

# Young people on campus 2024

## Maximum number of young people (total)

- Oberstown is certified to accommodate a total of **46 young people** between the ages of 10 and 18 years.
- The maximum number of male occupants is **40**.
- The maximum number of female occupants is **6**.
- Young people live in residential units housing a maximum of 8 young people. Male and female occupants live in separate units.
- Each young person has their own room. Oberstown is never overcrowded.

## Number of young people detained on remand or detention orders

- There were 120 young people resident on campus during 2024
  - **118** male
  - **2** female
  - **27** young people were already in Oberstown on 31/12/23
  - **93** new admissions in 2024
  - **63** on detention orders
  - **57** on remand orders only
- Average length of stay on detention order – **461 days**
- Average length of stay on remand order – **101 days**
- Number of court escorts – **593**

## Average daily population 2024

- The average daily number of young people on campus was 39
  - **16** on remand
  - **23** on detention orders
- Total room nights occupied in 2024 – **14,274**

## Demographic information 2023

- Average age **16 years**
- **43 (36%)** from Dublin
- **17 (14%)** from Cork
- **13 (11%)** from Limerick
- **13 (11%)** from Waterford

- **34 (28%)** from all other counties
- **25 (21%)** from the Irish Traveller Community

### **Onward placements 2024**

A total of **96** young people left Oberstown in 2024

- **65 (68%)** – Home
- **9 (9%)** – Residential care
- **9 (9%)** – Other
- **13 (14%)** – Irish Prison Service

### **Health provision 2024**

- Nursing appointments – **2,477**
- GP appointments – **1,064**
- Dental appointments – **241**

### **Oberstown Campus School 2023**

Oberstown Campus School is run by the Dublin and Dun Laoghaire Education and Training Board.

- Leaving Cert students – **2**
- Junior Cycle students – **6**
- QQI modules – **27**

### **Afterschool activities classes**

Young people attend afterschool activities each weekday evening.

- **60-70** afterschool sessions every weekday, held over a four-hour period.

### **Certificates and qualifications 2023**

- **20** Gaisce awards
- **1** Forklift licence
- **12** Baristas trained
- **27** Fitness instructor qualifications
- **16** SafePass certificates
- **32** Manual handling certificates
- **30** HACCP training certificates
- **58** Career modules completed

# About the campus 2024

## Physical environment

- **24.5 Hectare** site (60 acres)
- **21,000<sup>M2</sup>** Building floorspace

## Service and staff

- Oberstown is a 24/7, round the clock, every day of the year service
- 2024 complement of **250 staff**
  - **53% Female**
  - **47% Male**
- **165** staff directly involved in front-line care of young people
- **105** CORU registered social care workers

## Financial allocation 2024

Oberstown's budget is allocated by the Department of Children, Disability and Equality

- **€27.244m** financial allocation
  - **€17.187m** Pay
  - **€2.619m** Pensions
  - **€7.438m** Non-pay

## Health and safety

- **11** HSA reportable incidents, down from 17 in 2023 and 24 in 2022
- Certified to ISO 45001 for Oberstown Occupational Health and Safety Management System
- Certified to ISO 45003 Occupational Health and Safety management – Psychological risk management
- Certified to ISO 9001 for Quality Management System (Campus catering)

## Employee wellbeing

- **116** Group and individual staff practice supervision sessions
- Certified to ISO 45003 Occupational Health and Safety management – Psychological risk management
- Bespoke Working Well Framework including Employee Assistance Programme
- Certified to Ibec WellMark standard
- Listed in Top 100 Leaders in Wellbeing 2024