

**IRELAND  
DUBLIN**

 **active  
language  
learning**

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE & ACTIVITY**

**INTENSIVE STUDY WEEK**

**PARENT AND CHILD COURSE**

**HIGH SCHOOL ACADEMIC YEAR**

**IRISH STUDENT INTEGRATION PROGRAMME**

CELEBRATING

**30 YEARS**

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*Live it  
Learn it*

**SEASONAL  
OFFERS  
AVAILABLE**

**JUNIOR COURSES**

Welcome!



A photograph of three young adults sitting on a green lawn. On the left, a man in a blue t-shirt is smiling and looking down at a book. In the center, a man in a white t-shirt is looking at an open book. On the right, a woman in a green patterned dress is also looking at a book. They are all sitting cross-legged or in a similar relaxed position. The text 'Why choose us?' is written in a white, handwritten-style font across the lower middle of the image.

Why choose us?

30 YEARS' EXPERIENCE

FAMILY RUN

FULLY ACCREDITED SCHOOL

DEDICATED TEAM OF ADMIN STAFF

FULLY QUALIFIED TEACHERS

15 STUDENTS MAX PER CLASS

15 HOURS TUITION PER WEEK

VARIED ACTIVITY & CULTURAL PROGRAMME

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IRISH/FOREIGN STUDENT INTEGRATION PROGRAMME

Summer only

# ENGLISH LANGUAGE & ACTIVITY

## DETAILS

Students are assessed on their level of English on their first day and placed in a class according to their test result. In class students will improve their speaking, listening, reading and writing skills. Classes are designed to be communicative and interactive.

Each afternoon a great variety of sporting activities, computers and arts & crafts are available as well as an extensive range of cultural and social activities which bring together local and foreign students in an international atmosphere.

Evening entertainment such as discos, ceilis, barbecues, karaoke, quiz night, concert etc. is available three times a week. The Irish Intergration Programme is very much part of the junior summer school ethos. Local Irish (English speaking) teenagers aged 12 to 16 come to study French, German or Spanish which ensures a truly international course. All nationalities take part in all activities, excursions and evening programmes where English is the common language at all times.

## KEY INFORMATION



15 hours tuition per week



Monday-Friday 09.30 - 12.45

Afternoon programme 13:30 - 16:30

Evening programme 19:30 - 22:00



Course:

July and August



Minimum stay:

2 weeks



Age:

11-18



Maximum class size:

15



Levels available:

7 (Elementary to Proficiency)

## WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- » Airport transfer (groups only)
- » Welcome pack (maps, local information)
- » Full board family accommodation
- » Level test & teaching materials
- » 15 hours tuition per week
- » Two half-day and one full-day excursions per week

- » 3 evening activities
- » 1 group leader per 15 students
- » Free internet access, WIFI throughout the building
- » Resource Room, Study & Library facilities, Canteen
- » Certificate & skills report on course completion
- » Administration

Terms & Conditions apply.

## SAMPLE WEEK: SUMMER PROGRAMME

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
09.30	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	Full Day Excursion Glendalough & Wicklow Jail
10.15	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	
BREAK						
11.15	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	
12.45	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	CLASS*	
LUNCH						
13.30-16.30	Sport** Cookery Music Art	Half day Excursion Trinity College	Sport** Cookery Music Art	Half day Excursion National Museum of Ireland	Sport** Cookery Music Art	
19.30-22.00	Ice Breaker Night		Irish Dancing		Disco	

\* Grammar, Writing, Reading, Speaking, Listening & English Use

\*\* Football, Tag Rugby, Basketball, Swimming, Tennis, Table Tennis, Volleyball, Foosball

Summer only

## IRISH STUDENT PROGRAMME



### DETAILS

Students are assessed on their level or full time school year and are placed in a class accordingly. Our teachers are all native speakers and have extensive experience with the Irish curriculum. In class students will improve their speaking, listening, reading and writing skills. Where possible exam papers will also be used as a teaching element.

Each afternoon a great variety of sporting activities, computers, music and arts & crafts are available as well as an extensive range of cultural and social activities which bring together local and foreign students in an international atmosphere.

Evening entertainment such as discos, ceilis, barbecues, karaoke, quiz night, concert etc. is available three times a week.

### KEY INFORMATION



15 hours tuition per week



Monday-Friday 09.30 - 12.45

Afternoon programme 13:30 - 16:30

Evening programme 19:30 - 22:00



Course:

July and August



Minimum stay:

1 week



Minimum age:

13



Maximum class size:

15



Levels available:

Junior and Leaving cert

Summer only

## PARENT AND CHILD COURSE

### DETAILS

Active Language Learning is in the unique position to offer families combination courses due to our excellent location. Both our all year-round adult centre and our junior summer centres are in Dun Laoghaire.

This course allows families, both parent(s) and children, to enrol and avail of our adult and junior courses at the same time. Family groups can be hosted in the same or separate accommodation in Dun Laoghaire while attending the two different centres.

Parents can choose from any of the courses listed on our main webpage and juniors can take part in the summer and activity courses we offer listed on the junior section of our website.

### KEY INFORMATION



15 hours tuition per week



20 hours tuition per week

for adults (see adult brochure)



Monday-Friday 09.30 - 12.45

Afternoon programme 13:30 - 16:30

Evening programme 19:30 - 22:00



Course:

July and August



Minimum stay:

2 weeks



Maximum class size:

15



Levels available:

7 (Elementary to Proficiency)

# INTENSIVE STUDY WEEK

## DETAILS

Students are placed together in closed groups for short periods of one or two weeks. In class students will improve their speaking, listening, reading and writing skills.

Teachers use a variety of materials and tasks to give students every opportunity to develop and improve their speaking, listening, reading and writing skills. Students also learn about different aspects of Irish culture in an interesting, fun and interactive way.

Each afternoon an extensive range of cultural and social activities are arranged beginning with a walking tour of Dublin City Centre.

Accommodation with a homestay for one leader with each group is also included, free of charge.

## KEY INFORMATION



15 hours tuition per week



Monday-Friday 09.00 - 10.30  
10.45 - 12.15

Afternoon programme 13:30 - 16:30  
Evening programme 19:30 - 22:00



Course:  
September - June



Minimum stay:  
1 week



Maximum class size:  
15



Levels available:  
7 (Elementary to Proficiency)

### WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- » Airport transfers X 2 (groups only)
- » Welcome pack, Induction meeting
- » Shared homestay
- » Level test (if required)

- » Use of centre's facilities
- » Use of books and materials
- » Free internet access
- » Dublin city orientation tour
- » One full day excursion per week

- » Certificate of attendance
- » 24 hour student support programme
- » Full board homestay accommodation for group leader
- » Free adult tuition course for leaders (if required)

### NOT INCLUDED

- » Medical insurance
- » Commuter ticket
- » Individual airport transfers
- » Exam fees

## SAMPLE WEEK: ISW PROGRAMME

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
09.00 - 10.30	Class	Class	Class	Class	Class	Full Day Excursion Glendalough & Wicklow Jail
<b>BREAK</b>						
10.45- 12.15	Class	Class	Class	Class	Class	
<b>LUNCH</b>						
13:00-17:00	Afternoon Activities Orientation Walking Tour	Afternoon Activities Trinity College	Afternoon Activities Temple Bar Irish Dancing	Afternoon Activities National Museum Of Ireland	Afternoon Activities Shopping Time	
18:00	Dinner With Homestay	Dinner With Homestay	Dinner With Homestay	Dinner With Homestay	Dinner Homestay Family	Dinner With Homestay
19:30-22:00	Bowling	Ceili (Irish Dancing) Pier Walk	Greyhound Racing	Ceili (Irish Dancing) Pier Walk	Cinema	



# ACCOMMODATION

## DETAILS

### HOMESTAY

One of the best and most popular ways to learn English is to immerse yourself in an Irish homestay. Carefully chosen families, all of whom live within easy reach of the centre, are available to students all year. Private or shared bedrooms are offered by experienced families who warmly welcome students into their homes. Executive Homestays, offering full catering and private bathrooms for each student, are also available.

*Please note: Homestay compulsory for Junior students.*

# SUMMER CENTRE

## DETAILS

Our summer Junior centre, which is a private secondary school during the academic year, is very well situated and within walking distance of most of our homestays. The school is a large, modern facility with bright classrooms and equipped with all the necessary teaching/learning technology. In addition, there are outdoor sports pitches, a large indoor gymnasium, a computer room, arts and crafts studio, music room and cookery class. The school also offers free supervised internet access, staff and resource room, a canteen and a dedicated team of teaching and auxiliary staff.



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