.00

* Currency:
Euro €

* Amount To Be Paid (€):
100.00

* I agree to the Terms and Conditions

* I give permission for this activity

Pay By Card Online

Pay by Card



How to login using website:

- ▶ Log onto www.way2pay.org
- ▶ Navigate to the right hand side of the screen and select the “Login”.

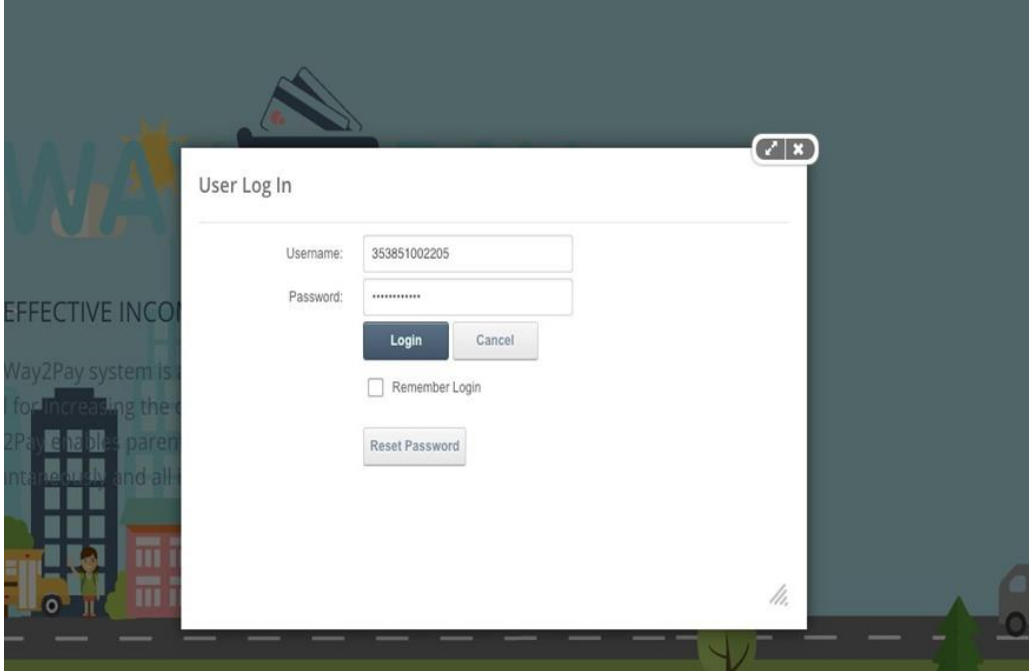


Login

How to login using website

Mobile number Enter for both “username/ password” options. Ensure the number entered is the number your school has on record and it is in 35387... format.

When the details have been enter, click “Login”



The screenshot displays a 'User Log In' dialog box. The 'Username' field contains the number '353851002205'. The 'Password' field is filled with ten asterisks. Below the fields are two buttons: 'Login' (highlighted in dark blue) and 'Cancel' (light grey). A checkbox labeled 'Remember Login' is unchecked. At the bottom of the form is a 'Reset Password' button. The background of the page is a dark grey illustration of a school building, a bus, and a person, with the text 'Way2Pay system is for increasing the' and '2Pay enables parent' visible.

Parent Dashboard

Eric O Brien Logout



Home

My Links



Pay Bills

view or pay outstanding bills



My Payment History

view historical payments



My Children's Activities

your children's current activities



Contact School

send the school an email



School Shop

purchase a uniform and other items



Lunch - Dinner Money

order and pay for lunches

Your Details

Name: Eric O Brien

Address:

Telephone: 353851002205

Email: 353851002205

Outstanding vs. Payments in last 30 days

Outstanding: €0



Paid: €2

Recent Payments

Activity Name	Amount Paid	Balance	Date
Trip to France	€2.00	€8.00	16/09/2015

Send an Email to your child's School

Select a School

Send Now

Enter your message...

NewsLetters

File Name



The Following information will be on school's website:

- ▶ School reopening schedule 2024.
- ▶ Calendar 2024 / 2025
- ▶ Way2Pay Schedule 2024 / 2025

School will be open for cash payments in August.

Thank you for attending our
Information Night!

