

OVERVIEW

The Sisters of Charity arrived in Baldoyle in July 1869, to begin their dedicated and caring work in the community. St. Mary's Secondary School opened its doors in September 1967 with an enrolment of 50 girls. In 1972 the secondary school moved to its present premises and began to enrol students from all over North Dublin. Extensive renovation and building work followed and today's school offers all the latest facilities and opportunities to its students. The school will be accepting first year boys in 2024.



UNIFORM

School jumper (Red crest: 4th - 6th year, White crest: 1st-3rd year), School skirt/trousers, White blouse, School tie, School scarf, School jacket, P.E. uniform, Green knee socks, low heeled black or brown shoes.



SUBJECTS

Junior Cycle: Irish, English, Mathematics, French, History, Geography, CSPE, Art, Business, Home Economics, Music, Religion, PE, SPHE

Senior Cycle: Maths, English, Irish, French, Art, Business, Economics, Biology, Chemistry, Geography, Home Economics, Music, Accountancy, Religion, PE, SPHE, Creative writing module



AT A GLANCE

- Number of students: 240
- Type of school: State schools
- School Gender: Mixed
- Ethos: Catholic
- Principal: Edel Greene



EXTRACURRICULAR

- Debating
- Choir
- Talent Show
- Tours
- Musical
- Circuit Training
- Tennis
- Badminton
- Soccer
- Table Tennis
- Sports Days
- Basketball
- Gaelic Football

FACILITIES

- School Hall
- Sports field
- Computer room
- Kitchen
- Canteen
- Basketball court



TRANSITION YEAR



In addition to core modules, students also get to take part in various modules including Public Relations, Hairdressing, Film Studies, Dance, Baking, Cultural Studies, Self Defence, Mini-company, Log-on Learning, Junior Achievement, School Bank, Gaisce - The President's Award (including optional adventure trip), Educational tours

Students also take part in a two week work experience programme which takes place near the end of the first term.

LOCATION

Baldoyle is located northeast of the city, and borders Donaghmede, which was formed from its western part, Portmarnock, Sutton and Bayside. It can be accessed from the coast road from Dublin to Howth which includes a cycle track from Sutton Cross via Station Road. Baldoyle is 20 mins from Dublin City Centre.

