

## Planning the Transition from Post-Primary School to College for Students with Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities

This talk is for parents and school leavers and will look at:

- Applying to the DARE scheme
- Choosing the right course
- Registering with college Disability Services
- Understanding how college works
- Essential skills for success

**Venue:** Laois Education Centre  
**Dates:** Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2020  
**Time:** 6-7pm

**Facilitator:** Dr Alison Doyle is an independent educational psychologist with more than 35 years of experience. She designs and delivers transition programmes, and regularly provides seminars and workshops to parents and institutions. Alison is a visiting Lecturer with Trinity College and Dublin City University, and her [research](#) work includes transition from school to higher education for students with disabilities, supported employment for young people with intellectual disability, pre-entry transition programmes for students with ASD, and she is currently researching Autism and Pathological Demand Avoidance in Ireland. She also co-manages a weekly Foroige Youth Club for teenagers with ASD.

To book a place on this session, please contact Yvonne, Laois Education Centre at **(057) 8672402** or [yvonne@laoisedcentre.ie](mailto:yvonne@laoisedcentre.ie)

- **There is no fee for the above course.**
  - **Booking is essential.**
- **Places are reserved on a first-come, first-served basis.**