

**St. Mary's Secondary School
Nenagh**

**First Year Book List
2017/2018**

IRISH:	*Book to be decided in September Graiméar an Draoi (Ed.Co.) Foclóir (Fallons)
ENGLISH:	*Great Expectations 1 (Book and Portfolio) by Catherine Ledden (educate.ie) Wonder by R.J. Palacio (Novel) English Dictionary
MATHS:	*Active Maths 1 2015 Project Maths Exam & Activity Book (Set) Calculator: Fx-83GT Plus <i>or</i> Fx-85GT Plus
FRENCH:	*Allons-y 1 by Lisa Bergin & Linda Fogarty (educate.ie) Oxford School French dictionary
GERMAN:	*Viel Spass 1 (<u>New Edition</u>) (C.J. Fallon)
HISTORY:	*Discovering History – Patsy McCaughey (Mentor)
GEOGRAPHY:	*Geography in Action by Norma Lenihan & Jason O'Brien (educate.ie) (Textbook and Workbook)
BUSINESS STUDIES:	*A Time for Business (Textbook and Workbook) – EdCo
HOME ECONOMICS:	*Learning for Life (Folens) 2 nd Edition – C. Enright/M. Flynn
SCIENCE:	*Essential Science (including Workbook) & free eBook by Kennedy, Lawlor & Finn (Folens)
RELIGION:	*Know The Way – Orla Walsh
ART:	€40 for materials
MUSIC:	Recorder 40 pocket folder for music sheets 3 <u>small softback</u> Nature Study copies (stuck together)
TECHNOLOGY:	€30 for materials A4 Graph Copy
C.S.P.E.:	*Make a Difference – Book and Workbook (Folens) (3 rd Edition)
S.P.H.E.:	Health & Wellbeing SPHE 1 (Educational Company)
TECHNICAL GRAPHICS:	60 pocket folder for Drawing Sheets Graphics & Project Maths drawing equipment €15 (available in school only)

**Items marked with an asterix are included in the Book Rental Scheme*

INSURANCE: This school recommends to Parents/Guardians that student insurance at a cost of €9.00 per annum be purchased – this gives a 24 hour cover for school and leisure activities.

ADMINISTRATION CHARGE: €120 per student
(to cover photocopying, postage, lockers and other administrative costs, also includes the School Journal).

We would invite parents to assist with the effective running of the school by paying the €120.00 administration charge as early as possible. Office staff will be available to take this money from **Tuesday, 8th August 2017**. Journals and School Insurance can also be obtained at this time.

UNIFORM: School Uniform available from **Sixty Three, 63 Kenyon Street, Nenagh and Slatterys, Pearse Street, Nenagh:**

- Royal blue V neck pullover with long sleeves and crest inset
- White shirt and school tie
- Royal blue skirt – inverted pleat and knife pleat on either side at the front and plain back
- Shoes: Low heeled black shoes. Black decks acceptable
Runners not allowed except for P.E./Clubs
- Stockings: Black or grey knee socks or tights

RETURN TO SCHOOL DATES:

Friday, 25th August 2017: 1st Years Induction – 9.30am to 12.30pm
Meetings in the afternoon

Monday, 28th August 2017: 5th Years, 6th Years & LCA – 9.00am to 1.00pm
Meetings in the afternoon

Tuesday, 29th August 2017: 2nd, 3rd, 5th, 6th Years & LCA – 9.00am to 1.00pm
Meetings in the afternoon

Wednesday, 30th August 2017: Second Day for 1st Years
Transition Years return and all other classes as normal
Full Day

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

The School Calendar 2017/2018 will be available on our new school website, which is due to launch shortly, www.stmarysnenagh.ie.

Please note school will be closed for students on the following dates:

Friday, 8th December 2017
Friday, 4th May 2018

The 1st Year Parent/Teacher meeting is scheduled for Thursday, 1st February 2018 (time will be confirmed by text).