



6th Year Students & Parents/Guardians

As the **Feb 1st deadline** for applications to the CAO approaches, a few Reminders again for 6th Year Students - if applying to the CAO:

❖ CAO:

- Please ensure you have applied for, and received your **CAO Number**.
- Please ensure you *now* **Enter** - up to 10 in each Level Column - your Level 8 AND Level 6/7 Course Choices, by Feb 1st, *in as good an order as you can at this point in time, in terms of your 1st, 2nd, 3rd etc Preferences*.
- Remember, any **Restricted Courses** must be entered by Feb 1st 2023
<https://www.cao.ie/index.php?page=restrictedcourses&bb=restrictions>
- **DARE & HEAR applicants**, please ensure you are linked in with us and work is in progress re your HEAR/DARE Application. There are some important upcoming KEY DATES:
<https://www2.cao.ie/downloads/documents/2023/DAREKeyDates2023.pdf>
Please also ensure you are gathering *Supporting Documentation* for submission by March deadline date.
- See CAO related **Important Dates & Timetable of Events**:
<https://www.cao.ie/index.php?page=timetableevents&bb=importantdates>
- Remember, you can **Amend your Course Selections** again after May 5th when the Change of Mind Online (free) facility opens.

❖ Language Exemptions:

Some students are eligible to apply for an NUI Irish/3rd Language Exemption and/or TCD/UL Language Waivers - please link in with us around this if it has not already been processed.

- ❖ **Checking CAO email Communications**: It is *vitaly important* that you regularly check your emails for any CAO communications...

- ❖ **Resources/Supports**: <https://www.cao.ie/index.php?page=studentresources>

- ❖ **SUSI (Grants system)**: If applying for a Student Grant (2023/24 Applications *not* yet open) but please see <https://susie.ie/> - link it in your CAO application also.