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Erasmus+

STUDY VISITS 2027

DUBLIN, IRELAND

ONE WEEK 7 Nights (8 days)





STUDY VISIT OBJECTIVES:

The programme aims to provide students with:

- an opportunity to share learning activities with Irish school pupils and to compare school life in Ireland to that in their own country
- a greater understanding of Irish history, culture, traditions and contemporary society
- first-hand experience of Ireland and Irish culture
- improved confidence and fluency in spoken English
- increased awareness of sustainability, biodiversity and environmental responsibility

STUDY VISIT PROGRAMME:

The study visit offers a unique opportunity for students to develop their English language skills while experiencing Irish culture, education, history, and environmental awareness through a range of interactive activities, including:

1. **Learning activities with Irish students in a secondary school**
   Students will participate in engaging learning activities alongside students from a local secondary school, providing an opportunity to practise speaking English and experience school life in Ireland.
2. **Traditional Irish Dancing**
   Experience the energy and heritage of Ireland through a hands-on introduction to traditional Irish dance.
3. **Visit to The Rediscovery Centre**
   Students will explore Ireland's National Centre for the Circular Economy and learn about innovative approaches to sustainability, recycling, and environmental responsibility.
4. **Guided walking tour of Dublin**
   Led by an experienced local guide, students will discover Dublin's historic streets, famous landmarks, and cultural attractions. The tour provides valuable insights into the city's rich past while helping students connect with Ireland's capital.
5. **Introduction to Irish History, Culture & Traditions**
   This session teaches students about Ireland's unique heritage, customs, and way of life. An engaging session exploring the people, events, and traditions that have shaped modern Ireland.
6. **Workshop on English through Drama**
   Creative drama activities designed to develop communication skills, build confidence, and encourage students to use English in a natural and enjoyable way.
7. **Biodiversity tour of native and exotic plants at The National Botanic Gardens**
   Students will explore collections of native and exotic plants while learning about biodiversity, conservation, and the importance of protecting natural ecosystems. This educational visit combines science, environmental awareness, and outdoor learning.
8. **Cultural visits in Dublin:**
   - National Gallery of Ireland (Irish & European Art)
   - National Museum of Ireland: History & Decorative Arts
   - National Museum of Ireland: Archaeology, Kildare Street

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PROGRAMME

DAY	MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING
SUNDAY			Arrive Dublin
MONDAY	1000- Guided walking tour of Dublin 1200	1400- Introduction to Irish History, 1700 Culture & Legends	
TUESDAY	0900- Visit a Secondary School (ages 12-18) 1500 Lessons and activities with Irish students		
WEDNESDAY	0930- English through Drama Workshop 1230 or 0930- Visit a secondary school 1230 Lessons and activities with Irish students	1430- Visit National Museum: 1630 History & Decorative Arts	
THURSDAY	0930- Visit National Gallery of Ireland 1100 with highlights tour 1130- Visit National Museum of Ireland: 1230 Archaeology, Kildare Street	1400- Visit National Botanic Gardens 1700 with Biodiversity Tour of the Gardens' native and exotic plants	
FRIDAY	1045- Tour of The Rediscovery Centre 1230 (National Centre for The Circular Economy)	1445- Cultural Activity: 1700 Traditional Irish Music and Dancing	
SATURDAY	1000- Visit Howth coastal village and cliff walk (by train using Leap Cards) 1500		
SUNDAY	Depart Dublin		

LOCATION: DUBLIN, Ireland

Famous for its cultural heritage and charming hospitality, Dublin is a lively city with a rich history, situated on the east coast of Ireland. Notable historic sights include its elegant Georgian squares, Dublin Castle, Christ Church Cathedral, the Book of Kells at Trinity College, Kilmainham Gaol and National Museums.

Close to the city are the beautiful hills and lakes of Wicklow Mountains National Park and attractive coastal scenery.

2027 PRICES:

SIZE OF GROUP	Price per person (for students and leaders)
10 or more students and 2 leaders	**€939**
15 or more students and 2 leaders	**€832**
20 or more students and 2 leaders	**€799**
30 or more students and 2 leaders	**€712**

PRICE includes:

- **Full programme of study sessions and visits**
- **Full board Accommodation with a local family** (shared rooms for students, single rooms for leaders): 7 nights
  Accommodation is in Irish homes. Host families are carefully selected and offer a friendly welcome and opportunities to practise speaking English and chat and learn more about life in Ireland today. Students often find that the experience of staying with a host family is one of the most memorable aspects of their time in Dublin. Breakfast, packed lunch and evening meal are provided by the host family. (Food allergies, likes and dislikes are taken into account.)
- **Dublin Airport transfers**
- **Leap Travel Card (travel pass for all public transport in the Dublin area including the nearby coast)**
- **Certificate of attendance and Validation of Erasmus+ documentation**

NB:
Leaders are responsible for accompanying students on visits (no guide except where stated on the programme)
Special diets: €30 per person for lactose-free, gluten-free vegetarian or vegan diets

TRAVEL: Schools are responsible for arranging their travel to and from Ireland.

PAYMENT: A deposit will be required to confirm the visit. Full payment will be due 2 months before the study visit begins.

OPTIONAL ENHANCEMENTS TO ENRICH YOUR VISIT:

We are happy to tailor your programme to meet the specific needs and interests of your students. The following options can be added (at an extra cost) to create an even more engaging and educational experience:

Workshops

- Drama Workshop: Wellbeing at School - an engaging session exploring confidence, resilience and student wellbeing
- Modern Irish Theatre Workshop - discover Ireland's rich theatrical tradition and contemporary performance culture
- Climate action workshop
- Sustainable living or sustainable fashion workshop
- Sustainable engineering workshop

English Language Lessons

These lessons can complement curriculum topics while providing students with authentic cultural insights and opportunities to practise their English in a meaningful context.

- Young people in Ireland: fashion and social media
- Irish food and family life
- Holidays and travel

Educational Visits

Broaden your students' understanding of Ireland through a range of exciting and educational visits:

- **Day visit to Kilkenny, Wicklow Mountains National Park and Glendalough**
  Explore Ireland's rich history and landscapes with visits to the medieval city of Kilkenny, the Wicklow Mountains, and the ancient monastic settlement of Glendalough.
- **EPIC The Irish Immigration Museum**
  Learn about Irish emigrants and their impact on the world through this interactive and award-winning museum.
- **Dublin Zoo**
  One of Europe's oldest and most popular zoos, home to hundreds of animal species from around the globe.
- **Croke Park Stadium Tour and visit GAA (Gaelic Athletic Association) Take** a behind-the-scenes tour of Ireland's largest stadium and learn about the country's unique Gaelic sports.
- **Book of Kells at Trinity College**
  See the famous Book of Kells, one of Ireland's most treasured medieval manuscripts.
- **Guided Tour of IMMA (Irish Museum of Modern Art)**
  Discover a wide range of modern and contemporary artworks in this unique museum setting.
- **Kilmainham Gaol**
  Explore one of Ireland's most important historical sites and hear the stories of those involved in the country's fight for independence.
- **A Social History of Dublin Life at 14 Henrietta Street** Find out what life was like for Dublin families over the centuries in this fascinating museum experience.
- **Tour of Trinity College Dublin**
- **Theatre visit: An Irish play**
  Enjoy a live theatre performance and experience an important part of Irish culture.

If there is a particular subject area, workshop or excursion that would support your learning objectives and is not listed above, please let us know. We will be delighted to create a customised programme that meets the educational goals and interests of your group.

Longer and shorter visits can also be arranged.

WHY SCHOOLS CHOOSE INTEREDUCATION

- **Specialists in Educational Travel**
  InterEducation has extensive experience in organising high-quality English language courses and educational study visits across Ireland and the UK.
- **Flexible Programmes**
  We work with you to design a programme that meets your learning and budget requirements.
- **Learning Through Experience**
  We believe that learning should be both engaging and enjoyable, combining academic development with memorable cultural experiences.
- **Integrated English Language Programmes**
  Our courses combine structured classroom learning with carefully planned activities and excursions, helping students practise their English in real-life situations outside the classroom.
- **Qualified and Experienced Teachers**
  All InterEducation English teachers are qualified, experienced native speakers who are dedicated to helping students achieve their learning goals.
- **Student Safety Comes First**
  The safety, well-being, and welfare of our students are at the heart of everything we do.
- **Local Support**
  Our local coordinators provide support throughout the programme, ensuring students are happy, comfortable, and well cared for in their host families.