

# SCG kicks off for 2026

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In pop culture, Friday the 13<sup>th</sup> is synonymous with superstition and bad luck. However, at Meriden, Friday 13 February told a very different story. More than 170 students gathered in Wallis Auditorium for the Student Christian Group (SCG) launch, filling the space with celebration, song, and encouragement.

Girls were introduced to their Year 11 and 12 leaders and heard from senior students who shared honestly about their Christian growth and what it looks like to live out their faith within the school community.

The girls kicked off the year by connecting with each other through games and praising God through worship. A highlight of the afternoon was hearing from Amelia and Danielle, who shared their personal journeys of faith. Their testimonies reminded us of the strength found in vulnerability and grace.



Girls connecting with each other through music and worship



Asiminia Lee and Madeleine Lee

This year's SCG Prefect, Dahlia Toovey, brings enthusiasm and fresh ideas, determined to make 2026 the most enjoyable year of SCG yet. The Chaplaincy team looks forward to a year of fellowship as we learn more about the Lord Jesus together.

What our girls have to say about Meriden SCG:

"What I love about SCG is that it creates a safe space to explore faith and build community. It feels really welcoming and low pressure for those who are not used to bible study or have not had experience with Christianity in the past." Dahlia Toovey, SCG Prefect 2026.

"What I love about SCG is that students can enjoy fellowship and community and meeting new friends while exploring the Christian faith." Asiminia Lee, SCG Leader 2026.

"SCG is a great place where you can take time out of your day to build relationships with your friends and with God." Grace Earngey, Year 8 SCG.