# Supporting Attainment in the Senior Phase



An information guide to support your child's learning at this important stage.

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This guide will provide information to support your child's learning during their senior years at school.

# PLEASE ENSURE YOUR CHILD MAKES USE OF THE ADVICE AND INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THIS BOOKLET

#### Details of the following items are contained within this booklet:

- SQA Subject Arrangements for N5, Higher and Advanced Higher
- A list of when Departments are offering Twilight classes

#### We would be grateful if you could encourage your child to:

- attend Twilights, Masterclasses and open study sessions
- plan their revision carefully taking into account any upcoming assessments
- make use of the additional resources supplied by departments and the school

Throughout the year we will post useful information on our school website and school app.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you require any further information.

#### **Twilight Classes - How to Boost Your Grades**

#### What Twilight Class is all About!

- Twilight allows you to support your home revision not replace it
- Twilight allows you to go through Past Papers with a teacher to help with corrections and get handy tips on how to answer questions
- Twilight allows you to ask questions and get a deeper knowledge of parts of the course you are struggling with
- Twilight is not about re-teaching the course there's not enough time
- You might even get to borrow revision resources that aren's on your classes GLOW site
- Twilight is not the place where you should be doing homework, but you can ask for help while there

#### Twilight Classes in Deans CHS - Lunchtimes and After School

Subject	Level	Day/s	Time	Other Information
Accounting	Н	Wednesday	3.30 - 4.30pm	
Art and Design	H + N5	Monday	3.30 - 4.30pm	Also on Thursday at Lunchtime
Biology	H + N5	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday	3.30 - 4.30pm	
<b>Business Management</b>	H + N5	Wednesday	3.30 - 4.30pm	
Chemistry	H + N5	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday	3.30 - 4.30pm	
Chemistry	N5	Tuesday	3.30 - 4.30pm	
DMG	H + N5	Monday	3.30 - 4.30pm	
English		Masterclasses		Check department for dates
French				January onwards
German				January onwards
<b>Graphic Communication</b>		Tuesday	3.30 - 4.30pm	
Hospitality		Tuesday	3.30 - 4.30pm	
Maths	H + N5	Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs	3.30 - 4.30pm	Also Masterclasses (check dept for dates)
Music		Monday - Thursday	lunchtime	Mon - Wed pm by arrangement with dept
Physical Education	H + N5	Thursday	3.30 - 4.30pm	January Onwards
Physics	H + N5	Tuesday, Thursday	3.30 - 4.30pm	
Physics	N5	Monday	3.30 - 4.30pm	
Social Subjects		Drop in sessions after school		Please see department
Spanish				By arrangement with department

# SQA Subject Arrangements for Nat 5, Higher & Adv. Higher

Nat 5 Subjects	Assignment	Performance	Portfolio	Question Paper	Duration of Question Paper
Administration	58%			42%	2hrs
Art & Design			80%	20%	1 hr 30 mins
Biology	20%			80%	2 hrs 30 mins
Business Management	25%			75%	2 hrs
Chemistry	20%			80%	2 hrs 30 mins
Computing	30%			70%	2 hrs
Design & Manufacture	56%			44%	1 hr 45 mins
Drama		60%		40%	1 hr 30 mins
English			30%	70%	Paper 1: 1 hr Paper 2: 1 hr 30 mins
Geography	20%			80%	2 hrs 20 mins
Graphic Communication	33%			67%	2 hrs
History	20%			80%	2 hrs 20 mins
Hospitality	75%			25%	
Mathematics				100%	Paper 1: 1hr 15 mins Paper 2: 1 hr 50 mins
Metalwork		70%		30%	1 hr
Modern Languages	12.5%	25%		62.5%	Paper 1: 1 hr 30 mins Paper 2: 30 mins
Modern Studies	20%			80%	2 hrs 20 mins
Music	15%	50%		35%	45 mins
Music Technology	70%			30%	1 hr
Physical Education		50%	50%		
Physics	20%			80%	2 hrs 30 mins
RMPS	20%			80%	2 hrs 20 mins
Woodwork		70%		30%	1 hr

Higher Subjects	Assignment	Performance	Portfolio	Question Paper	Duration of Question Paper
Accounting	33%			67%	2 hrs 30 mins
Administration	58%			42%	1hr 30 mins
Art & Design			77%	23%	2hrs
Biology	14%			86%	Paper 1: 40 mins Paper 2: 2 hrs 20 mins
Business Management	25%			75%	2 hrs 45 mins
Chemistry	14%			86%	Paper 1: 40 mins Paper 2: 2 hrs 20 mins
Computing	31%			69%	2 hrs 30 mins
Design & Manufacture	53%			47%	2hrs 15 mins
English			30%	70%	Paper 1: 1 hr 30 mins Paper 2: 1 hr 30 mins
Geography	16%			84%	Paper 1: 1 hr 50 mins Paper 2: 1 hr 10 mins
Graphic Communication	36%			64%	2 hrs 30 mins
History	27%			73%	Paper 1: 1 hr 30 mins Paper 2: 1 hr 30 mins
Human Biology	14%			86%	Paper 1: 40 mins Paper 2: 2 hrs 20 mins
Mathematics				100%	Paper 1: 1 hr 30 mins Paper 2: 1 hr 45 mins
Modern Languages		25%		75%	Paper 1: 2 hr 40 mins Paper 2: 30 mins
Modern Studies	27%			73%	Paper 1: 1 hr 45 mins Paper 2: 1 hr 15 mins
Music		60%		40%	1 hr
Physical Education		50%		50%	2hrs 30 mins
Philosophy				100%	Paper 1: 2 hrs 15 mins Paper 2: 1 hr 45 mins
Physics	20%			80%	Paper 1: 45 mins Paper 2: 2 hrs 15 mins
Politics	27%			73%	Paper 1: 1 hr 45 mins Paper 2: 1 hr 15 mins
RMPS	27%			73%	Paper 1: 2 hrs 15 mins Paper 2: 45 mins

Adv. Higher Subjects	Assignment	Performance	Portfolio	Question Paper	<b>Duration of Question Paper</b>
Biology	25%			75%	2 hrs 30 mins
Chemistry	23%			77%	2 hrs 30 mins
Design & Manufacture	60%			40%	2 hrs
English	30%		30%	40%	3 hrs
Graphic Communication	60%			40%	2 hrs
Mathematics				100%	3 hrs
Music		60%		40%	1 hr 15 mins
Physics					
RMPS	40%			60%	2 Hours

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