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Dear TY Parent

We hope this letter finds you and your family well. We appreciate that the Junior Cycle Exams can be very stressful for a house so we hope that all is going well and that everyone has a lovely summer.

We are just writing to inform you of some important information to ensure the smooth running of Transition Year next year.

1. Please note that TY students will wear their **PE uniform EVERY** day during TY. They must wear the proper and correct PE uniform and full details of this is available at <https://www.cmco.ie/information/uniform/> Please book your sports top early at Bourkes sports as supply will run low later in the summer.
2. Students will not be allowed to use their mobile phones during the school day. **This means that all students need a digital device (other than a phone)** for TY. Do not go out and buy new laptops. An older laptop or ipad will work just as well. A very clever and cost effective solution is to convert an old laptop to a chrome book - you can find more information on this at <https://chromeenterprise.google/os/chromeosflex/>
3. Books etc will be given to students when they return to school
4. Please note the return to school dates.  
Students who have been chosen as Le Cheile leaders are asked to be in school on Friday the 25th of August for the day. Please be in school for 8.45 that morning. All TYs return on **Tuesday the 29th of August.**
5. You will receive a link to pay your TY FEE of €450 via a text link during the summer.

A **deposit of €150** is expected by **June 16th**

The **balance of €300** is due by **August 18th**

- a. This fee covers:

Trips

Delphi Overnight Activity Package  
Adventure Journey (Overnight)

Day Trips

College Open Days

Online & Certification Programmes :

Careers Portal

BuildUp Maths

AIB Future Sparks

Dare2Believe Olympic School Programme

GAA Future Leaders

Bfiresafe@school

HSA Health & Safety Choose Safety Programme



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Workshops :

Develop Me  
Law Ed Workshop  
Fun Forensics  
CPR4Schools  
Craft Workshops

Activities :

Programme of PE Activities

b. This fee does not cover

Gaisce Application Fee  
International Trip

Please also note for your information the 1st week of **TY Work Experience** is **November 27th - December 1st** Inclusive.

If you have any further queries or questions please contact the office before the end of June and thereafter Miss Ann Conroy, TY Coordinator will be your point of contact for the year once the new school year begins.

Yours sincerely

Ann Conroy  
TY Coordinator