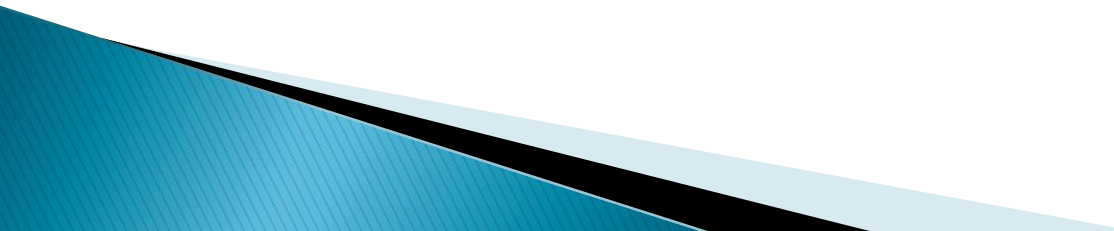


Guidance Counselling in St. Columba's College

- ▶ Ms. Eithne Sproule
- ▶ Ms. Catherine McNulty

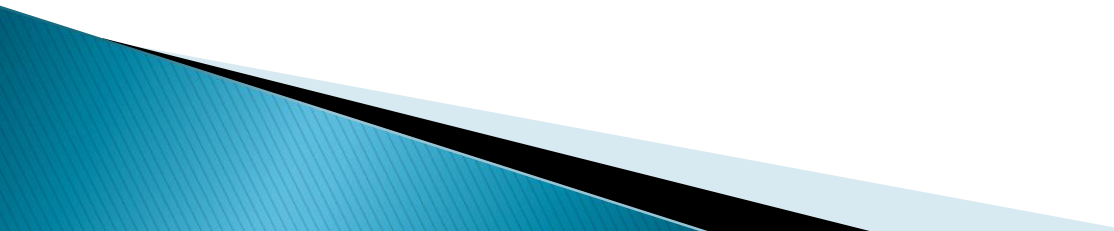
Guidance in School

- ▶ 1. Educational Guidance
 - ▶ 2. Career Guidance
 - ▶ 3. Social & Personal Guidance
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Guidance

- ▶ 1. Educational Guidance
- ▶ Assist students who have queries or concerns about subjects.
- ▶ Assist students to choose appropriate Subject Levels in junior and senior cycle.
- ▶ Inform students on Post Junior Cert choices:
 - *Transition Year
 - *Leaving Cert Applied
 - *Traditional Leaving Cert
- ▶ Subject Choice for Senior Cycle

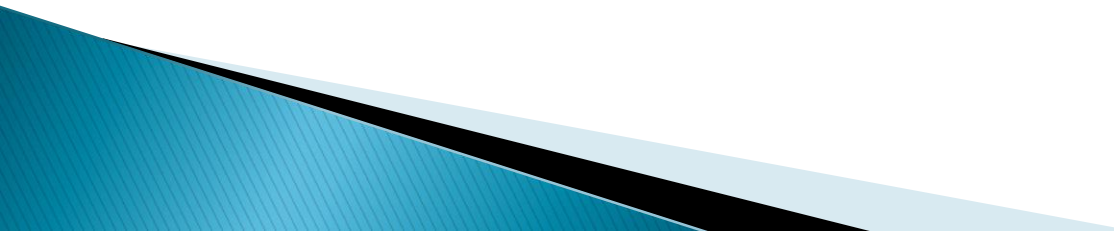
Guidance (Contd.)

- ▶ 2. Career Guidance
 - ▶ 5th & 6th year: Timetabled classes.
 - ▶ One-to-one appointments
 - ▶ Assisting Students to explore the choices available to them when they leave St Columba's.
 - ▶ Assisting students with applications.
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Guidance (Contd.)

- ▶ 3. Social & Personal
- ▶ Assisting all students with any personal problems/difficulties/concerns they may have in school or at home.
- ▶ Referral: Self, Parent, Teacher.
- ▶ Confidentiality.
- ▶ Our Role: To help and support students to cope better with what is going on for them.
- ▶ Referral to outside agencies

Involvement with First Years

- ▶ Settling-in period.
 - ▶ Meet all classes, introduce ourselves and explain our role in school.
 - ▶ Survey at end of first half-term to establish their needs and how they have settled in.
 - ▶ Visit classes before End of Term Tests in November/December with practical advice on preparing and on what to expect.
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First year classes

- ▶ Cathal
 - ▶ Caoimhe
- Ms. McNulty
- ▶ Ciaran
 - ▶ Catherine
 - ▶ Claire
 - ▶ Cormac
- Ms. Sproule