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First year BATH and BTh Students



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## LETTER FROM THE REGISTRAR



Dear Student,

Congratulations on obtaining a place in the Pontifical University, St Patrick's College, Maynooth.

You are most welcome as you commence your studies in this historic place. St Patrick's College, Maynooth is a great place to be a part of and I hope that your time here will prove to be one of enjoyment, discovery and personal enhancement. A mentor is available to first year students to help you make the transition to third level studies. If at any time you need assistance, support or advice on any matter, please do not hesitate to make an appointment to see the mentor, the Registrar or any member of the Theology Office.

This booklet is intended as an information package to help you in preparing for registration day and your first weeks at college. Please take the trouble to read it. It will help to facilitate your early adjustment to university life.

All new students should check the notice boards in Loftus Halls on a regular basis in order to ensure that they are up to date on all matters relevant to them.

Orientation and registration for first year BATH (Baccalaureate in Theology and Arts) and first year BTh (Baccalaureate in Theology) students takes place between Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> and Friday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2010 inclusive. Theology lectures begin on **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2010** in Loftus Halls. First year students will receive their lecture timetables when they register on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2010.

Getting your degree is obviously the most important part of university life but you can also have a great time while you do it.

May your time and work here be memorable, fruitful and enjoyable.

Yours sincerely,

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Michael Mullaney  
Registrar

September 2010

## REGISTRATION & ORIENTATION

**Orientation** takes place the week before lectures begin. It usually spans over three days. During these three days, first year students are given a tour of the campus and attend various talks to introduce them to the universities and to college life. The Pontifical University has close links with the National University of Ireland, Maynooth (NUIM). Students take Theology in the Faculty of Theology in the Pontifical University. For the Arts subjects, they follow the regular BA courses in NUIM.

Theology students have orientation with the Pontifical University – to introduce them to Theology etc., and they also have orientation with NUI Maynooth – to introduce them to the Arts subjects etc. Orientation days will be held for first-year students on **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup>, Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> and Friday 17<sup>th</sup> September**.

**Registration** takes place during the orientation period. At registration students receive their student card. Theology students will receive their student card from the Pontifical University. Theology students must also register their Arts subjects with NUI Maynooth (they will not receive another student card).

First-year registration for **Theology students** will take place in the **Theology Office** (see map towards the back of this handbook) on **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> September** between the following times:

09:00 a.m. - 10.30 a.m.	-	Group 20a
10.30 a.m. - 12.00 p.m.	-	Group 20b
12.00 p.m. – 2.30 p.m.	-	Group 20c (lunch from 1.00pm – 2.00pm)

Please refer to the **blue-coloured Orientation/Registration Timetable** for your particular group time-schedule. Theology students are assigned to **Group 20**. Please ensure that you also take note of what sub-group you are assigned to for registration on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> September: i.e. **Group 20a1, Group 20a2 or Group 20a3, etc.** These groups are subdivided in order to reduce waiting times and to make events more comfortable.

In order to register, please note your scheduled time and assemble in **First Divinity Hall, Loftus Halls, South Campus**. While registration is in progress, all students will be asked to complete a survey questionnaire.

### Documents for Registration

You must bring the following to registration:

1. (a) **Birth certificate** (not baptismal certificate)

- (b) **Marriage certificate** (state version) for students who wish to use their married name.
2. **Your CAO offer notice.** First time applicants having accepted a place via the C.A.O. for the academic year 2010/11 will receive a Bank Giro payment from the University to enable them to pay the relevant fee.
  3. Evidence that a grant is to be awarded to you, if applicable.
  4. Your P.P.S. Number (previously known as R.S.I. number)

After you register, you will be issued with your student identity card. This card should be kept on your person while you are on campus, as it may be required as proof of identity at any time. Replacement of a lost identity card will be subject to a reissue charge of up to €15.00 (correct going to print).

If your documents or fee payment are incomplete you will be registered provisionally. This will mean being without a student identity card and Library borrowing facilities until the **late registration date** which is **Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> September at 10.00am**. It will also mean that you will be unable to avail yourself of student travel rates and student discounts until this date.

**Important:**

Please note that First Year B.A.Th. and First Year B.Th. students must also register their Arts subjects in NUIM on **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2010 at 3.30pm**. Students registering their Arts subjects must go to the **Physics Hall, South Campus**.

**SHOULD YOU ATTEND REGISTRATION IF SOME DOCUMENTS ARE MISSING?**

**YES!** Even if you do not have all of your documentation, please ensure that you register provisionally on **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> September**, as outlined above. **Failure to do so could cost you your place in the University.**

**\* FOR THE ATTENTION OF STUDENTS OF GERMAN, NUA-GHAEILGE AND SPANISH \***

In addition to lectures and tutorials, language students must attend language laboratory classes. These classes are arranged by the Language Centre. It is therefore imperative that students of German, Nua-Ghaeilge and Spanish **register with the Language Centre during the week of Orientation**. Registration for the Language Centre takes place in Arts Block (beside internet pods) North Campus, during University orientation. **It is not possible to register for the Language Centre by post. For further information, please contact the Language Centre (01) 708 3737.**

## WITHDRAWAL FROM PROGRAMME

If you withdraw from the University at any stage after you have registered, you must notify the Theology Office and the Library **in writing** and return your student identity card to the Theology Office. By following these procedures, you will ensure that there is a record of your withdrawal that can subsequently be certified to the Accounts Office, the Department of Social, Community and Family Affairs or any higher education institution that may request such certification. If you fail to follow these procedures, the University may be unable to certify that you have withdrawn from your programme, and this may have an adverse affect on your transactions with the Department of Education and Science under the Government's Free Fees initiative if you seek admission to another higher education institution in the future.

## PROCEDURE FOR DEFERRAL OF PLACE

1. Do **not** accept the offer of a place through the Central Applications Office, and do not make any payment.
2. Write immediately to Admissions Office, St Patrick's College setting out the reason(s) for the request. Mark 'deferred entry' clearly on the envelope.
3. **Attach** your Offer Notice to the letter.
4. Ensure that the letter arrives in the Admissions Office, St Patrick's College, at least two working days before the Reply Date shown on the Offer Notice.
5. The University will communicate to you the decision on the deferral. If the deferral is not granted, the offer may still be accepted for the current year.

If the place has already been accepted through the CAO, a deferral request may still be considered.

A deferral is granted on the understanding that you do not enter another third-level institution in the academic year in question (2010/11). If you do, you will forfeit the deferred place. Deferrals are not granted automatically, and proof of reasons for wishing to defer may be requested.

### **To avail yourself of a deferred place**

1. Re-apply through the CAO by 1 February 2011.

2. Place the deferred course code as your **first and only preference** on the CAO application form.

**It is essential to proceed as outlined as above.** If you do not, you will forfeit the deferred place. If you do, you will get a new offer for your deferred place in Round “A” of the 2011 application process, i.e. in early July 2011. **If any other course is entered on the CAO application form, you will forfeit the deferred place.**

### **ARTS SUBJECT CHOICES – MU001 Theology and Arts**

Your Arts subject choices will be included in your record in the Theology Office and will be used in the preparation of examination lists. During the first few weeks of the first term, you will have the opportunity to change your Arts subject choices if you wish to do so (subject to the availability of places). During this period you may attend lectures in any Arts subject (see list below). If you decide to change your choices you must notify the **Theology Office (Pontifical University), and the Records Office (N.U.I.M.) and the relevant Arts Departments (NUIM)** not later than **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2010**. No changes are permitted after that date.

#### **Arts Subject Combinations:**

First year students take Theology and choose two Arts subjects from the following groups (with not more than one subject being taken from the same group):

Group 1: Biology (First year only), Law\*, Philosophy.

Group 2: Physics with Astronomy (first year only) (OD3 Maths required). Geography, German.

Group 3: Statistics (only in third year), Business, Greek, History.

Group 4: English, Mathematical Studies (OB3/HD3 Maths required).

Group 5: Anthropology, Nua-Ghaeilge.

Group 6: Economics, Latin.

Group 7: Computer Science (OB3/HD3 Maths required), Music (HC3 required), Sociology, Spanish.

\*Students taking law as an Arts subject must achieve a minimum of 60% in the Law examinations in first year to progress into second year.

### **MU002 Theology**

First year Theology students study Philosophy in first year (First Arts Philosophy) as part of this degree.

## CHANGE OF PERSONAL DETAILS

You must notify the **Theology Office** of any change to your registered address or telephone number (both home and local). This will ensure that communications from the University about courses, examinations, etc. will reach you safely.

## DETAILS ON FEES AND GRANTS

All matters relating to course fees, Local Authority/VEC grants, etc., are dealt with by the Accounts Office, St. Patrick's College (situated on the South Campus in the basement of Stoyte House). The Accounts Office is open daily for queries and distribution of maintenance cheques during the following times:

Monday - Friday	9.30am -1.00 p.m.
Monday - Thursday	2.00pm -5.00 p.m.

Up-to-date information and a current fees list is available from the Accounts Office at the following telephone number: 01-708 4751 / 708 4752.

### **New & Existing Undergraduate Students**

Course fee includes tuition and examination fees but does not include repeat examination fee, late payment fee or late registration fee.

Tuition fees will be paid by the exchequer in respect of EU nationals who have been ordinarily resident in an EU Member State for at least three of the five years preceding their entry to their third-level course subject to the following conditions:

- (a) Tuition fees will be paid only in respect of students attending full-time undergraduate courses.
- (b) The courses must, other than exceptionally, be of a minimum of two years' duration.
- (c) **Tuition fees will not be paid in respect of students pursuing a second undergraduate course.** However, notwithstanding this condition, fees will be paid in respect of students who already hold a National Certificate or Diploma and are progressing to a degree course where their existing qualifications provide them with the necessary credits to enable them to meet the entry

requirements and an appropriate exemption from the normal duration of the degree course is available on the basis of the certificate/diploma.

- (d) Except in the case of second chance students (see (e) below) **tuition fees will not be paid in respect of students repeating a year-level having changed (but not completed) their undergraduate course.** This condition may be waived in exceptional circumstances such as cases of certified illness.
- (e) Tuition fees will be paid in respect of students who, having attended but not completed approved courses, are returning following a break of at least five years in order to pursue approved courses at the same level.
- (f) The tuition fees payable do not include the payment to be made by students towards the cost of registration, examinations and student services.

#### **Retirals from 'Free Tuition' undergraduate course**

The College is obliged to confirm to the Department of Education and Science the names of all students who register initially and then who are in attendance at the beginning of the second term.

Students retiring from University must notify the Theology Office, and return their student ID card without delay.

#### **Fee implications for:**

##### **(a) Students retiring in order to pursue a different course**

If a student accepts a place and then retires following the first day of term and prior to 31<sup>st</sup> January, the student will subsequently become liable for fees for a half year if attending the same level of a third level course within the next five years.

##### **(b) Students retiring after 31<sup>st</sup> January**

Full fees will be claimed from the Department of Education and Science for students in attendance at the beginning of the second term. Any student retiring after 31<sup>st</sup> January will become liable for full fees if attending the same year-level of a third-level course within the next five years.

##### **(c) Students retiring on medical or other grounds**

Students retiring in exceptional circumstances such as certified illness may apply to the Registrar (Dr. Michael Mullaney) for permission to re-attend as 'Free Fee' students.

### **First-time applicants**

First-time applicants having accepted a place for the academic year will receive a Bank Giro payment form from the University to enable them to pay the relevant fee as follows:

**Non-grant-holders** are required to pay €1,587 before registration is completed. This includes the Student Services Charge of €1,500 **and** the Student Levy of €87 - a total of €1,587.

**Grant-holders** are required to pay the Student Levy of €87 before registration is completed **and** to produce a letter of confirmation from their Local Authority that they are in receipt of a grant when they register at University.

Once a student gets an ID card and is a registered student of the University all deposits are non-refundable should the student decide to de-register from University.

### **Overseas & occasional students**

All overseas and occasional fees **must be paid in full prior to registration.**

The Overseas Fee Surcharge is not payable in the following cases:

- (a) Where a student holds a Birth Certificate from a country within the European Union
- OR**
- (b) Where a student's permanent home residence is within the European Union
- AND**
- where a student has completed three years' full-time second-level education within the European Union or has three years' work experience within the European Union immediately prior to University entry.

### **Note:**

- (a) Evidence of EU citizenship alone is not sufficient for exemption from the overseas surcharge.
- (b) A student deemed liable for the overseas surcharge at the time of registration **cannot** subsequently have his/her status altered while attending the University.

If you need clarification of any of the above please contact our International Office at telephone number 01-708 3420 / 3943.

### **Postgraduate, repeat & all other course students**

Postgraduate, repeat and all other course students including those not eligible for 'free tuition' **should have half** of the required fee paid prior to registration and should pay the balance before 1<sup>st</sup> February. Otherwise they will be liable for a late payment fine of €50.00 on the first moiety and €70.00 on the second moiety.

### **Bank information**

Details of the St. Patrick's College bank account, into which fee payments should be made, are as follows:

Address:	Allied Irish Bank PLC	Sort Code:	93-32-01
	Main Street		
	Maynooth		
	Co. Kildare	Account No:	00154863

If paying fees electronically from outside the Republic of Ireland you will need the following international bank reference numbers:

**IBAN:** IE37 AIBK 9332 0100 1548 63.      **BIC:** AIBKIE2D.

Please quote your **student number** and the **name under which you are registered** at the University on all bank transactions. Students are advised to use the bank giro system rather than sending cash or cheques directly to the Accounts Office.

It should be noted that payment of fees, student services charge or student levy, only entitles students to present themselves for registration where academic and other criteria must also be met before the process of entry to the University can be completed.

### **Higher Education Grants**

All students in receipt of Higher Education Grants or VEC Grants are required to pay the Student Levy of €87 **only**, which is **not** covered by the Grants Scheme. This sum, together with a matching amount from the University, will be used for the development of student sporting, social and recreational facilities.

Applications for maintenance grants and the Student Services Charge must be made to your Local Authority. Before registration can be completed, written confirmation of your award from the Local Authority **must be produced**. In some cases this evidence will be available in time for registration, but in other cases it will not be available until later. If the latter is the case students have the option of paying the additional €1,500 usually payable by non-grant-holders. Any such payment will be refunded in full if a

grant is subsequently awarded and when the University has received the appropriate amount from the Local Authority.

### **Maintenance cheques**

Maintenance cheques are generally received in three instalments, usually in mid-October, January and April. The names of the Local Authorities from which maintenance cheques have been received are posted daily on the St. Patrick's College Accounts Office notice boards. Students are advised to check these notice boards regularly. When your Local Authority/VEC's name appears on the board, you may call to the Accounts Office, bringing your **current student identity card** to collect your cheque. Please note that maintenance cheques **will not be released** under any circumstances unless a current ID card is produced.

Since the Accounts Office is involved only in the distribution of maintenance cheques, any queries in relation to delays or amounts should be addressed to the relevant Local Authority. It is the responsibility of students to collect their maintenance cheques from the Office. Failure to do so will result in the cheque being returned to the Local Authority, and this may result in the grant being discontinued.

If you need any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us at the Accounts Office (01) 708 4751 / 708 4752.

### **FUNDING – STUDENT ASSISTANCE FUND (ESF)**

The Student Assistance / Access Fund is jointly sponsored by the European Social Fund and the Irish Government. It is available for students who require additional financial support to enable them to benefit fully from their third level studies. Registered students do not necessarily need to be grant holders to apply for funding. It simply offers a limited amount of financial support to students who experience financial difficulties related to the costs of their studies.

The funding is available to all full-time registered students of the Pontifical University. Application forms are available in the second semester of each academic year and may be collected from the Theology Office in the months of February or March annually.

## RESIDENCE OFFICE INFORMATION

What and where is the Residence Office?

The Residence Office deals with all student queries relating to accommodation. If you are looking for a place to live, this is the office to come to. The office provides students with comprehensive accommodation listings, maps and information.

If you encounter any difficulties relating to accommodation during your stay in Maynooth, the Residence Office will be happy to give any advice or help they can. The Residence Office is situated in the Student Services Centre, North Campus.

Check the office for drop-in hours. You can also telephone, fax or e-mail us, as follows:

Telephone: 01 708 3322

Fax: 01 708 3523

E-mail: [residence.office@nuim.ie](mailto:residence.office@nuim.ie)

There are various types of accommodation in Maynooth, both on and off campus.

### **On-campus accommodation**

All on-campus accommodation is situated on Maynooth's north campus, close to lecture, sports and recreational facilities. On-campus accommodation can cater for almost 900 students. The Residence Office deals with the University Village Apartments and Halls of Residence. There is **no application fee** for campus accommodation. Completing the online form is not a guarantee of campus accommodation but a minimum of 40% of all on-campus accommodation is reserved for first year students. To apply for campus all you need to do is go to [www.residence.nuim.ie](http://www.residence.nuim.ie) and fill in the online form. For those students who received their CAO Offers and who had previously applied for on-campus accommodation, they should contact the Residence Office as soon as possible to see if they have secured on-campus accommodation. Rooms are allocated randomly so you may be offered a place in a twin room. This has proved a great way for first years to get to know each other and many friends have been made this way.

Students share furnished apartments with all kitchen utensils provided. Campus accommodation ranges in price from €2.00 to €10 per week (2010/11 rates). Rates depend upon the type of apartment, whether it is a single or a twin room, en-suite etc.

The atmosphere on campus is a relaxed one, so the University relies on the maturity and co-operation of the students living on campus for the benefit of all. On-campus accommodation enables students to live in an

environment that is conducive to both study and enjoyment and is within easy reach of all University facilities.

### **Family type accommodation**

Partial Board (“Digs”) accommodation is readily available in Maynooth, Celbridge, Leixlip and Lucan. This entails living in a family home for 5 or 7 days a week during term and in the run-up to examinations. Five-day accommodation suits all students who intend going home at weekends. Most digs accommodation is of this type. The cost of 5 day accommodation in the 2010-2011 academic year will be €15.00 - €20.00 Monday to Friday; €35.00 - €42 Full Week.

(Rates depend upon whether student is availing of single or twin room, en suite bathroom etc).

Generally, students pay two weeks rent as a deposit. Again, the first week will also be paid on arrival. Full guidelines are available from the Residence Office.

### **Self-catering**

If you take self-catering accommodation you will live in a family home in the Maynooth, Celbridge, Leixlip and surrounding areas. Students provide meals for themselves. The cost will be €80 - €86 per week (2010/11 rates). The deposit will usually be equivalent to four weeks rent. Again, the first week will also be payable on arrival. Full guidelines are available from the Residence Office.

### **Hostel Accommodation**

There are several student hostels in Maynooth.

- **Divine Word Hostel**

Divine Word Hostel is located just outside the university and caters for male and female mature students. If you are interested, please contact the hostel directly; Ph.(01) 628 6391/2

- **St Catherine’s Hostel**

This hostel is on-campus and caters for male students. If you are interested, please contact the hostel directly on Tel. (01) 6286111.

### **Houses & house sharing**

Houses for private renting are also available in all the areas mentioned. Students themselves will be furnished with a checklist and information relating to leases, minimum notice and the rights and obligations

of tenants, to make their search for and stay in accommodation that bit easier. Again, houses get snapped up quickly in the year, often before CAO offers in late August. Many first year students will acquire houses at the end of their first academic year, when they have fully settled into university life. First year students frequently go in to hostels, digs or self-catering accommodation where they usually make friends in similar or other first year courses. Students who meet in family-type accommodation often go on to find houses together for second year.

Single or twin rooms are available in rented houses shared with other students. Lists of available houses and house share accommodation are available from the Residence Office. House shares range in price from €70.00 - €100.00 per week depending on the property and the number of students in the house.

**Deposit:** Generally one month's rent is required as deposit. The first month's rent is also usually paid in advance.

### **Tenants' rights**

Comprehensive information leaflets drawn up by the Residence Office are available to all students seeking, or already living in, rented accommodation while attending college in Maynooth. If you require information, feel free to drop into the office.

### **Living in Maynooth**

During the academic year, Maynooth may be your home as well as your place of study. Remember that you may be living in a residential area. Introduce yourself to your neighbours when you move into your new accommodation. When coming home at night, please try to keep quiet. You may go clubbing on a Wednesday or Thursday night, but the chances are that your neighbours don't and probably have to get up early to commute to work. Be nice! Treat your neighbours with the respect that you and your family expect in your own local area.

### **Living with other students**

You may live with people whom you didn't know previously. Try to get on together as well as you can. Please do not let small quibbles become reasons for falling out. If you are encountering difficulties, contact the Residence Officer. She will help you to work through the situation, and will mediate if necessary. For the vast majority of students, however, new, previously unknown housemates rapidly become long-term friends.

### **Budgeting**

Make sure to budget **before** the academic year begins. Base your budget on the length of time from the beginning of the university year to the end of the examination period. Remember to include food, travel, books, bills and a certain amount for extra-curricular activities when making up your budget. Do not fall

behind with your rent. If you need help to budget, please contact the Residence Office so that a budget plan can be worked out with you.

**Important!**

Students must view accommodation before paying deposits as this minimises problems in the long run. There is no way around finding accommodation other than actually coming to Maynooth. The Residence Office will furnish you with the most up to date information and will endeavour to offer their assistance while procuring accommodation.

Contact Details: Residence Office, Student Services Centre, North Campus, N.U.I. Maynooth.

Tel: (01) 7083322      Email: [Residence.office@nuim.ie](mailto:Residence.office@nuim.ie)

## **CRÈCHE**

A fully supervised state of the art crèche is located beside Rye Hall on the North Campus. This is open throughout the year with the exception of Christmas and Easter. With the increasing importance of providing affordable childcare facilities on campus, the University makes a contribution towards the running of the crèche in order to maintain the cost at a reasonable level for those who wish to avail themselves of this facility. The crèche caters for children aged 1yr and over. The crèche is also part of the ECCE scheme for pre-school children. It also offers an after-school service for children up to eight years.

## **THE UNIVERSITY LIBRARY**

The Library is a key resource for students. Library staff provide all registered students with a high quality service in a friendly and student-centred environment.

Much of the library book collection (currently over 440,000 items) is available for borrowing and return through our self-service facility. Most of the printed books and journals are listed in the library catalogue. This can be accessed both on and off campus via the library website. The Library also provides access, via the library website to an extensive range of online information including the full text of over 38,000 journals and over 190,000 eBooks.

The Library provides more than 80 public access PCs located throughout the building, and two networked printers in the Multimedia Area on level 1. This area also houses photocopying facilities and microform reading equipment. Most desktop PCs offer full access to the internet, software to access university e-mail

accounts, the Microsoft Office suite of applications, and USB-disk access. A number of desktop PCs are restricted to the university intranet, allowing access to all services available on the campus network. All desktop PCs are connected to a Library network printer.

Library Laptops can be borrowed for three hours, for use in the Library building only. These laptops automatically connect to a wireless network and offer the same services as the PCs. All Library laptops are connected to a Library network printer. Library users are also welcome to use their own laptops anywhere in the Library. The campus-wide NUIM wireless network (which is supported by the Computer Centre) is available throughout the Library building. Personal laptop users can print by mediating through a Library desktop PC or Library laptop.

A group study area and coffee shop are available on Level 1. Levels 2 and 3 are quieter study areas providing seating for individual study near the print collections. Staff are located on each floor in the Library and are on hand to deal with any queries or problems. The Library is committed to training users in finding, using and managing information. Training on all aspects of the Library is provided in the initial weeks of the first semester and on a scheduled basis throughout the academic year. The Information Services Department and the team of Subject Librarians offer detailed training throughout the year.

The Library's older book collections, manuscripts and archives are housed separately, in the Russell Library.

For more information about the Library, please consult the Library website at <http://library.nuim.ie>.

## **ACCESS OFFICE**

The Pontifical University/NUI Maynooth Access Office has responsibility for promoting university access for students from non-traditional backgrounds including those from disadvantaged socio-economic backgrounds, mature students, students with disabilities, Travellers and New Irish Communities.

The Access Office provides a range of outreach activities for linked DEIS schools, such as the Higher Education Access Route (HEAR) and the Disability Access Route to Education (DARE) and co-ordinates a range of personal and learning supports for students from these groups once they enter the college.

Students with disabilities or specific learning difficulties are invited to register with the office to avail themselves of the supports including access to study skills workshops, personal supports, technology and examination accommodations. Students must have valid evidence of a disability or specific learning

difficulty e.g. a recent report from a Medical Consultant or Educational Psychologist. It is advisable that students register early in the academic year to access full supports.

Mature students are supported by the Mature Student Support Officer and can avail themselves of one-to-one consultations and support from the designated Mature Student Academic Advisors.

The Access Office is based in MAP Lodge on the North Campus. Students from The Pontifical University are invited to make contact if there are issues they wish to discuss. Further information is available on the Access website: <http://access.nuim.ie>

**Tel:** (01) 708 6025. **E-mail:** [access.office@nuim.ie](mailto:access.office@nuim.ie)

## MEDICAL CENTRE

A medical service is provided for students. The office is located in the Student Services Centre on the North Campus behind the John Hume Building. Opening hours are: **9.30 – 17.00** and **closed between 13.00 and 14.00 Monday to Friday during the academic year**. Appointments may be made by dropping into the Centre or by telephone. Students are advised, where possible, to make appointments to see the doctor. However, it is not always necessary to book an appointment to see the nurses. This service is free of charge. Students with any serious or long-term illnesses are advised to register with the Nursing Officer *immediately* after student registration. Tel: 01-7083878.

Out of Office Hours – There is a 24-hour medical emergency cover available to students for 365 days a year. To access this service, contact Dr Denis Gaffney 01 - 6291169.

## ACADEMIC ADVISORY OFFICE

This office functions as a convenient first point of contact for students who wish to seek advice on general issues that may arise from their relationship with the University. Information is also provided which will assist students in accessing information on regulations and progression routes to their degree. Any student requiring help with their general experience of University life is encouraged to make contact with the Office. The Office also provides an ombudsman-like role for students who may be encountering difficulties in their programme of study. In the last Academic Year just over 25% of the student population availed themselves of the services provided by the office, the category of students seeking advice ranged

from first year undergraduates to those in the final year of their Ph.D. The office can be contacted by calling in to Room 59, Arts Annex, ☎: (01) 708 3368 or via email: [advisory.office@nuim.ie](mailto:advisory.office@nuim.ie).

## CHAPLAINCY SERVICE

**Chaplains** Sr. Margaret McConalogue, Student Services Centre, North Campus

01-708 3469. Email: [margaret.mcconalogue@nuim.ie](mailto:margaret.mcconalogue@nuim.ie)

Mr. Shay Claffey, Student Services Centre, North Campus

01-708 3588. Email: [seamus.claffey@nuim.ie](mailto:seamus.claffey@nuim.ie)

**Chaplaincy Office** Ms. Susan Caldwell, Senior Executive Assistant,  
Chaplaincy Office, Arts Building, North Campus (afternoons)

01-708 3320. Email: [susan.caldwell@nuim.ie](mailto:susan.caldwell@nuim.ie)

### Further Contacts:

#### Church of Ireland

Rev. Janice Aiton

01-8253288. Email: [janice\\_aiton@lineone.net](mailto:janice_aiton@lineone.net)

#### Methodist Church

Rev. Bill Mullally

01-6280666. Email: [mullally1@eircom.net](mailto:mullally1@eircom.net)

#### Presbyterian Church

Mr. Kevin Hargaden

01-5054990. Email: [kevin.hargaden@gmail.com](mailto:kevin.hargaden@gmail.com)

**Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)** [www.quakers-in-ireland.ie](http://www.quakers-in-ireland.ie)

**Jewish Community Office** 01-4923751

**Islamic Cultural Centre** 01-2080000

**Other Enquiries** Please contact Chaplaincy

Welcome to Maynooth. Congratulations on starting university. Great that you are here. We look forward to meeting you at Orientation.

Beginning college can be an exciting time, when you are starting a new venture, meeting new people and becoming more independent. First-year students can feel the need for support in the early weeks on campus. We are available and only too willing to help at any time. Don't feel, of course, that you need to have a reason to call on us. You are very welcome to drop by our offices in the Student Services Centre and in the Arts Building to say 'hello' whenever you wish.

You might consider joining one of the many pastoral groups on campus such as the Society of St Vincent de Paul (SVP) who organise a Soup Run each week or Maynooth Mission Outreach (MMO) who send volunteers to the developing world during the Summer. There is a Clubs and Societies Open Day on Wednesday, 29 September, in the Sports Complex–Student Centre (North Campus), followed by a Pastoral Groups Open Day on Tuesday, 5 October, in the Arts Building (North Campus). Check out these events - and do consider getting involved. Being in a Club, Society or a Pastoral Group is a great way of getting to meet new people and of doing worthwhile things.

Chaplaincy offers a range of support and religious services. For more on these, see the Chaplaincy Calendar, our Website and the Notice boards outside our offices and in Lower Loftus. Most of all, we want you know that we are here for you!

There will be a Mass for the Opening of the new Academic Year on Thursday, 30 September, in the College Chapel at midday. During term-time, Mass is celebrated, Monday-Friday at 12.05pm, in St. Mary's Oratory, and on Sundays at 9.30am in St. Joseph's Oratory. Both oratories are on the South Campus. Sunday Mass is celebrated in the local church, Vigil (Saturdays) at 7pm and on Sundays at 9am, 10.15am, 11.30am, 12.45pm & 6pm.

St. Mary's Church of Ireland, Maynooth, Sunday Service is at 11.30am and the Presbyterian Church Sunday Service is at 10.30am in Maynooth Post Primary School.

The Quiet Room in the Arts Building is open daily for personal reflection. If you want to get away from the busyness of life on campus and relax, this is one of the places to visit.

Again, welcome on board. Enjoy college. Take good care – and see you when we do.

## **MENTORING**

A voluntary mentoring system exists for first year students. It is a resource that is intended to facilitate the student's transition from second level to third level education. The mentor will provide advice and encouragement on one's overall approach to and organisation of one's first year studies. Remember this service is a voluntary one. It is up to you, the student, to avail yourself of it. Mentoring is your service, do use it.

## STUDYING ABROAD / ERASMUS

*Erasmus* is an exchange programme set up by the European Union. Under the *Erasmus* Lifelong Learning programme the Pontifical University has links/bilateral agreements with Faculties of Theology in other European countries. *Erasmus* students usually spend one semester or one full academic year at a European university as part of their degree programme. No fees have to be paid to the host university.

Subject to certain criteria students can opt to spend a semester or a full year abroad in their third year of study, under the EU Erasmus Lifelong Learning Programme. Students are entitled to an *Erasmus* contribution towards the cost of their mobility. Foreign students from the linked institutions are accepted as incoming *Erasmus* students spending time in Maynooth. Theology students wishing to be considered for student/study mobility under the *Erasmus* programme must complete an “Expression of Interest” application form which can be collected from the Admissions/Theology Office. Further information on studying abroad/*Erasmus* is available from the Admissions/Theology Office, South Campus.

Tel. 01 - 708 4772 / 3391 / 3892  
Fax. 01 - 708 3441  
E-mail: [admissions@spcm.ie](mailto:admissions@spcm.ie) / [theology.office@may.ie](mailto:theology.office@may.ie)  
Web address: [www.maynoothcollege.ie](http://www.maynoothcollege.ie)

**COMPUTER CENTRE** <http://computercentre.nuim.ie/>

### **Introduction**

The Computer Centre (CC) supports the operation of the university by providing leading-edge information technology (I.T.) and communications facilities and services to students, lecturers, researchers, administrative/support staff and, where appropriate, to the general public.

### **General Student Computing Facilities**

The University network hosts over a 2000 PCs and workstations which are used throughout the University to support research, teaching and administration. The Computer Centre provides student computers in a number of student Public Access Computer Rooms (PACR's), on the north campus in : Arts Facility (30x PCs), Callan Foyer (28x PCs) and Rye Hall (80x PCs); and on the south campus in : Long Corridor (60x PCs) and in the Teaching Rooms (TR 1 25x PCs and TR 2 10x PCs). Several academic departments also provide computers for specific student groups. Computing Assistants (CAs) are available in the larger PACRs to assist students.

## **Wireless Computing**

Wireless computing is available extensively in buildings on the north campus and at many locations on the south campus. Students with valid network logon accounts and a wireless-enabled laptop may access the wireless network. Services available over the wireless network include: internet (web), e-learning (moodle), university e-mail (webmail), electronic library resources and access to your personal network file store. To access this service you need to connect to the signal NUIMWireless, try to browse to internet pages. You should then be presented with a page asking for login details.

After you enter your N.U.I.M. login details a pop up box will attempt to appear with a logout button that you can use at a later stage to logout. You should now be able to browse the internet.

Note: On some systems you may be re-directed to a website certificate security page. Choose the option “continue not recommended” if you see this page at this time.

For additional information see <http://computercentre.nuim.ie/students/Wirelessindex.shtml>. Support and assistance (if needed) is available at wireless clinics which are held regularly and advertised on the Computer Centre web pages and in the PACRs.

## **Printing**

The Computer Centre print service is available from all computers in the PACR’s, please check the printer location with the Computing Assistant (CA) before printing. To use this service you will need to purchase a print card, from a vending machine in the PACR’s, this card should be topped up with print credits, again from the vending machine, so please keep them safe. For the latest information please talk to our CA’s or check our web page: <http://computercentre.nuim.ie/students/pacrs>

## **e-learning**

The university’s e-learning system (Moodle) is available at <http://moodle.nuim.ie/> Advice and assistance in using the system is available from your lecturer and from the Centre for Teaching and Learning (CTL). See the moodle home page for details.

## **Library electronic resources**

Library electronic resources can be accessed over the university network and from home. Details on the resources and how to access them are available at <http://library.nuim.ie/resources/>

## **Software and Services**

A wide variety of software is installed on the PACR machines ranging from Microsoft Office to specialised software, which is used to support the teaching and research requirements of individual departments.

## **Computing Skills**

The Computer Centre is an accredited test centre for the European Computer Driving Licence (ECDL). This qualification is recognised throughout the European Union and signifies that the bearer is acquainted

with the basic concepts of information technology and has achieved ECDL standard in several Microsoft computer applications such as word processing, spreadsheets etc. Staff and students of NUIM and SPCM are eligible to take part in the ECDL Program. This is a wonderful opportunity to pick up an additional qualification that will be of benefit to you when you complete your studies in Maynooth. Indeed for certain courses it is mandatory that you complete the programme. The course material for ECDL may be accessed on any of the machines in the PACRs. Further information is available at <http://computercentre.nuim.ie/ecdl/index.shtml>

Alternatively you can email us at [ECDL@nuim.ie](mailto:ECDL@nuim.ie) or call into The Computer Centre to discuss your requirements with a member of the ECDL team.

### **Contacting Us**

Contact The Computer Centre in any of the following ways:

- During the academic year CA's are available in the PACRs – 09:00am to 10:00pm
- Computer Centre Reception is available all year around - 09:30am - 17:00pm (closed 13:00 to 14:00) we are located on the South Campus
- Internal phones are provided in all of our PACR's, please ring the Computer Centre Helpdesk at 3388 from these phones to receive further assistance. Phones are also available in the Gate Lodge on the south campus and beside the security desk in the Arts Building.
- Alternatively please mail [helpdesk@nuim.ie](mailto:helpdesk@nuim.ie).

### **Usage Policy**

As with any shared resource, usage of the University computing facilities is subject to some regulations. These services are provided to facilitate a person's work as a member of staff or as a student of SPCM/NUI Maynooth and may be used for educational, training or research purposes. All users of the Computer Centre's resources are expected to abide by the Code of Conduct for Users of Computing Facilities and the NUIM Policy for Responsible Computing. These documents are available at <http://computercentre.nuim.ie/policies/index.shtml>.

## **CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTRE**

Career planning is a process, not a once off event and the earlier you start the more likely you will be prepared to recognise the vast range of opportunities that come your way. By postponing career planning, you run the risk of missing out on opportunities with early closing dates which may be specifically aimed at final year students.

The Career Development Centre can assist your transfer to employment or further studies by facilitating informed decision-making. Our Careers Education Programme offers you the opportunity to focus on decisions concerning:

- Further study
- Career objectives
- Employment opportunities
- Job-hunting strategies (e.g. CV and interview techniques).

In addition to attending career lectures/seminars, our paper/web based resources, along with our on and off campus events will help you explore the options open to you on completing your studies. Final year and postgraduate students can register for email alerts of job vacancies.

Our Graduate Recruitment Fair – a must for all those intending to go directly into employment, takes place in the RDS on 13 October 2010 – full details will be available from our website. Our Postgraduate Study Fair is planned for 16 February 2011 also in the RDS – keep an eye on our website for further details.

Our mission is to educate students to become self-sufficient career planners and you are strongly advised to participate fully in the process, by attending the relevant seminars and studying the materials.

#### Contacts

Arts Building, North Campus.      <http://careers.nuim.ie>      (01) 708 3592      [careers@nuim.ie](mailto:careers@nuim.ie)

Brendan Baker - Head of Career Development Centre

Lorraine Kelly - Information & Event Manager

Natasha Marron - Careers Adviser

Anne Mooney - Careers Adviser

Eanan Strain - Careers Adviser

## **PARKING**

Students should adhere to parking regulations as a clamping system is in operation.

## **COMMUNITY LIFE (social and pastoral) of SPCM**

### **Social and Pastoral**

The ideal of the Pontifical University is to contribute to the development of the whole human person. That means we recognise the importance of the physical, social, cultural and spiritual well-being of our students.

### **Theology Student Common Room / Pugin Hall (Restaurant)**

Undergraduate Theology students have a common room in Loftus Halls. Pugin Hall in the Cloisters on the South Campus offers coffee and snacks during the day, for all students (NUIM & SPCM) as well as hot food for lunch.

### **Theology Ball**

Theology students can look forward to the annual Theology Ball, which usually takes place in November. It is organised by the SPCM student representative. NUIM students are welcome to attend this most enjoyable occasion!

### **Grad Ball**

The Graduate Ball is an annual event organised by the Entertainment Group in NUIM. All NUIM and SPCM students are welcome to attend, but watch out, tickets sell out fast!

### **The Pastoral Committee**

The Pastoral Committee is composed of members of the Faculty and student representatives. It is concerned with developing student pastoral services with particular attention to the needs of SPCM students. Please watch the Chaplaincy Notice board in Loftus for details of events.

## **THINGS TO LOOK OUT FOR**

General Information and events of interest to Theology students will be posted on the notice boards in Loftus Halls. During the year a number of societies/faculties have their annual talk, among them are the Trócaire lecture, and Aquinas lecture. Dates and venues are published on various notice boards throughout the college.

### **Photocopying**

Photocopying services are available in the library (south campus) and in the Students' Union (north campus). Cards can be bought in the Library (for library use only), in the Students' Union shop, and in the bookshop (north campus).

### **Post Room**

The post room offers a number of services including posting facilities (internal and external), photocopying, and binding. It is located on the south campus.

## **ACADEMIC SCHEDULE 2010-2011**

### **First Semester:**

Wednesday 15 – Friday 17 September	First year orientation and registration
Monday 20 September	Commencement of lectures
Thursday 30 September	Mass for opening of the academic year
Friday 22 October	Study week commences on conclusion of lectures
Monday 1 November	Resumption of lectures
Saturday 6 November	Pontifical University conferring
Friday 17 December	Christmas vacation begins on conclusion of lectures
Monday 3 – Tuesday 4 January	Study period
Wednesday 5 January	Examinations commence (provisional dates – to be confirmed)
Monday 24 – Friday 28 January	Inter-semester break (to be confirmed)

### **Second Semester:**

Monday 31 January	Resumption of lectures
Friday 11 March	Study week commences on conclusion of lectures
Monday 21 March	Resumption of lectures
Friday 15 April	Easter vacation begins on conclusion of lectures
Tuesday 26 April	Resumption of lectures
Friday 6 May	Conclusion of lectures
Monday 9 – Tuesday 10 May	Study period
Wednesday 11 May	Examinations commence (provisional dates – to be confirmed)

## SUMMARY OF USEFUL ADDRESSES AND NUMBERS

### Faculty of Theology Offices

#### Dunboyne House, Middle Floor:

<b>Room No.</b>	<b>Lecturer</b>	<b>Tel</b>	<b>Email</b>
Room 1	Prof Salvador Ryan	708 3972	<a href="mailto:salvador.ryan@may.ie">salvador.ryan@may.ie</a>
Room 2	Dr Jonathan Kearney	708 3371	<a href="mailto:jonathan.kearney@may.ie">jonathan.kearney@may.ie</a>
Room 3	Rev Martin Henry	708 3629	<a href="mailto:md.henry@may.ie">md.henry@may.ie</a>
Room 4	Rev Oliver Treanor	708 3431	<a href="mailto:oliver.treanor@may.ie">oliver.treanor@may.ie</a>
Room 5	Rev Pdraig Corkery	708 3506	<a href="mailto:padraig.j.corkery@may.ie">padraig.j.corkery@may.ie</a>
Room 6	Rev Michael Shortall	708 6165	<a href="mailto:michael.shortall@may.ie">michael.shortall@may.ie</a>
Room 9	Rev Michael Conway	708 6293	<a href="mailto:michael.g.conway@may.ie">michael.g.conway@may.ie</a>
Room 10	Rev Brendan Leahy	708 3498	<a href="mailto:brendan.leahy@may.ie">brendan.leahy@may.ie</a>
Room 11	Rev Séamus O'Connell	708 3505	<a href="mailto:seamus.g.oconnell@may.ie">seamus.g.oconnell@may.ie</a>
Room 12	Rev Kevin O'Gorman	708 3625	<a href="mailto:kevin.ogorman@may.ie">kevin.ogorman@may.ie</a>

#### Dunboyne House, Ground Floor:

<b>Room No.</b>	<b>Lecturer</b>	<b>Tel</b>	<b>Email</b>
Room 15	Rev Brendan McConvery	708 3507	<a href="mailto:Brendan.g.mcconvery@may.ie">Brendan.g.mcconvery@may.ie</a>
Room 16	Rev Liam Tracey	708 3442	<a href="mailto:liam.tracey@may.ie">liam.tracey@may.ie</a>
Room 19	Sr Brid Liston	708 6229	<a href="mailto:brid.liston@may.ie">brid.liston@may.ie</a>

<b>Stoyte House</b>	<b>Lecturer</b>	<b>Tel</b>	<b>Email</b>
Vice President (Registrar)	Rev Michael Mullaney	708 3988	<a href="mailto:michael.mullaney@may.ie">michael.mullaney@may.ie</a>

#### **Other Departments:**

<b>Room No.</b>	<b>Mentor</b>	<b>Tel</b>	<b>Email</b>
17 Dunboyne House	Ms Margaret Tyrrell	708 6375	<a href="mailto:margaret.tyrrell@may.ie">margaret.tyrrell@may.ie</a>

<b>Office</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Telephone</b>
Academic Advisory Office	Arts Annex	708 3368
Access & Disability Offices	Map Lodge, North Campus	708 6025
Career Development Centre	Arts Building, North Campus	708 3592

Chaplaincy	Student Services Centre	708 3588
Counselling	Student Services Centre	708 3554
Crèche	Rye Hall, North Campus	708 3319
International Office	Humanity House, Sth Campus	708 3420
Medical Centre	Student Services Centre	708 3878
Security	North/South Campus	708 3054 / 3929
Sports Officer	Sports Complex, Nth Campus	708 3824
Student Services	Students Services Centre	708 4729
Students' Union	Students Services Centre	708 3669
Theology Office*	South Campus	708 3391 / 3892
Admissions Office*	Theology Office, Sth Campus	708 4772
Examinations Office*	Theology Office, Sth Campus	708 3391 / 3892
Registrar's Office*	Theology Office, Sth Campus	708 3391 / 3892

For locations, see map elsewhere in this handbook. In all cases, the digits “708” should be omitted if you are telephoning from *within* the University.

## MATURE STUDENTS

If you are coming to college as a mature student, you are especially welcome. It may be many years since you sat in a classroom and you might be feeling worried if it will all work out well for you. It may help to remember that you are not the first mature student and certainly not the only one this year. The lecturers will be sympathetic to your special needs and the College will help you to address them. While you may feel that you have to relearn study skills that are almost forgotten, you should remember that your life's experience has given you some advantages over the average student. The College will do all it can to make your years of study enjoyable and profitable.

### **IT'LL ALL COME TOGETHER IN THE END** (*Article by mature student*)

It never ceases to amaze me, although I now find that I am doing the same thing myself, that whenever anyone speaks about 'doing a degree', it *rolls* off their tongue like there was nothing to it! I never fully appreciated the amount of work that went into achieving a third level qualification, until I experienced the whole thing for myself. It is the hardest thing that I have ever done in my life, but it has been one of the most rewarding and fulfilling experiences that I have ever had. This is my story:

Five years ago, I woke up! I had attended a seminar in Australia that literally changed the course of my life. I made a conscious decision there and then that I was going back to college. I simply wanted to learn.

After filling out the necessary forms and attending the necessary interviews, I was accepted into St. Patrick's College, Maynooth as a BA Theology student in October 1995. This was it! Being the sixth of seven children and the fact that no one in my family had ever been to college before me, I had absolutely no idea what to expect.

I arrived at Loftus, my new schoolbag on my back, full of enthusiasm...and not to mention naiveté, for I had no idea what was ahead of me. I was a mere thirty years old! I had already decided on my three subjects for first year - Theology, Philosophy and Sociology, so all that was left was for me to meet my three lecturers. *Three lecturers!* I was so green, I thought that I'd have just *one* lecturer for each subject and *one* book list.....bless me! So you can imagine my absolute horror when every time I turned up for a lecture I saw a different face, was handed a different (what they called) bibliography and was given an outline of that particular course for '*this semester*'. '*This semester!* You mean I have to go through all this *again!*' I began to shake at the thoughts of having to read *all* those books, *this semester!* No one ever told me that I didn't have to know *everything* or that I didn't have to read *all* those books. I guess they thought I knew.

Well, needless to say, I cried all the way through first year. I was knackered by the end of the first week! I started studying from day one and never stopped until the exams were over in June. Twenty four hours a day, seven days a week I was at it! Well, I exaggerate.....it might have been only twenty hours a day! I mean I had to sleep hadn't I? It wasn't because I wanted to do very well - oh no - I just wanted to *pass*. Fear of failure kept me going. And whenever anyone mentioned going for coffee, I broke into a sweat, with the words 'have to study, have to study' chanting through my brain. I hadn't a clue what I was doing or what I was *supposed* to be doing. As for essays, I didn't know what an introduction or a conclusion was, and as for plagiarism, what was *that* all about? I had to learn from *someone* hadn't I?

No, I think we can safely say that first year was not a good year. *Every* day I wanted to leave and I wondered 'what am I after doing?'. I constantly told everyone, lecturers included, that I couldn't do this, that I hadn't got the brains for it. It was too hard. And all I kept hearing from those who went before me was, 'don't worry, it'll all come together in the end' and 'just keep doing what you're doing' and 'first year is just about finding your feet'. Between studying 'till I was blue in the face and not knowing where my feet were, I didn't know what end of me was up!

But they were right! Come April, as the exams were approaching rapidly, I began for the first time to see a bit of light at the end of the tunnel. Things were starting to come together and I thought, 'right, I can't

possibly study any harder than I have been, so all that's left for me now to do, is to *enjoy* the exams'. I'm serious! I'm not saying that I wasn't nervous, of course I was. In fact I was so nervous and worried in first year that I became totally self-centred. I remember driving to my first exam - I was after squeezing in the last bit of revision before heading out, so I didn't give myself enough time to allow for any kind of delays along the way - and I hit a line of traffic, of all things! And I thought, 'why are the lights red? Don't these people know that I have an exam to go to? Don't they realise what I'm going through?' But when I did eventually sit down to do the exam, I found myself enjoying it. To be able to write something for three solid hours was simply amazing to me! Maybe this was possible after all!

Well, the first year exams came and went, and I'll never forget the feeling of elation and freedom and sheer appreciation for life that I felt on that final day! I *saw* again! I went for walks....slowly! I even had coffee....no sweat!

Second year came and I was ready for it! I knew what to expect now. *This* time, when I was handed a bibliography, it was a case of 'thanks very much, I'll just stick that in my bag and I'll look at it when I'm good and ready!'. I remember one day writing my name on the top - Sandra Norgrove 2nd BATH - and I nudged the girl beside me and I said to her with a big smile, 'isn't it great writing 2nd BATH?'. She's still looking at me!

However, second year brought it's own catastrophes. I might have found my feet....but I slipped a disc! Three weeks into the course and I could neither sit properly nor walk properly. And I was like that all year. My mind was trying its best to get me to quit, but I couldn't. I knew that deep down I wanted to complete this degree and as much as my body or my mind was telling me otherwise, my heart wouldn't let me give up. A dear friend of mine once said, 'there are some things in life that you cannot *not* do' - and for me, the degree was one of them. I couldn't *not* do it!

Even though in second year I was keeping up with essays and tutorials, I still thought I was falling behind and in a moment of insanity, I even considered not sitting the exams. But I did sit them. And my results were even better than the previous year! I was tempted to slip another disc in third year!

'My final year! How on earth did I get this far?' The workload was heavier but by this stage I was able to achieve more in less time. You learn! I still had my ups and downs - it was never plain sailing. There were days when I sat on the edge of my seat at my theology lectures in Loftus, while the lecturer was going on about truth, and love, and mystery, and I remember thinking, 'this is brilliant stuff!'. And then, being fully human, there were days when I sat *well* back in my seat, arms folded, thinking 'how on *earth* do you expect me to believe this stuff?'

Even towards the end of third year, I was still in awe of anyone who had completed a degree. And then, I was one of them! And now it rolls off *my* tongue - 'yeah, I graduated in 1998!' It's a great feeling of accomplishment! After *all* the lectures, *all* the tutorials, *all* the essays and a thesis, there's one thing that I've learned from my three years of study, and it is this: 'now I *know* that I know nothing!'

Someone once said to me, 'if you knew back in first year what you know now, in terms of what to expect, what would you have changed in that first year?' I said to her, 'nothing'. Because even though it was the hardest year of my life, it has contributed to making me the person I am today.....and I wouldn't change that for the world!

My reason for writing this article is not to blow my own trumpet - music was never my forte! My only hope is that it will give some sort of encouragement to students, mature or otherwise, who are having a tough time in first year and who think that they'll never get to the end of it. Keep doing what you're doing! First year is all about finding your feet! You can do it! Thousands before you did it and thousands more after you will do it! And besides, hasn't anyone ever told you.....it'll all come together in the end!!!

Sandra P. Norgrove, 1999

## **SPORTS IN THE UNIVERSITY**

### **Facilities**

Over the last number of years the Sports Facilities on the Maynooth campus have seen a rapid metamorphosis. At a cost of over €4.5 million the new facilities include ten new changing rooms – six for outdoor sports and four for indoor sports, new storage areas for equipment, an additional sports hall, a fitness centre and four new playing fields.

The on-campus sports facilities and fitness classes are free to students of NUI and St Patrick's College Maynooth. The Sports Centre on the north campus is open from 8am – 10pm Monday – Friday; and 11am – 5pm Saturdays and Sundays. It is closed on Public Holidays.

### **INDOOR**

#### **Swimming-pool**

Located on the South Campus, this facility is available right through the academic year. Please consult the timetable posted on the notice board at the pool.

### **Sports halls**

Available from the beginning of the academic year until May, these are the practice and competition venues for almost all of our indoor sports clubs and the many aerobic dance, martial arts and fitness sessions.

The daily timetable will be finalised during the first two weeks of term. The priority order for booking is as follows: Inter-college competitions; club practices; fitness classes; inter-mural competitions; commercial bookings; individual/casual bookings for sports; individual/casual bookings for non-sports activities.

To book the Hall, call in to the Fitness Centre Reception on the first floor (telephone: 01-708 6406; e-mail: fitness.centre@nuim.ie). Casual bookings are subject to availability, and a minimum of 24 hours' notice is required.

### **Aerobics**

Aerobics classes are run from Mondays to Thursdays inclusive each week at least once per day. Times of the classes will be confirmed on the timetable, but normally take place Mondays and Wednesdays at 5pm, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6pm, with each class lasting 60 minutes.

### **Fitness Centre**

The Fitness Centre is located on the first floor of the Sports Centre. It is a superb asset to students and staff alike and indeed the public.

The facility has been kitted out with the most up-to-date equipment, including 38 cardio-vascular stations (10 treadmills, 4 rowers, 1 stepper, 3 recumbent bikes, 5 upright bikes, 2 spinning bikes, 6 elliptical cross trainers), 17 resistance machines, and a selection of free weights.

The fitness centre is staffed at all times and operates on a commercial basis for University staff and members of the public.

### **Free Weights Room**

The Free Weights Room comprising 2 racks of dumbbells, 3 Olympic barbell sets, a 45-degree leg press, along with the necessary benches and pulleys is situated on the ground floor of the Sports Centre.

### **Physical Therapy Room**

Sports massage therapy and injury rehabilitation services are available in this facility. University sports teams and individuals can avail themselves of sports science qualified therapist on site. The room is also available for hire to private practitioners wishing to market their services.

### **Racquetball Court**

Located on the South Campus directly behind Logic House, the court can be booked and the key checked out from Conference & Accommodation Office reception.

### **Snooker Room**

This is run and maintained by the University's Club. The facility has three full-sized snooker tables and one pool table. Games are charged per half-hour. It is open from 9.00 a.m. to 10.00 p.m and is located in the basement of Rye Hall, north campus. Access to the room is controlled by swipe cards. Contact must be made with the snooker club executive (see <http://sports.nuim.ie/>) to apply for membership.

## **OUTDOOR**

### **Pitches and Changing: South Campus**

There are five playing fields on the south campus, including Rhetoric (floodlit, suitable for training), Highfield (one GAA, one Soccer), The Pond (one Camogie, one GAA).

There are two sets of changing-rooms on the South Campus: one set is beside the Museum and the other is housed in the former Casey Laboratory which is located between Rhetoric and Logic House.

### **Pitches and Changing: North Campus**

In one of the most significant developments on the north campus, the construction of three high quality sand-based turf playing fields on the North Campus was completed in 2005. There is a soccer, rugby and floodlit GAA pitch.

To facilitate club training sessions and internal competitions, a new "third generation" floodlit synthetic pitch is already in use.

Six new team changing rooms serve the North Campus playing fields complex as part of the sports facility development.

### **Tennis Courts**

There are four hard surface macadam tennis courts of a standard suitable for recreational play on the South Campus. Two flood-lit macadam tennis courts form part of the residences on the North Campus.

## ACTIVE CLUBS

Name of Club	Beginners catered for	League involvement	Inter-varsity representation
Aikido	Yes	Not applicable (n/a)	Not applicable (n/a)
Archery	Yes	No	Yes
Athletics	No	No	Yes
Badminton	Yes	Yes; internal	Yes
Basketball	No	Div. 1 men; Div. 1 ladies	Yes
Billiards & Snooker	Yes	Internal	Yes, champions'08'09
Boxing	Yes	No	Yes
Camógie	Yes	Yes; Div. 1	Yes
Canoe & Kayak	Yes	No	Yes
Cumann Peile	Yes	Freshers: Div. 1 Intermediate: Div. 1 Seniors: Div. 1	Yes, winners league & ch'ship '08'09 Yes
Cumann Iománóichta	Yes	Freshers; Div. 1 Intermediate: Div. 1 Seniors: Div. 1	Yes
Equestrian	Yes	No	Yes
Fencing	Yes	No	Yes
Freestyle Martial Arts	Yes	No	No
Golf	Yes	Yes	Yes, ladies champions
Handball	Yes	No	Yes
Hockey	Yes	Yes	No
Judo	Yes	No	Yes
Juggling	Yes	n/a	n/a
Karate	Yes	No	Yes
Ladies' Soccer	Yes	Div. 1	Yes
Ladies' GAA	Yes	Freshers: Div. 1 Seniors: Div. 1	Yes
Outdoor Pursuits	Yes	n/a	n/a
Men's Rugby	Yes	ICRU	Yes
Ladies Rugby	yes	IWRFU	Yes
Self-defence	Yes	n/a	n/a
Soccer	Yes	IUFU, Internal	Yes

Swimming/w'polo	Yes	No	Yes, nat. records '09
Trampoline	Yes	No	Yes
Volleyball	Yes	Yes	Yes
Yoga	Yes	n/a	n/a

### **Sport Bursaries**

A number of sport bursaries may be available to students who are registered on full-time courses.

For more information please contact the relevant Development Officer.

### **GAA**

**Development Officer:** Tom Maher, Sports Department, NUI Maynooth, Co. Kildare. Tel: (01) 708 3321;  
Fax. (01) 708 6076;  
Email: [tom.f.maher@nuim.ie](mailto:tom.f.maher@nuim.ie).

### **Golf**

**Sports Officer:** Paul Davis. Tel: (01) 708 3824, email: [paul.davis@nuim.ie](mailto:paul.davis@nuim.ie)

### **Rugby**

**Development Officer:** John Bagnall, Sports Department, NUI Maynooth, Co. Kildare. Tel: (01) 7086065.  
E-mail: [john.bagnall@nuim.ie](mailto:john.bagnall@nuim.ie)

### **Snooker**

**Sports Officer:** Paul Davis. Tel: (01) 7083824, email: [paul.davis@nuim.ie](mailto:paul.davis@nuim.ie)

### **Swimming**

**Development Officer:** Martin McGann. Tel: (01) 708 6944 / 3519. Email: [martin.mcgann@nuim.ie](mailto:martin.mcgann@nuim.ie)

### **Association Football**

**FAI Facilitator:** Barry Prenderville. Tel: (01) 708 6054, email: [barry.prenderville@fai.ie](mailto:barry.prenderville@fai.ie)

## ACTIVE CLUBS AND SOCIETIES & CLUBS AND SOCIETIES DAY

There are many clubs and societies that cover non-sporting extracurricular activities. These groups cover everything from Drama to Debating to football. You can find out about Club and Society activities from the Students' Union Office, Website, Handbook, or on the Clubs and Societies notice boards.

**Clubs & Societies Day**, which gives students the opportunity to talk to, and join, Clubs and Societies, will take place on **Wednesday, 29th September 2010** in the **Sports Complex/Student Centre, North Campus**.

### Active Clubs & Societies include:

#### Clubs:

Aikido	Judo	Rowing
Archery	Karate	Rugby
Badminton	Kickboxing	Self-Defence
Basketball	Kung Fu & Tai Chi	Ski
Boxing	Ladies' Football	Snooker
Camogie	Ladies' Soccer	Surf Club
Equestrian	Men's Football	Swimming & Waterpolo
Fencing	Men's Soccer	Trampolining
Golf	MUCK	Volleyball
Athletics	Outdoor Pursuits Club	Yoga
Hurling	Paintball	Go Karting
Table Tennis	Ultimate Frisbee	Parkour

#### Societies:

Alt. Music	LGBT	Postgraduate Society
Amnesty	Global Awareness	John Paul II
Astro2	Gospel Choir	Playdo
Biology	Harry Potter	Pro-Life
Business & Entrepreneurs	History	Psychology
Cards	International	Sociology & Politics Society
Cuallacht Choimchille	Juggling Society	Samba Society
Anthropology	Literary & Debating	Suas
Chemistry	Maths	SVP
Christian Union	Mature Students	Trad
Comedy	Media	Geography

Composers	Mikado	Jazz
Dance	Minds	Jamming
Deukuma	Mundo Latino	Young Fine Gael
Drama	Music	Young Greens
French	Ógra Fianna Fáil	Young Christian Students
Friends of Raphaels	Ógra Sinn Féin	Law Society
Electronic Music	Omega	Volunteering Society
Games	Philosophy Society	Skeptics
Economics & Finance	Tea	Spotlight

## CODE OF BEHAVIOUR FOR STUDENTS

(Appendix 5 of Statutes of the Pontifical University)

### Introduction

The purpose of this code of behaviour in the Pontifical University is to provide an appropriate framework within which the purposes and objectives of the University shall best be achieved. To enable these aims to be fulfilled in a satisfactory manner it is necessary that a suitable academic environment be maintained. A code of behaviour is a positive thing which promotes concern and respect for people's rights and property. This helps to enhance the quality of life for all members of the University community staff and students. A student who registers for any course in the University shall be expected to accept these objectives and to observe the rules and regulations of the University. A Committee of Discipline exists to help maintain good discipline within the University and its general environs.

The Code of Behaviour and its implementation shall be subject to the Statutes and the authorities of the University.

### Rules and Infringements

1. The University aims to encourage students under its aegis to pursue their studies in an atmosphere conducive to the furtherance and attainment of the scholarly and educational objectives of the University. Students are expected and required to respect the rights of fellow students and the authority of the academic and other staff in the performance of their duties and at all times to behave as responsible adults, to observe the rules and regulations of the University and to conduct themselves in a manner appropriate to the academic environment of the University and to the promotion of its objectives.

2. The University aims to encourage students to enjoy properly the facilities of the University. Students are expected and required to respect the rights of other students in the use of such facilities and privileges and to observe applicable rules or regulations and at all times to respect the property of St Patrick's College, Maynooth, of the National University of Ireland, Maynooth, and of other students, members of University or College staff and other persons working in or visiting the University or the College.

In interpreting these basic principles the Committee of Discipline would normally regard as offences against the code such examples as:

- Plagiarism, cheating, or the use of unauthorised material during an examination or other breaches of the examination regulations. Breaches of examination regulations shall be dealt with directly in accordance with Faculty regulations.
- Disruption of teaching, study, research or administration of the University or the College.
- Obstruction of members of University or College administrative staff or academic staff or of officers, students or servants of the University or the College in the performance of their duties.
- Furnishing false information to the University or the College with intent to deceive or in circumstances calculated to deceive.
- Forging, alteration or misuse of University or College documents, records or identity cards.
- Malicious or reckless damage or theft of University or College property or any other property on the College grounds. Misuse of University or College property, including library materials, or of private property on the campus.
- Forcible occupation of University or College buildings or grounds.
- Unwarranted interference with the College's safety equipment, fire fighting equipment and alarm systems.
- Refusal to produce an ID Card when requested to do so by a University or College staff member who shall identify himself/herself.

- Failure to pay a fine or comply with a penalty imposed for a breach of discipline (subject to any right of appeal applicable).
- Failure to comply with the regulations governing the use of Computer services and Library services.
- Offences similar to those listed above carried out against staff, students, teaching, study, research, examinations, administration, property or general functioning of the National University of Ireland, Maynooth.
- Physical abuse, or verbal or written abuse of a defamatory nature of another person.
- Reckless conduct endangering the safety of other persons or resulting in nuisance.
- Abuse, harassment, intimidation or bullying.
- Lewd, indecent or insulting behaviour likely to give rise to offence.
- Conduct which is offensive to or injurious to the Christian faith or the Catholic Church.
- Conduct which is likely to give scandal.

### **Membership of the Committee of Discipline**

Dean of the Faculty of Theology or his delegate

Two teachers elected by the Council of the Faculty

One of the two student representatives on the Council of the Faculty of Theology.

Academic members are elected for a period of three years, student representatives for a period of one year.

The Dean or his delegate shall be the Chairman of the Committee and one of the teachers shall be the Secretary. Three members, one at least of whom must be a student representative, shall constitute a quorum. Should a meeting duly called fail to have a quorum because no student representative is in attendance, then the proposed meeting may proceed within a reasonable time, provided that three committee members are in attendance. An agenda will be circulated in advance of Committee meetings and its deliberations will be kept in confidence. In the event of a tie, the Chairman shall have a casting vote.

## **Procedure**

It is open to any staff or student member of the University community to report any complaint to the Chairman of the Committee of Discipline. If he considers it necessary, the Chairman shall inform the President. The President or his nominee shall have the power to exclude from College premises if he deems fit any person against whom it is alleged that he/she has been in serious breach of University rules while the alleged breach of discipline is being investigated.

The Chairman of the Committee of Discipline is empowered to handle summarily what he regards as minor breaches of discipline. In cases where he adjudges the alleged breach to be of a serious character he shall refer the issue in writing to the Committee of Discipline at the earliest convenient opportunity.

An effort must be made to inform the student in writing of the alleged offence detailing the grounds of the allegation and informing the student of his/her rights and inviting him/her to attend a meeting of the Committee of Discipline convened to deal with the matter(s) and to answer the complaint. If a student fails to attend the meeting the case will be heard in his/her absence. The student may have present to assist him/her in the proceedings a representative who is a registered student or a member of the academic or administrative staff of the University. The University or student may at any stage have a legal adviser present subject to prior notice having been given to the members of the committee and the student under investigation. If a member of the Committee of Discipline is a complainant or is otherwise involved in the alleged breach of conduct he/she shall be replaced at the hearing by a nominee of the President.

The Committee, having received the evidence and conducted the enquiry, shall deliberate in private and shall notify the student of the outcome within three days, where possible. The Committee shall forward a written report of its handling of any serious breach of conduct to the President.

In the event of an apparent or alleged breach of criminal law, the President at any stage of the proceedings may refer the matter to the appropriate authorities.

## **Penalties/Recommendations**

The Committee of Discipline may recommend to the President that a sanction such as one of the following be imposed upon a student who has been found in breach of discipline.

*Expulsion* - that the student cease to be a member of the University and that he/she be barred from any property occupied by the University or the College. This penalty shall appear on the student's record.

*Withdrawal* - that the student be required to withdraw from the University permanently or for a stated period.

*Suspension* - that the student be suspended from the University for a stated period or be barred from certain activities.

*Fine* - that the student be fined a sum determined by the committee.

*Community Service* - that the student be asked to carry out a specified form of community service in the University or the College.

*Reprimand* - that the student be reprimanded and warned that if further breaches of discipline occur in future his/her present offence would be taken into consideration by the Committee in making a decision.

*Conditional Discharge* - that no further action be taken against the student provided he/she fulfils the conditions laid down by the Committee. The Committee may also give an absolute discharge.

The Committee may reserve the right to impose conditions involving compensation in the case of damage to property or persons.

### **Appeals Procedure**

A student who is aggrieved by a decision of the Committee of Discipline shall have the right of appeal to the President. The President may hear the appeal personally or may nominate an Appeals Committee of three members to hear the appeal. Appeals shall be brought within two weeks of the notification of the outcome of the original judgement. Appeals will not normally involve a full rehearing of the evidence but submissions may be made in writing or in person; new evidence may be heard. Two of the members of the Appeals Committee shall be appointed by the President, one of them a member of the academic staff; the third member shall be the other student representative on the Council of the Faculty. The appellant shall convey in writing to the President the grounds of the appeal and any relevant evidence in support of his/her case. He/she may be accompanied by a student of the University or by a member of the academic or administrative staff of the University. The University or student may at any stage have a legal adviser present subject to prior notice having been given to the members of the Committee and the student under investigation. The President or the Appeals Committee may affirm, reverse or vary any decision of the Committee of Discipline, or may remit the case to the Committee of Discipline for reconsideration. The decision arrived at through the appeals procedure shall be final.

## EXAMINATION APPEALS

The following are the procedures for the Discussion, Checking and Appeal of Examination Results. These Procedures shall be implemented by the Supervisor of Examinations.

### 1. Procedure for Discussion of Examination Results

The Faculty shall arrange a specific date within 10 days of the publication of examination results on which students may discuss their theology examination results with the relevant departments of the Faculty. (This arrangement to be in addition to any other arrangement which Departments may make).

### 2. Procedure for Checking of Examination Results

- (I) Students may formally request the Supervisor of Examinations, Theology Office, in writing, within four weeks from the date of publication of results in College, or, in exceptional circumstances, within such extended period as allowed by the President of the College, to arrange a check of their examination result.
- (ii) The Supervisor of Examinations shall communicate with the relevant Head of Department of his/her nominee, who shall arrange to have the results checked as soon as possible. The formal check shall ensure that all parts of the examination (including continuous assessment) have been marked and that no errors occurred in the recording, collating or combining of marks which determined the result.
- (iii) The outcome of the checking of an examination results shall be communicated in writing by the Head of Department, or his/her nominee, to the Supervisor of Examinations who shall, if such an error has occurred, make the necessary arrangements to have the result amended and inform the student concerned without delay.
- (iv) There shall be a fee for checking of an examination result.

### 3. Procedure for Appeal of Examination Results

#### 3.1 Grounds for Appeal

- (i) there is evidence of substantive irregularity in the conduct of the examination;
- (ii) the student has grounds to indicate that the checking of his/her examination result was not properly carried out;

- (iii) there are circumstances which the Examination Board was not aware of when its decision was taken.

Students who are appealing under ground 3 (ii) above are obliged to request a recheck through the Theology Office. Any subsequent appeal will be based on the outcome of this initial recheck and must be lodged within three weeks of the notification of the recheck. Students who are appealing under ground 3 (iii) must outline the steps taken to notify the Department concerned of the circumstances relevant to their appeal, and the response to any such notification. If no steps were taken in this regard, please explain why this was the case.

### 3.2 **Appeals Procedure**

- (i) A student who wishes to appeal an examination result must do so in writing, setting out the grounds for the appeal in full, and any supporting evidence, to the Supervisor of Examinations, Theology Office, within four weeks of the issuing of the examination results. There shall be a fee for an examination appeal. If a student wishes to appeal following the result of a recheck as under 2(i), he/she must appeal within three weeks of being notified of the recheck outcome.
- (ii) Upon receipt of a written appeal, the Supervisor of Examinations shall inform the Examinations Appeal Committee and the relevant Head(s) of Department(s) that an appeal has been lodged. Where an appeal arises in an Arts Subject the Board of Appeal shall be that of NUIM.
- (iii) Pending the outcome of an appeal, students should be advised as follows:
  - (a) An appeal may not necessarily be successful;
  - (b) Students should avail themselves of any opportunity to re-present for examination, on the understanding that a re-sitting of an examination would not prejudice their appeal in any way;
  - (c) The conferring of a degree, where relevant, may be deferred, pending the final outcome of the appeal.

### 3.3 **Examination Appeals Committee**

- (i) The Examination Appeals Committee shall consist of four members appointed by Faculty of Theology. Three of these shall be members of the Faculty and one external member. The

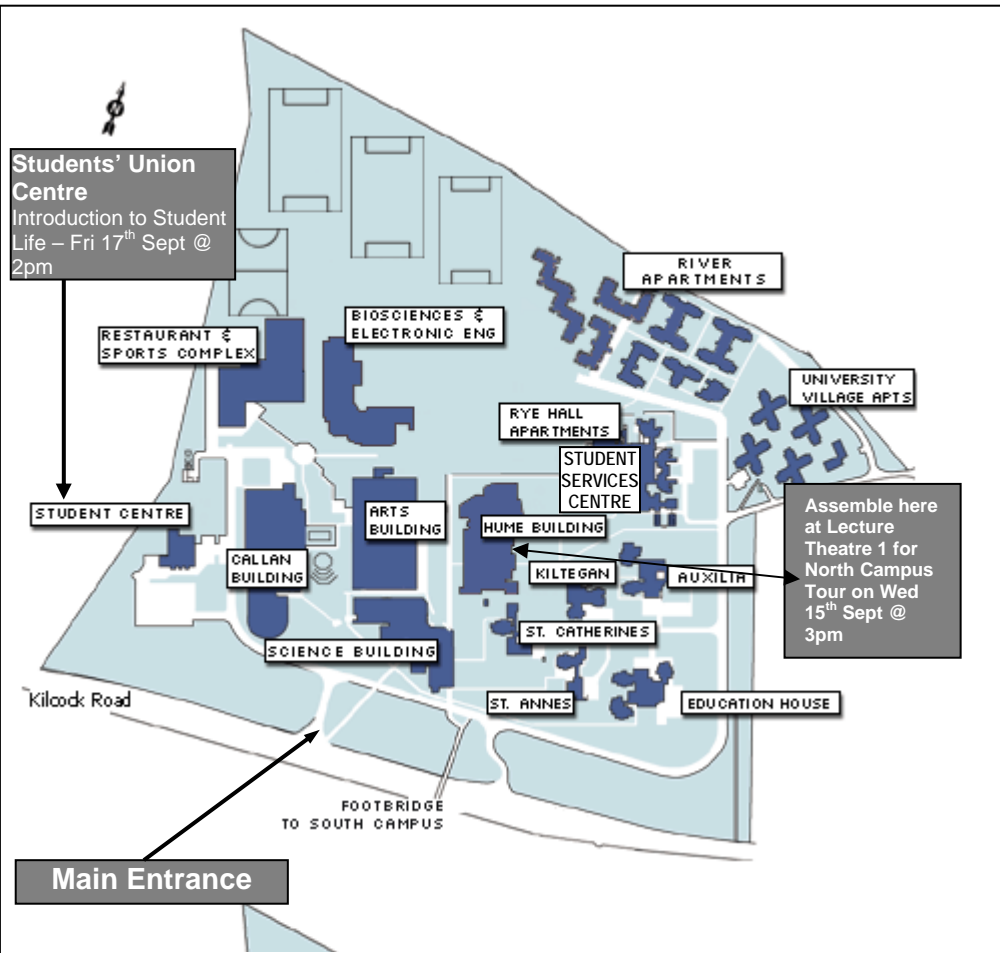
Supervisor of Examinations shall not be a member of the Committee. The quorum for any meeting of the Committee shall be three members. The Faculty shall appoint one of its members as Chairperson of the Committee.

- (ii) The Faculty of Theology shall also appoint three alternate members, who will be called on in the event of the unavoidable absence of a member of the Committee or his/her involvement in the appeal under consideration. The alternate members may include extern examiners from subjects other than that involved in the appeal. The President of the College may, on the request of the Chairperson of the Committee, appoint additional alternate members provided that such appointments shall lapse unless ratified by the next meeting of the Faculty.
- (iii) The Examination Appeals Committee shall consider the appeal and the grounds on which it is based, and may, as appropriate, consult with the internal and external examiner(s). The Committee's decision shall be by majority vote, and, in the event of equality of votes, by the casting vote of the chairperson. The chairperson of the Committee shall inform the President, the Faculty and the student regarding the outcome of the appeal.
- (iv) The Examination Appeals Committee shall complete its business with reasonable expedition, normally within four weeks of the date of the acceptance of the appeal.
- (v) The decision of the Examination Appeals Committee shall be final.

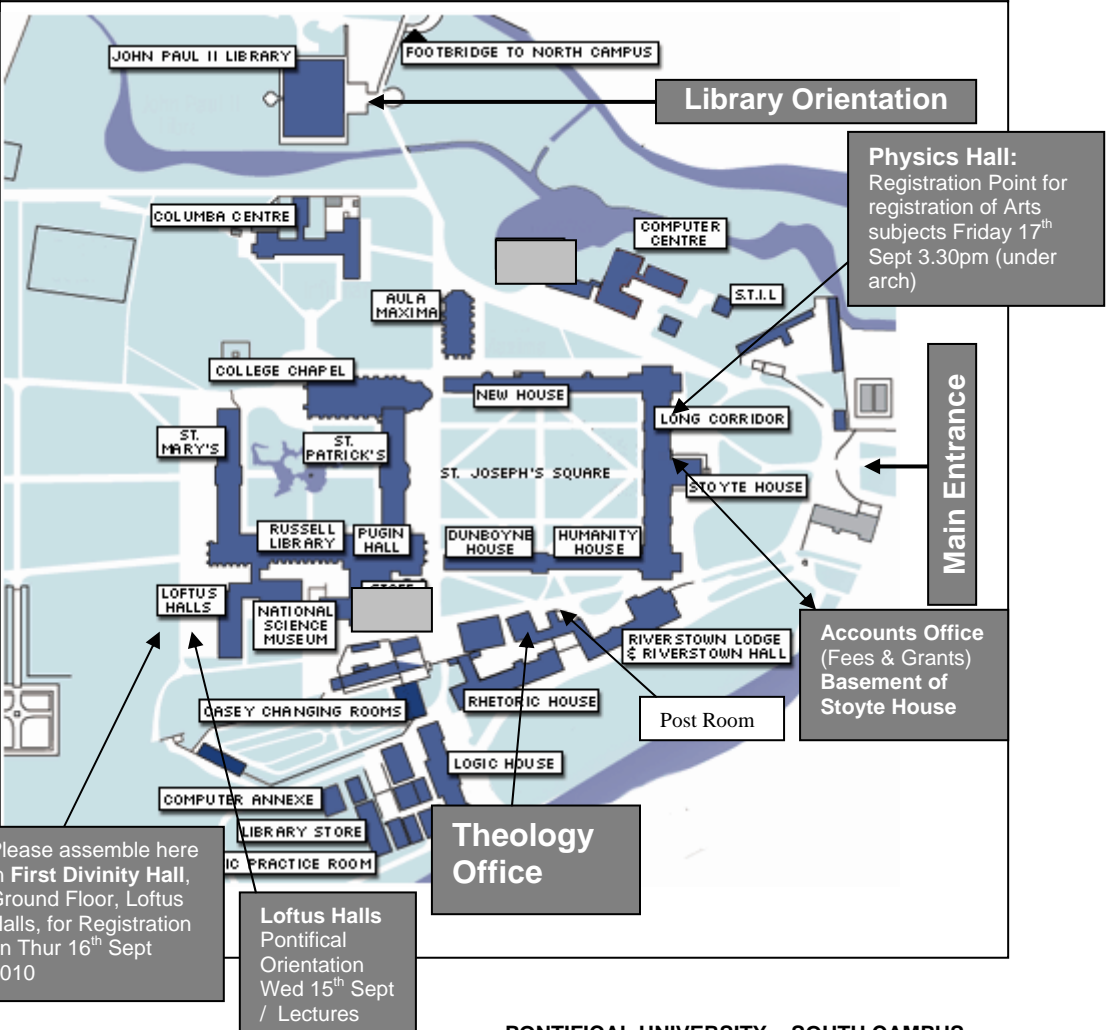
## **KALENDARIAM**

Students are advised to read the current Kalendarium (2010-2011) in order to familiarise themselves with the rules and regulations, as well as marks and standards. The Kalendarium also gives full details of all the modules on offer. All theology students will receive a copy of the Kalendarium at registration

# North Campus



# South Campus



**Private Buses serving Maynooth for 2010-2011 academic year are listed as follows:**

**Destinations**

Kilkenny Carlow	<b>Callinan Coaches</b>	Weekly	059 9141619 086 6478277
Wexford Enniscorthy Buncloody Tullow Castledermot	<b>Ardcavan Coaches</b> www.ardcavan.com	Weekly	053 9122561 053 9124900
Dundalk Drogheda Duleek Kilmoon Ashbourne Ratoath	<b>Finlays Coaches</b> <a href="http://www.finlaycoaches.com">www.finlaycoaches.com</a>	Weekly Daily Daily Daily Daily Daily	041 6856505
Monaghan Castleblaney Carrickmacross Ardee Collon Slane	<b>A2B Coaches</b>	Weekly	047 89831 087 2779070
Dundrum Rathfarmham Templeogue Tallaght Clondalkin	<b>Slevins, Mullingar</b> www.slevinscoaches.com	Daily	044 9372157 044 9372777
Cavan Virginia Kells Navan Trim Dunshaughlin Dunboyne	<b>Streamline Coaches</b>	Daily	049 4330281 086 8182555 086 8181561
<b>Service I</b> Carlow Athy Kilmead Ballytore Kilcullen	<b>J.J. Kavanagh &amp; Sons</b> www.jjkavanagh.ie	Daily	056 8831106
<b>Service II</b> Newbridge Naas Sallins			

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**Service I**

Daingean	<b>Offaly &amp; Kildare</b>	Daily	045 528124
Croghan	<b>Community Transport</b>		045 528125
Rhode	(OK Transport)		045 528126
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Johnstownbridge			

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Allenwood  
Robertstown  
Blackwood  
Prosperous  
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**Service III**

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Bracknagh  
Rathangan  
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Portlaoise	www.jjkavanagh.ie		
Mountmellick			
Portarlinton			
Monasterevin			
Kildare			
Newbridge			
Naas			
Sallins			
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Birr	<b>Kearns' Transport</b>	Daily	057 9120124
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Kinnegad			086 8981748
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Waterford  
Limerick  
Nenagh  
Roscrea

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**Information correct going to print.**

**Please contact relevant bus companies for further details or telephone the Students' Union in Maynooth on (01) 708 3669.**

Dublin – Maynooth – Longford – Monday – Saturday (excluding public holidays)

Baile Átha Cliath – Maigh Nuad – Longfort – Luan go Satharn (gan Saoire Phoiblí san áireamh)

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<b>DOCKLANDS</b>	Dep	..	..	..	..	..	..	07.45	..	..	08.25	..	08.57	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
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<b>Broombridge</b>	Dep	05.39	06.19	06.49	..	07.21	07.39	07.51	..	08.15	08.31	08.38	09.03	..	09.24	09.59	10.30	..	11.26	12.26	12.59	..	13.56	14.28	14.55	..	15.26	15.54
<b>Ashtown</b>	Dep	05.42	06.22	06.52	....	07.24	07.42	07.54	....	08.18	08.34	08.41	09.06	....	09.27	10.02	10.33	....	11.29	12.29	13.02	....	13.59	14.31	14.58	....	15.29	15.57
<b>Phoenix Park</b>	Dep	05.44	06.24	06.54	..	07.26	07.44	07.56	..	08.20	08.36	08.43	09.08	..	09.29	10.04	10.35	..	11.31	12.31	13.04	..	14.01	14.33	15.00	..	15.31	15.59
<b>Castleknock</b>	Dep	05.46	06.26	06.56	....	07.28	07.46	07.58	....	08.22	08.38	08.45	09.10	....	09.31	10.06	10.37	....	11.33	12.33	13.06	....	14.03	14.35	15.02	....	15.33	16.01
<b>Coolmine</b>	Dep	05.49	06.29	06.59	..	07.31	07.49	08.01	..	08.25	08.41	08.48	09.13	..	09.34	10.09	10.40	..	11.36	12.36	13.09	..	14.06	14.38	15.05	..	15.36	16.04
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<b>Leixlip (Confey)</b>	Dep	05.56	06.36	07.06	..	07.38	07.56	..	..	08.32	..	08.55	..	..	09.41	10.16	10.47	..	11.43	12.43	13.16	..	14.13	14.45	..	..	15.43	16.11
<b>Leixlip (Louisa Bridge)</b>	Dep	05.59	06.39	07.09	....	07.41	07.59	....	....	08.35	....	08.58	....	....	09.44	10.19	10.50	....	11.46	12.46	13.19	....	14.16	14.48	....	....	15.46	16.14
<b>MAYNOOTH</b>	Arr	06.07	06.47	07.17	07.32	07.48	08.06	..	08.24	08.42	..	09.06	..	09.36	09.52	10.27	10.58	11.35	11.54	12.54	13.27	13.35	14.24	14.55	..	15.34	15.54	16.21
<b>Kilcock</b>	Dep	....	....	....	07.39	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	09.43	....	....	....	....	11.42	....	....	....	13.41	....	....	....	15.41	....
<b>Enfield</b>	Arr	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	09.52	..	..	..	..	11.51	..	..	..	13.51	..	..	..	15.50	..
<b>Mullingar</b>	Arr	....	....	....	08.17	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10.17	....	....	....	....	12.16	....	....	....	14.15	....	....	....	16.15	....
<b>Edgeworthstown</b>	Dep	..	..	..	08.37	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10.37	..	..	..	..	12.36	..	..	..	14.34	..	..	..	16.35	..
<b>LONGFORD</b>	Arr	....	....	....	08.48	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10.47	....	....	....	....	12.46	....	....	....	14.44	....	....	....	16.45	....
		..	..	..	To Sligo	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	To Sligo	..	..	..	..	To Sligo	..	..	..	To Sligo	..	..	..	To Sligo	..

Dublin – Maynooth – Longford – Monday – Saturday (excluding public holidays)

Baile Átha Cliath – Maigh Nuad – Longfort – Luan go Satharn (gan Saoire Phoiblí san áireamh)

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DUBLIN Pearse	Dep	....	....	15.55	....	16.09	16.38	....	....	....	....	....	17.37	17.37	....	....	....	18.08	18.30	....	18.59	....	19.29	19.59	20.59	21.55	23.10
Tara Street	Dep	..	..	15.58	..	16.13	16.41	..	..	..	..	..	17.40	17.40	..	..	..	18.12	18.33	..	19.02	..	19.32	20.01	21.02	21.58	23.13
DUBLIN Connolly <b>L A</b>	Dep	<b>15.52</b>	16.00	16.05	....	16.18	16.46	....	17.05	17.15	17.28	....	17.44	17.44	18.05	18.08	....	18.17	18.37	19.05	19.10	....	19.36	20.05	21.06	22.02	23.17
DOCKLANDS	Dep	..	..	..	16.15	..	..	17.10	..	..	..	17.40	..	..	..	..	18.15	..	..	..	..	19.20	..	..	..	..	..
Drumcondra	Dep	<b>15.56</b>	16.05	16.10	....	16.23	16.50	....	....	17.19	17.32	....	17.48	17.48	....	18.12	....	18.22	18.41	....	19.14	....	19.40	20.10	21.10	22.06	23.21
Broombridge	Dep	<b>16.01</b>	..	16.15	16.21	16.28	16.55	17.17	..	17.24	17.37	17.46	17.53	17.53	..	18.17	18.21	18.27	18.46	..	19.19	19.26	19.45	20.15	21.15	22.11	23.26
Ashtown	Dep	<b>16.04</b>	....	16.18	16.24	16.31	16.58	17.20	....	17.28	17.40	17.49	17.57	17.57	....	18.20	18.24	18.30	18.49	....	19.22	19.29	19.48	20.18	21.18	22.14	23.29
Phoenix Park	Dep	<b>16.06</b>	..	16.20	16.26	16.33	17.00	17.22	..	17.29	17.42	17.51	17.58	17.58	..	18.22	18.26	18.32	18.51	..	19.24	19.31	19.50	20.20	21.20	22.16	23.31
Castleknock	Dep	<b>16.08</b>	....	16.22	16.28	16.35	17.02	17.24	....	17.32	17.44	17.53	18.01	18.01	....	18.24	18.28	18.34	18.53	....	19.26	19.33	19.52	20.22	21.22	22.18	23.33
Coolmine	Dep	<b>16.11</b>	..	16.25	16.31	16.38	17.05	17.27	..	17.35	17.47	17.56	18.04	18.04	..	18.27	18.31	18.37	18.56	..	19.29	19.36	19.55	20.25	21.25	22.21	23.36
CLONSILLA	Arr	<b>16.13</b>	....	16.27	16.33	16.40	17.07	17.29	....	17.38	17.49	17.58	18.06	18.06	....	18.29	18.34	18.39	18.58	....	19.31	19.39	19.57	20.27	21.27	22.23	23.38
Leixlip (Confey)	Dep	..	..	16.32	..	16.45	17.12	..	..	17.44	17.54	..	18.11	18.11	..	18.34	..	18.45	19.03	..	19.36	..	20.02	20.32	21.32	22.28	23.43
Leixlip (Louisa Bridge)	Dep	....	....	16.35	....	16.48	17.15	....	....	17.47	17.57	....	18.14	18.14	....	18.37	....	18.49	19.06	....	19.39	....	20.05	20.35	21.35	22.31	23.46
MAYNOOTH	Arr	..	16.28	16.43	..	16.56	17.23	..	17.34	17.56	18.06	..	18.22	18.22	18.32	18.45	..	18.59	19.15	19.35	19.48	..	20.14	20.43	21.43	22.39	23.54
Kilcock	Dep	....	16.35	....	....	....	....	....	17.40	18.05	....	....	....	....	18.39	....	....	19.06	....	19.43	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Enfield	Arr	..	<b>16.44</b>	..	..	..	..	..	17.50	18.14	..	..	..	..	18.48	..	..	19.15	..	19.52	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mullingar	Arr	....	17.14	....	....	....	....	....	18.14	18.43	....	....	....	....	19.16	....	....	19.48	....	20.17	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Edgeworthstown	Dep	..	17.33	..	..	..	..	..	18.34	19.11	..	..	..	..	19.37	..	..	20.08	..	20.36	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
LONGFORD	Arr	....	17.44	....	....	....	....	....	18.45	19.23	....	....	....	....	19.48	....	....	20.19	....	20.47	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
		..	To Sligo	..	..	..	..	..	To Sligo	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	To Sligo	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Dublin – Maynooth – Longford – Sunday (Excluding Public Holidays)

Baile Átha Cliath – Maigh Nuad – Longfort – Domhnach (gan Saoire Phoiblí san áireamh)

		SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN	SUN
<b>DUBLIN Pearse</b>	Dep	....	09.30	10.30	11.35	12.42	....	13.45	14.43	....	15.42	....	16.43	....	17.45	18.43	....	19.43	20.45
<b>Tara Street</b>	Dep	..	09.33	10.33	11.38	12.45	..	13.48	14.46	..	15.45	..	16.46	..	17.48	18.46	..	19.46	20.48
<b>DUBLIN Connolly</b> <b>L</b> <b>A</b>	Dep	09.05	09.37	10.37	11.42	12.49	13.05	13.52	14.50	15.05	15.49	16.00	16.50	17.05	17.52	18.50	19.05	19.50	20.52
<b>DOCKLANDS</b>	Dep	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<b>Drumcondra</b>	Dep	....	09.41	10.41	11.46	12.53	....	13.56	14.54	....	15.53	....	16.54	....	17.56	18.54	....	19.54	20.56
<b>Broombridge</b>	Dep	..	09.46	10.46	11.51	12.58	..	14.01	14.59	..	15.58	..	16.59	..	18.01	18.59	..	19.59	21.01
<b>Ashtown</b>	Dep	....	09.49	10.49	11.54	13.01	....	14.04	15.02	....	16.01	....	17.02	....	18.04	19.02	....	20.02	21.04
<b>Phoenix Park</b>	Dep	..	09.51	10.51	11.56	13.03	..	14.06	15.04	..	16.03	..	17.04	..	18.06	19.04	..	20.04	21.06
<b>Castleknock</b>	Dep	....	09.53	10.53	11.58	13.05	....	14.08	15.06	....	16.05	....	17.06	....	18.08	19.06	....	20.06	21.08
<b>Coolmine</b>	Dep	..	09.56	10.56	12.01	13.08	..	14.11	15.09	..	16.08	..	17.09	..	18.11	19.09	..	20.09	21.11
<b>Clonsilla</b>	Arr	....	09.58	10.58	12.03	13.10	....	14.13	15.11	....	16.10	....	17.11	....	18.13	19.11	....	20.11	21.13
<b>Leixlip (Confey)</b>	Dep	..	10.03	11.03	12.08	13.15	..	14.18	15.16	..	16.15	..	17.16	..	18.18	19.16	..	20.16	21.18
<b>Leixlip (Louisa Bridge)</b>	Dep	....	10.06	11.06	12.11	13.18	....	14.21	15.19	....	16.18	....	17.19	....	18.21	19.19	....	20.19	21.21
<b>MAYNOOTH</b>	Arr	09.32	10.15	11.15	12.20	13.27	13.32	14.30	15.27	15.33	16.25	16.29	17.26	17.31	18.30	19.27	19.32	20.28	21.28
<b>Kilcock</b>	Dep	09.38	....	....	....	....	13.39	....	....	15.40	....	16.35	....	17.37	....	....	19.39	....	....
<b>Enfield</b>	Arr	09.48	..	..	..	..	13.48	..	..	15.49	..	16.45	..	17.46	..	..	19.50	..	..
<b>Mullingar</b>	Arr	10.12	....	....	....	....	14.13	....	....	16.14	....	17.14	....	18.11	....	....	20.15	....	....
<b>Edgeworthstown</b>	Dep	10.31	..	..	..	..	14.32	..	..	16.33	..	17.33	..	18.32	..	..	20.34	..	..
<b>LONGFORD</b>	Arr	10.43	....	....	....	....	14.42	....	....	16.43	....	17.43	....	18.43	....	....	20.45	....	....
	To Sligo	..	..	..	..	..	To Sligo	..	..	To Sligo	..	To Sligo	..	To Sligo	..	..	To Sligo	..	..

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Longford – Maynooth – Dublin – Sunday (Excluding Public Holidays)

Longford – Maigh Nuad – Baile Átha Cliath – Domhnach (gan Saoire Phoiblí san áireamh)

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<b>LONGFORD</b>	Dep	....	From Sligo 10.15	....	....	From Sligo 12.15	....	....	From Sligo 14.15	....	....	From Sligo 16.15	....	....	From Sligo 18.17	....	....	From Sligo 20.15	....
Edgeworthstown	Dep	....	10.32	....	....	12.27	....	....	14.33	....	....	16.33	....	....	18.33	....	....	20.35	....
Mullingar	Dep	..	10.51	..	..	12.46	..	..	14.52	..	..	16.52	..	..	18.52	..	..	20.54	..
Enfield	Dep	....	11.16	....	....	13.11	....	....	15.17	....	....	....	....	....	19.17	....	....	21.19	....
Kilcock	Dep	..	11.25	..	..	13.20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21.28	..
<b>MAYNOOTH</b>	Dep	10.30	11.31	11.40	12.30	13.27	13.40	14.40	15.31	15.40	16.40	17.30	17.40	18.40	19.31	19.40	20.43	21.35	21.40
Leixlip (Louisa Bridge)	Dep	10.37	..	11.47	12.37	..	13.47	14.47	..	15.47	16.47	..	17.47	18.47	..	19.47	20.50	..	21.47
Leixlip (Confey)	Dep	10.40	....	11.50	12.40	....	13.50	14.50	....	15.50	16.50	....	17.50	18.50	....	19.50	20.53	....	21.50
Clonsilla	Dep	10.45	..	11.55	12.45	..	13.55	14.55	..	15.55	16.55	..	17.55	18.55	..	19.55	20.58	..	21.55
Coolmine	Dep	10.48	....	11.58	12.48	....	13.58	14.58	....	15.58	16.58	....	17.58	18.58	....	19.58	21.01	....	21.58
Castleknock	Dep	10.51	..	12.01	12.51	..	14.01	15.01	..	16.01	17.01	..	18.01	19.01	..	20.01	21.04	..	22.01
Phoenix Park	Dep	10.54	....	12.04	12.54	....	14.04	15.04	....	16.04	17.04	....	18.04	19.04	....	20.04	21.07	....	22.04
Ashtown	Dep	10.56	..	12.06	12.56	..	14.06	15.06	..	16.06	17.06	..	18.06	19.06	..	20.06	21.09	..	22.06
Broombridge	Dep	10.59	....	12.09	12.59	....	14.09	15.09	....	16.09	17.09	....	18.09	19.09	....	20.09	21.12	....	22.09
Drumcondra	Dep	11.04	..	12.14	13.04	..	14.14	15.14	..	16.14	17.14	17.53	18.14	19.14	19.56	20.14	21.17	21.59	22.14
<b>DOCKLANDS</b>	Arr	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
<b>DUBLIN Connolly</b> <b>L A</b>	Arr	11.08	12.03	12.18	13.10	13.55	14.18	15.18	16.06	16.18	17.18	17.59	18.19	19.18	20.04	20.18	21.21	22.09	22.18
Tara Street	Dep	11.11	....	12.21	13.13	....	14.21	15.21	....	16.21	17.21	....	18.22	19.21	....	20.21	21.24	....	22.21
<b>DUBLIN Pearse</b>	Arr	11.14	..	12.24	13.16	..	14.24	15.24	..	16.24	17.23	..	18.25	19.24	..	20.24	21.27	..	22.24

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Dublin – Sligo – Monday - Sunday (excluding public holidays)

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DUBLIN Connolly <b>L A</b>	Dep	07.05	09.05	11.05	13.05	15.05	16.00	17.05	17.15	18.05	From Bray	18.17	19.05
Drumcondra	Dep	....	....	....	....	....	16.05	....	17.19	....	18.22	....	
Maynooth	Dep	07.32	09.37	11.36	13.35	15.35	16.29	17.34	17.57	18.33	18.59	19.37	
Kilcock	Dep	07.39	09.43	11.42	13.41	15.41	16.35	17.40	18.05	18.39	19.06	19.43	
Enfield	Dep	..	09.52	11.51	13.51	15.50	16.44	17.50	18.15	18.48	19.20	19.53	
Mullingar	Dep	08.17	10.17	12.16	14.15	16.15	17.14	18.14	18.51	19.16	19.48	20.17	
Edgeworthstown	Dep	08.37	10.37	12.36	14.34	16.35	17.33	18.34	19.11	19.37	20.08	20.36	
LONGFORD	Dep	08.48	10.47	12.46	14.44	16.45	17.44	18.45	19.23	19.48	20.19	20.47	
Dromod	Dep	09.00	11.00	12.59	14.57	16.58	18.01	18.58	..	..	..	20.59	
Carrick-on-Shannon	Dep	09.16	11.16	13.14	15.13	17.13	18.16	19.15	....	....	....	21.16	
Boyle	Dep	09.33	11.35	13.34	15.34	17.34	18.28	19.35	..	..	..	21.29	
Ballymote	Dep	09.48	11.50	13.49	15.49	17.49	18.43	19.50	....	....	....	21.44	
Collooney	Dep	09.58	11.59	13.59	15.59	17.58	18.52	19.59	..	..	..	21.54	
SLIGO	Arr	10.09	12.10	14.10	16.10	18.10	19.07	20.10	....	....	....	22.05	

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09.38	13.39	15.40	16.35	17.37	19.39
09.48	13.48	15.49	16.45	17.46	19.51
10.12	14.13	16.14	17.14	18.11	20.15
10.31	14.32	16.33	17.33	18.32	20.34
10.43	14.42	16.43	17.43	18.43	20.45
10.56	14.56	16.56	18.01	18.57	20.57
11.13	15.12	17.12	18.16	19.13	21.14
11.34	15.34	17.34	18.28	19.35	21.27
11.49	15.49	17.49	18.43	19.50	21.42
11.59	15.58	17.58	18.52	19.59	21.52
12.10	16.10	18.10	19.09	20.10	22.04

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Sligo – Dublin – Monday - Sunday (excluding public holidays)

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		MON TO FRI	MON TO FRI	MON TO FRI	MON TO SAT	MON TO SAT	MON TO SAT	MON TO SAT	MON TO SAT	MON TO SAT	MON TO SAT	MON TO FRI
SLIGO	Dep	....	....	05.45	07.00	09.00	11.00	13.00	15.00	17.00	19.00	....
Collooney	Dep	..	..	05.53	07.09	09.09	11.09	13.09	15.09	17.09	19.09	..
Ballymote	Dep	....	....	06.02	07.18	09.18	11.18	13.18	15.18	17.18	19.19	....
Boyle	Dep	..	..	06.17	07.33	09.34	11.33	13.33	15.33	17.33	19.34	..
Carrick-on-Shannon	Dep	....	....	06.28	07.45	09.47	11.46	13.46	15.46	17.46	19.45	....
Dromod	Dep	..	..	06.44	08.00	10.02	12.01	14.01	16.01	18.00	20.00	..
LONGFORD	Dep	05.45	06.15	06.58	08.15	10.17	12.16	14.16	16.16	18.15	20.21	21.05
Edgeworthstown	Dep	05.58	06.27	07.08	08.37	10.36	12.35	14.34	16.34	18.33	20.37	21.18
Mullingar	Dep	06.18	06.48	07.27	08.55	10.54	12.53	14.53	16.52	18.52	20.55	21.38
Enfield	Dep	06.43	07.13	07.52	09.20	11.19	13.18	15.18	17.17	..	21.20	22.02
Kilcock	Dep	06.51	07.21	08.02	09.29	11.28	13.27	15.27	17.26	....	21.29	22.10
Maynooth	Dep	06.58	07.29	08.10	09.36	11.35	13.34	15.34	17.33	19.34	21.36	22.17
Drumcondra	Dep	07.32	08.08	08.38	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
DUBLIN Connolly	Arr	07.36	08.18	08.48	10.05	12.01	14.00	15.59	18.00	20.02	22.02	22.50
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# Baile Átha Cliath – Sligeach Dublin – Sligo

Bailí ó 29th Samhain 2009 go bhfógrófar a mhalairt  
Valid 29th November 2009 until further notice

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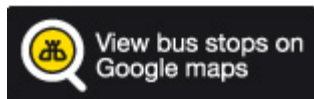
**INTERCITY**

Buses from/to  
 Pearse Street to Maynooth (Straffan Road)  
 Operative Date: 01/01/2009

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Towards Maynooth (Straffan Rd.)  
 Sráid an Phiarsaigh , Sráid Gheata na Páirce , Séipéal Iosóid , Baile Phámar  
 (Bóthar Kennelsfort) , Sráidbhaile Leamhcáin , Sráidbhaile Léim an Bhradáin ,  
 Maigh Nuad (Bóthar Theach Srafáin)



Buses leave  
 terminus at  
 Route  
 Variations  
 p From  
 Parkgate Street  
 k To Kilcock

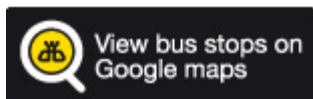
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22:55 23:10k 23:30		

Pearse St. >> 15mins >> Parkgate St. >> 10mins >> Chapelizod >> 10mins >> Palmerstown (Kennelsfort Rd.) >> 15mins >> Lucan Village >> 10mins >> Leixlip Village >> 10mins >> Maynooth (Straffan Rd.)

All times are off peak estimates

Towards Pearse St.  
 Maigh Nuad (Bóthar Theach Srafáin) , Sráidbhaile Léim an Bhradáin , Sráidbhaile  
 Leamhcáin , Baile Phámar (Bóthar Kennelsfort) , Séipéal Iosóid , Sráid Gheata na  
 Páirce , Sráid an Phiarsaigh

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Buses leave  
 terminus at  
 Route  
 Variations  
 p To Parkgate  
 Street

Monday to Friday	Saturday	Sunday
06:05 06:20 06:30k 07:05	06:35 06:45k 07:30 08:10	08:00s 09:45 10:40 11:35
07:25 08:05 08:35 09:05	08:45 09:15 09:30 10:20	12:20 13:05 13:45 14:25

Straffan Road via Main Street Maynooth, via Dublin Road to Intel via Celbridge Rd., Young's Cross, Castletown, Leixlip Village and Lucan Village to City Centre	09:30k	10:05	10:35	11:05	10:50	11:40	12:10	12:40	14:50	15:40	16:05	16:40
	11:35	12:05	12:35	13:05	13:10	13:45	14:30	15:05k	16:55	17:45	18:10	18:40
	13:35	14:05	14:30	15:00	15:15	15:45	16:05	16:35	19:20	19:50	20:25	21:00
	15:25	15:30	16:00	16:35	17:10k	17:20	17:50k	18:25	21:30	22:30	23:00	23:30
	16:45	17:00k	17:45	17:55b	18:40	19:15	19:45	20:20	23:55f			
	18:10	18:15k	18:30	18:55	21:35	22:10	22:25	23:15p				
	19:30	19:50	20:30k	20:55	00:00f							
	21:20	21:55	22:30	23:00								
	23:25	23:55p	00:00f									

b From Louisa Bridge

f From Kilcock to Parkgate Street

Maynooth (Straffan Rd.) >> 10mins >> Leixlip Village >> 10mins >> Lucan Village >> 15mins >> Palmerstown (Kennelsfort Rd.) >> 10mins >> Chapelizod >> 10mins >> Parkgate St. >> 15mins >> Pearse St.

All times are off peak estimates

Fare Stages	25 75 Pearse St.	43 57 Lucan Hill
	26 74 Capel St. Bridge	44 56 Lucan Village
	27 73 Mellows Bridge	45 55 Ball Alley House
	28 72 Sean Heuston Bridge	46 54 Lucan Rd. (Celbridge Rd.)
	29 71 Conyngham Rd. Bus Garage	47 53 Spa Hotel
	30 70 Islandbridge (Turnstiles)	48 52 Kew Park
	31 69 Chapelizod Rd. (Salmon Pool)	49 51 Springfield
	32 68 Chapelizod Rd. (Neptune Club)	50 50 Cooldrinagh Rd.
	33 67 Chapelizod Rd. (Park Gate)	51 49 Leixlip (Rye Bridge)
	34 66 Chapelizod School	52 48 Calvins Cross
	35 65 Kylemore Rd. (Orchard Estate)	53 47 Louisa Bridge
	36 64 Palmerstown (Kennelsfort Rd.)	54 46 Blakestown (Hitching Post)
	37 63 Lucan Rd. (Kings Hospital School)	55 45 Collinstown House
	38 62 Lucan Rd. (Fonthill Rd.)	56 44 Blakestown Cross
	39 61 Lucan Rd. (St. Loman's Hospital)	57 43 Nine Mile Lodge
	40 60 Lucan Rd. (Hermitage Golf Club)	58 42 Pikes Bridge
	41 59 Lucan Rd. (St. Edmundsbury)	59 41 Carton Rd.
	42 58 Lucan Rd. (Ballydowd Stores)	

Fare Information Minimum fare operates on this route as follows

Monday to Friday from 16:35 to 18:10 and the 23:30 departure.

Saturday from 13:20 to 14:30 and the 23:30 departure.

Sunday from 14:50 to 15:35 and from 23:00 to 23:20.

Passengers boarding between City Centre and Neptune Rowing Club - €2.20

Passengers boarding between Chapelizod Park Gate and Kings Hospital School  
- €1.80

Passengers boarding between Fonthill Road and St. Edmundsbury - €1.60

Passengers boarding from Ballydowd Stores - normal fares apply

Buses from/to

Maynooth serving Lucan Village to Waterloo Road

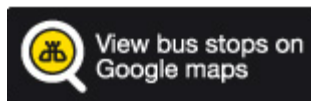
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Please click here for [Route 66x](#) timetable (From/to Maynooth not serving Lucan Village)

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Towards Waterloo Road serving Lucan Village  
Maigh Nuad (Bóthar Theach Srafáin) , Bóthar Waterloo

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**Monday to Friday Service only (excluding Bank Holiday)**

Buses leave terminus at

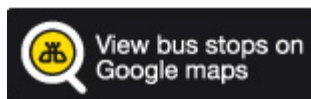
From Kew Park to Waterloo Road	07:55
From Castletown to Waterloo Road	07:55
From Louisa Bridge to Waterloo Road	08:10

Maynooth (Straffan Rd.) >> [70mins](#) >> Waterloo Rd.

All times are off peak estimates

Towards Leixlip/ Maynooth serving Lucan Village  
Bóthar Waterloo , Maigh Nuad (Bóthar Theach Srafáin)

66x



**Monday to Friday Service only (excluding Bank Holiday)**

Buses leave terminus at

From Pearse Street to Louisa Bridge	16:55
From Pearse Street to Straffan Road	17:00
From Waterloo Road to Castletown	17:10
From St. Stephen's Green to Captains Hill	17:20
From Pearse Street to Straffan Road	18:00

Waterloo Rd. >> [70mins](#) >> Maynooth (Straffan Rd.)

All times are off peak estimates

Fare Zones

Zone 1

- Maynooth (Straffan Rd.)
- All stops to Leixlip
- All stops to Kew Park
- All stops to Lucan (Statoil Station)
- All stops to Woodies

Zone 2

- All stops to Leixlip
- All stops to Kew Park

Zone 1

- Waterloo Rd.
- Baggot St.
- Pembroke St.
- St. Stephen's Green North (Junction of Dawson St.)
- Westmoreland St.
- South Quays
- St. John's Rd. (Heuston Station)

All stops to Lucan (Statoil Station)  
 All stops to Woodies  
 Liffey Valley Shopping Centre  
 Palmerstown Footbridge  
 Palmerstown Shell Garage  
 Con Colbert Rd.  
 St. John's Rd. (Heuston Station)  
 All stops to City Centre  
 D'Olier St.  
 Nassau St.  
 Kildare St.  
 Baggot St.  
 Waterloo Rd.

Con Colbert Rd.  
 Palmerstown Maxol Garage  
 Palmerstown Footbridge  
 Liffey Valley Shopping Centre  
 All stops from Lucan slip Rd. to Lucan (Statoil Station)  
 Then all Stops to Leixlip

Zone 2

All stops from Lucan slip Rd. to Lucan (Statoil Station)  
 Then all Stops to Leixlip  
 Then all stops to Maynooth

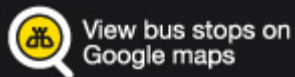
Fare Information	Adult Single	Child Single (U16)
Travel within any 1 zone	€2.50	€1.70
Travel between any 2 zones	€3.50	€2.00
Schoolchild €0.65 cash fare, Schoolchild and Scholar 10 Journey Travel 90 prepaid tickets are not valid on this service.		

Buses from/to  
Westmoreland Street to Leixlip (Louisa Bridge)  
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Towards Leixlip (Louisa Bridge)

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Areas Served

St. John's Road, Palmerstown Footbridge, Lucan Statoil Station, Lucan Village, Leixlip Captain's Hill, Leixlip Village, Leixlip Louisa Bridge

Buses may leave more frequently if demand dictates

Monday - Thursday	Friday - Saturday	Sunday
No Service	00:00 00:30 01:00 01:30	No Service
	02:00 02:30 03:00 03:30	
	04:00	

Pick-up Points

Palmerstown Footbridge, Lucan (Statoil Station)

All times are off peak estimates

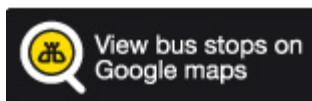
Fare Information Flat Fare of €5.00

Buses from/to  
 Pearse Street to Maynooth (via Celbridge)  
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Towards Maynooth (via Celbridge)  
 Sráid an Phiarsaigh , Sráid Gheata na Páirce , Séipéal Iosóid , Baile Phámar  
 (Bóthar Kennelsfort) , Sráidbhaile Leamhcáin , Cill Droichid , Maigh Nuad



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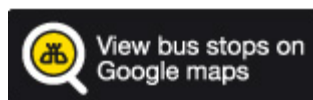
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23:15		

Pearse St. >> 15mins >> Parkgate St. >> 10mins >> Chapelizod >> 10mins >> Palmerstown (Kennelsfort Rd.) >> 15mins >> Lucan Village >> 20mins >> Celbridge >> 10mins >> Maynooth

All times are off peak estimates

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Towards Pearse St.  
 Maigh Nuad , Cill Droichid , Sráidbhaile Leamhcáin , Baile Phámar (Bóthar Kennelsfort) , Séipéal Iosóid , Sráid Gheata na Páirce , Sráid an Phiarsaigh



Buses leave terminus at

Route Variations

p To Parkgate Street

v Via Celbridge, Castletown and Leixlip Village

Monday to Friday	Saturday	Sunday
05:25v 07:40 08:10 08:35	07:35 09:50 10:30 11:30	09:40 11:40 12:05 12:40
09:00 10:30 10:55 11:30	12:15 13:40 14:20 15:20	14:00 14:35 15:30 16:50
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20:05 20:40 22:10 23:10		
00:00p		

Maynooth >> 10mins >> Celbridge >> 20mins >> Lucan Village >> 15mins >> Palmerstown (Kennelsfort Rd.) >> 10mins >> Chapelizod >> 10mins >> Parkgate St. >> 15mins >> Pearse St.

All times are off peak estimates

Fare Stages

25 75 Pearse St.

43 57 Lucan Hill

26 74	Capel St. Bridge	44 56	Lucan Village
27 73	Mellowes Bridge	45 55	Ball Alley House
28 72	Sean Heuston Bridge	46 54	Lucan Rd. (Celbridge Rd.)
29 71	Conyngham Rd. Bus Garage	47 53	Spa Hotel
30 70	Islandbridge (Turnstiles)	48 52	Kew Park
31 69	Chapelizod Rd. (Salmon Pool)	49 51	Cooldrinagh Rd.
32 68	Chapelizod Rd. (Neptune Club)	50 50	Weston Airfield
33 67	Chapelizod Rd. (Park Gate)	51 49	Pepperstown Crescent
34 66	Chapelizod School	52 48	Rose Cottage
35 65	Kylemore Rd. (Orchard Estate)	53 47	Young's Garage
36 64	Palmerstown (Kennelsfort Rd.)	54 46	St. Wolston's School
37 63	Lucan Rd. (Kings Hospital School)	55 45	Loughlinstown
38 62	Lucan Rd. (Fonthill Rd.)	56 44	Ballyoulster
39 61	Lucan Rd. (St. Loman's Hospital)	57 43	Donacomper Cemetery
40 60	Lucan Rd. (Hermitage Golf Club)	58 42	Celbridge (Beatty Park)
41 59	Lucan Rd. (St. Edmundsbury)	59 41	Forest Park
42 58	Lucan Rd. (Ballydowd Stores)	60 40	Salesian College

Fare Information    Outer Suburban Fares apply from City Centre beyond the above stages

Minimum fare operates on this route as follows:

Monday to Friday from 16:15 to 18:55 hours and the 23:15 hours departures from Pearse Street.

Saturday from 14:00 to 23:20 hours departures from Pearse Street.

Sunday on the 22:35 and 23:25 hours departures from Pearse Street.

Passengers boarding between City Centre and Neptune Rowing Club - €2.20

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Towards Celbridge / Maynooth

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Areas Served

Westmoreland Street, St. John's Road, Palmerstown Footbridge, Weston Celbridge Road, Celbridge Main Street, Maynooth

Buses may leave  
 more frequently if  
 demand dictates

Monday - Thursday	Friday - Saturday	Sunday
No Service	00:00 02:00 04:00	No Service

Pick-up Points

Palmerstown Footbridge

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Fare Information Flat Fare of €5.00

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Monday - Thursday	Friday - Saturday			Sunday
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Pick-up Points

Palmerstown Footbridge

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