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2017 NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL

Seton Catholic Preparatory Welcomes Students from Tullamore, Ireland

WHO: Students from Tullamore, Ireland, will visit Seton Catholic Preparatory as part of Seton Catholic's Sister Schools Connection.

WHAT: Three teachers and 18 students from Sacred Heart Secondary School for Girls are expected for the educational and cultural exchange, which will mark Sacred Heart's seventh visit to Seton Catholic under the program. The group will stay with Seton Catholic host families during their visit. Sacred Heart will reciprocate in May, when a group from Seton visits Tullamore for a seven-day visit.

WHEN: Thursday, April 4, 2019 through Wednesday, April 10, 2019 (group expected to arrive at Sky Harbor International Airport around 6 p.m.)

WHERE:

- Seton campus - to observe classes on Friday and Wednesday
- Free day - Saturday
- Home of host family - Sunday potluck dinner at Mary Ryan's house.
- Sedona and Flagstaff - Monday day trip
- Musical Instrument Museum and Old Town Scottsdale - Tuesday

WHY: Seton Catholic is committed to the idea that sister school programs foster new friendships, open the door to new experiences and provide a unique global perspective of the world. In addition to Sacred Heart, the Sister Schools Connection includes a second school: Saint Francis School of Taipei, Taiwan.

About Seton Catholic Preparatory

A 2017 National Blue Ribbon School, Seton Catholic Preparatory is a diocesan, coeducational high school in Chandler, Arizona, open to students of all faiths and dedicated to academic excellence, leadership and loving service to others. For more than 60 years, Seton Catholic has served the East Valley of Phoenix as the only Catholic college preparatory high school, serving young men and women from parochial, private, charter, public and home schooling backgrounds. Seton Catholic graduates earn scholarships to and attend an array of selective colleges and universities, including state, private and Ivy League schools as well as service academies. Seton Catholic is accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, and the Western Catholic Education Association. www.setoncatholic.org.