

Saint Mary's College Arklow



Our school is located in the centre of Arklow. It is a Catholic all girls school run by our principal Sr. Sior Cosgrove and our deputy principal Mrs. Byrne. There are nearly 600 students in our school ranging from the age of 12 to 18. There are 41 teachers in our school.

Most students spend six years in our school; five of these years are spent preparing for state exams. Many students opt to do transition year in their fourth year in the school. This is a year spent enjoying all kinds of experiences which are not exam related e.g. work experience, projects, adventure trips, tours, swimming

dancing etc. The students involved in Comenius are all in transition year.

In our school we wear a uniform. We wear a navy jumper with a white shirt, a kilt and knee high navy socks or navy tights. We also have to wear black shoes. Most schools in Ireland have uniforms and they have to be worn by students in every year in secondary school.

This is our Comenius class on our trip to the Leinster House (this is where our government sits)



We have lots of extra-curricular activities in our school such as hockey, basketball, football, rugby, athletics, badminton, choir, orchestra and debating.

Last year our senior basketball team won the all Ireland under 19 competitions.



Our senior choir also won an all Ireland choir competition last year.

