Extra-Curricular Activities in Loreto

In keeping with the aims of Loreto Grammar School a wide range and variety of extra-curricular activities have been established, in which teacher and student involvement are appreciated in enhancing the sense of belonging to and outreach to the community. A list of current extra-curricular activities is outlined below.

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| Accelerated Reading Literacy Initiative | Year 8 |
| Assertive Mentoring | All Year Groups |
| Athletics – cross country, indoor athletics, track and field | All Year Groups |
| Book Fair | All Year Groups |
| Chamber Choir | Years 10-14 |
| Choir Senior Students | Years 10-14 |
| Choir Junior Students | Years 8-10 |
| Creative Writing Competitions | All Year Groups |
| Debating Group | Years 11- 14 |
| Eco - Group | All year Groups |
| Equestrian Team | All Year Groups |
| Faith Team | Year 13 |
| French Vidéothèque | All Year Groups |
| French Speaking Club | Year 13 |
| Gaelic Year 8 | Year 8 |
| Gaelic Under 20; Under 16; Under 14 | Years 9 -14 |
| Heart Start | Year 8 |
| Home Economics Seasonal Cookery Clubs | Years 8-10 |
| Homework Club | All Year Groups |
| Ingenious Female Student Awards | Year 13 |
| Irish Club | Year 8 |
| Irish Inter-Schools’ Quizzes | Years 10 & 11 |
| Irish Peer Teaching Led | Years 8-9 |
| Irish Traditional Music Group | All Year Groups |
| JPIC Group (Justice, Peace & Integrity of Creation) | Years 13 & 14 |
| Key Stage 3 Christmas Craft Fair | Years 8-10 |
| Literacy Prefects | Year 14 |
| Liturgy Group | All Year Groups |
| Maths Challenge - Junior (JMC – Leeds University) | Year 8 |
| Maths Challenge - Intermediate (JMC – Leeds University) | Years 11 & 12 |
| Netball Minor | Year 9 |
| Netball Junior | Year 10 |
| Netball Intermediate | Year 11 & 12 |
| Netball Senior | Year 13 & 14 |
| Number Day - NSPCC | Years 11-12 |
| Pioneer Group | Years 8-14 |
| Politics Club | Years 8 & 9 |
| Pope John Paul ll Award | Year 13 |
| Prayer Group | All Year Groups |
| Primary School Art Programme | Year 13 |
| Public Speaking | All Year Groups |
| Reading Club | Years 8-10 |
| Reading Partnership Programme | Years 8-12 |
| School’s Fantasy League | All Year Groups |
| SENTINUS Robotics Roadshow | Year 9 |
| Social Skills | All Year Groups |
| SocSwat | Year 13 |
| South West College / Hanban Mandarin Chinese | Years 9-13 |
| St. Vincent de Paul Group | Year 13 |
| Spelling Bee | Year 10 |
| String & Woodwind Ensembles | All Year Groups |
| Student Council Representatives | All Year Groups |
| Student Investor (IFS School of Finance) | Year 11-13 |
| West Tyrone Feis – Poetry, Prose, Singing and Irish sections | All Year Groups |
| World Book Day | Years 8-10 |
| World Maths Day | Year 10 |
| Year Group Ambassador Project | All Year Groups |
| Young Enterprise | Year 13 |
| The EA Western Region provides peripatetic tutors. Currently we avail of the services of the Tutors for Strings, Woodwind and Percussion. They operate a rotating timetable so that students do not miss the same class each week. | All Year Groups |

New activities are added as the year progresses and new ideas emerge.

**Loreto GRAMMAR SCHOOL’S COMMUNITY LINKS**



This list is not exhaustive but is indicative of our extensive outreach to the community.