A new era for sport at DIT Grangegorman

Having served as a hospital for 200 years, the site of the new DIT campus at Grangegorman will continue the legacy of promoting health and wellness for DIT students, staff and the local community.

The Student Wellness Centre in Grangegorman will work closely with DIT Sports, the Chaplaincy Service and the Department of Human Nutrition and Dietetics, supporting a prevention model where students are given the skills to manage their physical and mental health on a long term, sustainable basis.

A new community mental health facility, the Phoenix Care Centre was officially opened in February 2013 and plans are well underway for a Primary Care Centre with extensive facilities to support the local community in Dublin 7.
Despite the challenges of multiple city locations, DIT has a strong and proud sporting history. Over 3,000 students are actively involved in 40 different sports clubs – not only GAA, Rugby and Soccer, but also Boxing, Canoeing, Judo, Karting, Snooker, Surfing and Ultimate Frisbee. From our new home in Grangegorman we will continue to enhance the quality of the DIT experience through sport; building friendships, communities and a sense of achievement.

DIT Grangegorman…...a home ground

DIT’s new home ground at Grangegorman will form a green heart right through the centre of the new campus, putting sport and recreation at the core of the DIT experience.

In addition to sports facilities at Grangegorman, DIT is also developing playing pitches at nearby Broombridge (just three stops away on the new Cross-city Luas line due to open in 2017.)

In keeping with current practice in DIT, the leading-edge sports facilities being developed at Grangegorman will be available to students, staff and graduates, as well as to the local community. The planned facilities will include:

Outdoor Facilities
- 1 Floodlit GAA Size Grass Pitch
- 1 Floodlit Soccer/Rugby Size Grass Pitch
- 1 Floodlit Soccer Size Multipurpose Training Pitch
- 3 Floodlit Tennis Courts
- Jogging Track
- Trim Trail

Indoor Facilities
A 9000 sq m sports complex, to be located under the central plaza in front of the library, will include:
- 25m 8 Lane Pool
- Large Sports Hall (4 Basketball Courts)
- Fitness Gym
- Ancillary Hall
- Fitness and Dance Studios
- Climbing Wall
- Handball & Squash Courts