Resources & Facilities

- Three teaching classrooms and two Learning Support rooms
- Large recreational area, paving and grass
- General Purposes Room
- Interactive Whiteboards in every classroom
- 14 laptop computers for in-class use ICT is integrated across the curriculum
- Walking distance to St Fin Barre's Cathedral for special services
- Walking distance to Cork City and UCC for educational purposes such as UCC Science Week
- A very active Parent Association providing extra-curricular activities including Swimming, Soccer, Hockey and Athletics
- The Music Curriculum is enhanced by input from the Director of Music of St Fin Barre's Cathedral
- Each class from Junior Infants to 6th visits the Library on Grand Parade every 3 weeks

The Characteristic Spirit of our School

The School is a community where all pupils are equally valued and respected - irrespective of gender, social background, family circumstances. educational achievement. physical characteristics or intellectual functioning. Pupils experience a sense of caring and belonging, they are treated fairly and their spiritual, moral and religious development is encouraged, as is their intellectual, social and academic development. The School is a community where moral values such as honesty, truthfulness, justice, fairness, sensitivity to others and civic and national responsibility are nurtured and protected. It is the goal of the School to prepare its pupils to be responsible and active citizens of Ireland and Europe.



The School is part of the local Church Community and has strong links with St Fin Barre's Cathedral and Carrigrohane Union of Parishes. Pupils attend special school services in St Fin Barre's Cathedral and the Dean, the Dean's Vicar and the Rector of Carrigrohane visit the school and conduct assembly on a rota basis. The work of the School is conducted in an atmosphere of tolerance and respect for religious differences. The admission policy of the School permits those of other traditions to become pupils.

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Extracurricular Activities

School Location

School Timetable

8.10am	Gate opens
8.20am	Class begins
10.40-11.00am	Break time
12.30-1.00pm	Lunch time
1.10pm	School Finishes (Junior/Senior Infants)
2.10pm	School Finishes (1st — 6th)



A Green School

In St Fin Barre's School children are actively encouraged to be environmentally aware. The

school is involved in An Taisce's Green-Schools programme and has been awarded two green flags for Waste Management and Energy. The children are currently working on the theme of Water Conservation.

- Swimming takes place at Leisureworld, Bishopstown after school once a week
- Soccer training takes place at the Sports Village, Model Farm Road
- Hockey training takes place in school each Friday for classes 1st - 6th
- Hockey and Soccer matches are played on Saturdays
- Athletics training takes place in Summer term
- Extra Curricular activities have included Chess, French, Art and African Drumming
- Children take part in concerts, competitions, and quizzes
- Regular school outings to educational workshops, theatre and cinema



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