



# ERASMUS+ BROCHURE 2024

Erasmus+ Organisation ID Number:  
**E10195409**

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*“I am beyond grateful for being part of this **Erasmus+** adventure. I am happy to have shared this incredible journey with my colleague and friend and strengthened our bond. Participating in the mobility program also allowed me to improve my language skills and gain personal development. It could not have been possible without the **Erasmus+** program and the staff at school.”*

**Evelin Bertus - University of Pécs, Hungary**

# Erasmus+ Programme

## Date Chart 2024

| COURSE   | JUL   | AUG  | SEP   | OCT                     |
|--|---|--|---|-------------------------|
| <b>Teacher Refresher</b>                         | 1st - 5th<br>15th - 19th*                               | 5th - 9th<br>12th - 16th*                                | 2nd - 6th<br>9th - 13th*                              |                         |
| <b>CLIL Course</b>                               | 1st - 5th<br>8th - 12th*<br>15th - 19th<br>22nd - 26th* | 5th - 9th<br>12th - 16th*<br>19th - 23rd<br>26th - 30th* | 2nd - 6th<br>9th - 13th*                              |                         |
| <b>General English<br/>+ Irish Culture</b>       | 1st - 5th<br>8th - 12th<br>15th - 19th<br>22nd - 26th   | 5th - 9th<br>12th - 16th                                 | 2nd - 6th<br>9th - 13th<br>16th - 20th<br>23rd - 27th | 7th -11th<br>21st- 25th |
| <b>Global Citizenship</b>                        | 1st - 5th<br>15th - 19th                                | 5th- 9th<br>12th - 16th                                  |   |                         |
| <b>Lifelong Learning</b>                         | 1st - 5th<br>8th - 12th                                 | 5th - 9th<br>12th - 16th                                 |   |                         |
| <b>English for<br/>Educational Professionals</b> | 1st - 5th<br>8th - 12th<br>15th - 19th<br>22nd - 26th   | 5th - 9th<br>12th - 16th<br>19th - 23rd<br>26th - 30th   | 2nd - 6th<br>9th - 13th                               | 7th -11th<br>21st- 25th |
| <b>General English<br/>Language Development</b>  | <i>Begin any Monday during the year</i>                 |  |   |                         |

*\*First course week must be booked in order to participate in week 2.*

# Erasmus+ Explained

## What is Erasmus+

**Erasmus+** is the European Union's programme to support education, training & upskilling by providing fully funded opportunities to participate in international exchanges & programmes. Academic, teaching & admin staff from a range of education sectors, particularly higher education, are eligible to avail of **staff mobility** grants to take part in short-term further training courses as the courses offered in **Cork English College**.

## How does the funding work?

**Funding** for any Erasmus+ course can be received by applying through your academic or higher education institution for a grant. As the receiving institution, **Cork English College** can provide or complete the necessary documents such as the Staff Mobility for Training invitation, Europass, and Certificate of Participation.

## How do I apply?

**Applying** for an Erasmus+ Staff Mobility grant can be a straightforward and certainly worthwhile process. If you wish to apply for an Erasmus+ grant, the first step is to contact your institution's **International Office or Erasmus+ Coordinator** for more information. Alternatively, you can contact your country's **National Agency** for advice & assistance.

## What are the benefits to Erasmus+?

**Erasmus+ Staff Mobility** offers participants a range of opportunities to develop both professionally & personally:

- Expand your professional skills in English language, interpersonal communication, instructive skills & much more.
- Undertake further professional development in a new environment.
- Engage in knowledge sharing with participants from other countries & cultures.
- Enjoy a new cultural experience.
- Network & grow relationships with similar professionals from all over Europe & beyond.

## What is the Organisation ID Number?

**The OID** is the code unique to each Erasmus+ approved institution. The OID is required to take part in and avail of any Erasmus+ Staff Mobility Programme & funding. The OID for Cork English College is: **E10195409**

## What is included in your Erasmus+ Programmes?

**Our Erasmus+ Programmes** consist of 1 or 2-week courses based on 25 lessons across the week. Each programme's tuition fees are inclusive of the classes, activities/excursions, materials & registration fee. Accommodation & any necessary transfers are additional.

## Useful Websites.

The following are **websites** that will be of use in helping you make the most of your **Erasmus+ experience**.

- **Imotion**
- **Erasmus+ National Agencies**
- **European School Education Gateway - ESEP**
- **Electronic Platform for Adult Learning in Europe - EPAL**



## TEACHER REFRESHER COURSE – TR111 PSA

### Course Aim

A course for English language teachers aimed at providing practical training in the most up to date teaching techniques and improving participants language skills.

### Course Description

The course offers practical training in teaching techniques while also helping participants to improve their own language skills. Participants explore a wide range of topics including teaching methodology, exploiting and adapting materials, the increased role of technology in the language classroom, classroom management and approaches and activities for teaching all language areas and skills. Classes on Irish history, culture and the Irish educational system in addition to a full social and activity programme also form part of this intensive and dynamic course.



# Erasmus+

Organisation ID Number: **E10195409**

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|----------------------|---|
| <b>Dates</b>         | See Date Chart  |
| <b>Age Groups</b>    | 20+   |
| <b>Accommodation</b> | Host Family / Shared Apartment / Residence / Hotel / B & B / Hostel |
| <b>Course Price</b>  | €450 per week   |
| <b>Participants</b>  | 15  |
| <b>Duration</b>      | 1 or 2 weeks  |
| <b>Levels</b>        |   |

### This programme includes

- 25 lessons per week
- Use of all pedagogical material
- Maximum of 15 students per class
- Certificate at the end of the course
- Evening Social Programme
- Access to the CEC E-Learning platform
- CEC Welcome Pack, Map, and CEC Notepad

**B2** **B2+** **C1** **C1+** **C2**

### Sample Timetable – 25 Lessons

|              | MONDAY   | TUESDAY                                      | WEDNESDAY                              | THURSDAY                                      | FRIDAY  |
|--------------|--|--|--|---|---|
| <b>08:40</b> | Induction & Needs Analysis: warmers and icebreaking activities | Language Clinic: narrative tenses            | Language Clinic: future forms          | Language Clinic: perfect tenses               | Language Clinic: modal verbs                                      |
|              |  |  | <b>Coffee Break</b>                    |   |   |
|              | Teacher Training: module 1 - listening                         | Teacher Training: module 2 - reading         | Teacher Observation & Feedback Session | Teacher Training: module 3 - error correction | Teacher Training: module 4 - technology in the language classroom |
|              |  |  | <b>Lunch Break</b>                     |   |   |
| <b>16:00</b> | E-Learning Platform Workshop                                   | Supplementary Materials – use and adaptation | Irish Educational System               | Games and Activities                          | Guest educational lecture and Q&A session                         |



## TEACHER REFRESHER COURSE CLIL - TR111-CLIL

### Course Aim

A course for English language teachers aimed at providing practical training in the most up to date teaching techniques and improving participants language skills.

### Course Description

Participants will gain an understanding of how to combine language and subject teaching within a workable lesson framework and also explore a wide variety of practical tasks and activities that can be put to immediate use in the classroom. Participants will also have the opportunity to experience CLIL for themselves through the use of CEC's E-Learning platform which gives training in web skills through the use of English, neatly combining subject and language acquisition.

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|----------------------|---|
| <b>Dates</b>         | See Date Chart  |
| <b>Age Groups</b>    | 20+   |
| <b>Accommodation</b> | Host Family / Shared Apartment / Residence / Hotel / B & B / Hostel |
| <b>Course Price</b>  | €450 per week   |
| <b>Participants</b>  | 15  |
| <b>Duration</b>      | 1 or 2 weeks*   |

\*First course week must be booked in order to participate in week 2.

### Levels

- B2
- B2+
- C1
- C1+
- C2

### Sample Timetable - 25 lessons per week

|              | MONDAY  | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY                                  | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY   |
|--------------|---|--|--|---|--|
| <b>08:40</b> | Introduction to the Course: starting your classes in a positive way | CLIL 1: principles behind CLIL approaching and planning a CLIL lesson. | Language Clinic – model CLIL lesson        | Lexis 1: presenting new words                                     | Language Clinic – model CLIL lesson                |
|              |   |  | <b>Coffee Break</b>                        |   |  |
|              | Reading – exploiting texts for CLIL                                 | Phonology: integrating pronunciation into lessons.                     | Speaking skills and interaction strategies | Technology in the CLIL classroom: setting up and using webquests. | CLIL 2: approaches to planning topic based lessons |
|              |   |  | <b>Lunch Break</b>                         |   |  |
| <b>16:00</b> | E-Learning Platform Workshop  | Contextualisation of the learning experience                           | Micro – Teaching preparation               | Micro-Teaching practice + feedback                                | Site visit & lecture to University College Cork    |



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### This programme includes

- 25 lessons per week
- Use of all pedagogical material
- Maximum of 15 students per class
- Certificate at the end of the course
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## GENERAL ENGLISH + IRISH CULTURE COURSE

### Course Aim

Our General English + Irish Culture Course enables students to consolidate and improve their overall level in English while enjoying an introduction to Irish Culture through classroom sessions on Irish Culture as well as social and cultural workshops offering an immersion in Irish culture.

### Course Description

Course participants will learn about a range of aspects of Irish Culture from a selection of specially designed sessions including Irish music, literature, mythology, history, and food. Participants will also consolidate and improve their overall level of English through an integrated skills approach.

In our mixed General English lessons, an emphasis is placed on listening comprehension, pronunciation, and spoken interaction. Improve your overall English on our General English + Irish Culture course and enjoy an academic, cultural, and social experience with us in Cork.



# Erasmus+

Organisation ID Number: **E10195409**

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| <b>Dates</b>         | See Date Chart  |
| <b>Age Groups</b>    | 18+   |
| <b>Accommodation</b> | Host Family / Shared Apartment / Residence / Hotel / B & B / Hostel |
| <b>Course Price</b>  | €450 per week   |
| <b>Participants</b>  | 15  |
| <b>Duration</b>      | 1 or 2 weeks  |
| <b>Levels</b>        |   |

### This programme includes

- 25 lessons per week
- Use of all pedagogical material
- Maximum of 15 students per class
- Certificate at the end of the course
- Evening Social Programme
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### Sample Timetable - 25 lessons per week

|       | MONDAY   | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY   |
|-------|--|---|---|--|--|
| 08:40 | Welcome induction & ice breakers   | Language focus: grammar analysis and practice   | Speaking: everyday activities and general trends + Present Simple and Continuous                              | Finding things in common: agreeing and disagreeing. Writing: Email to a friend         | Test & correction + Pronunciation Strong and weak forms of auxiliary verbs                 |
|       |  |   | <b>Coffee Break</b>   |  |  |
|       | Listening to an inter view Vocabulary recording: building a lexical notebook | Reading and speaking: adrenaline junkies + talking about new sports and trends in free time | Listening/speaking: new year traditions around the world + Webquest: present a tradition from another country | People: appearance & character vocabulary + Reading: matching descriptions to pictures | Listening/Video: travel show – places in America + Speaking: design a tour of your country |
|       |  |   | <b>Lunch Break</b>  |  |  |
| 16:00 | Cultural Workshop: Cork history & culture                                    | Cultural Workshop: Irish myths & legends  | Cultural Workshop: Irish history  | Cultural Workshop: Irish music & dance   | Cultural Workshop: Irish food & drink  |

## GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP COURSE

### Course Aim

This new course for 2024 on Global Citizenship explores the complexities of local, national, and global connections and our views, attitudes, and assumptions. In a hyper-connected age, it is essential to be aware of emerging issues and how they impact our learners, as well as us directly.

### Course Description

This course aims to raise participants' global awareness and understanding – practising cross-cultural communication and collaboration in a connected age. In addition to promoting critical thinking and creative problem-solving, fostering diversity and inclusion addressing sustainability and responsibility. On completion of this course, participants will have developed as global citizens, and have greater insight into how to transfer this practice in the classroom.



# Erasmus+

Organisation ID Number: **E10195409**

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| <b>Dates</b>         | See Date Chart  |
| <b>Age Groups</b>    | 20+   |
| <b>Accommodation</b> | Host Family / Shared Apartment / Residence / Hotel / B & B / Hostel |
| <b>Course Price</b>  | €450 per week   |
| <b>Participants</b>  | 15  |
| <b>Duration</b>      | 1 or 2 weeks  |
| <b>Levels</b>        |   |

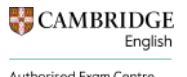
### This programme includes

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- Use of all pedagogical material
- Maximum of 15 students per class
- Certificate at the end of the course
- Evening Social Programme
- Access to the CEC E-Learning platform
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**B1 B1+ B2 B2+ C1 C1+ C2**

### Sample Timetable - 25 lessons per week

|              | MONDAY  | TUESDAY                                    | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  |
|--------------|---|--|---|---|---|
| <b>08:40</b> | Introductions<br>Intercultural communication                    | Promoting critical thinking and creativity | Practising mindfulness and managing digital distraction | Sustainability and responsibility in the classroom            | Fostering diversity and inclusion<br>Feedback |
|              |   |  | <b>Coffee Break</b>                                     |   |   |
|              | Engaging & connecting with students by addressing global issues | Promoting critical thinking and creativity | Promoting peer learning & teaching                      | Discussion on ethical responsibility & value-backed education | Feedback & Reflection                         |
|              |   |  | <b>Lunch Break</b>                                      |   |   |
| <b>16:00</b> | Tour of Cork City   | Coffee & Chat Networking                   | Wednesday Workshop                                      | Irish Music & Dance Night                                     | Visit to Blarney Castle & Gardens             |



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## LIFELONG LEARNING COURSE

### Course Aim

This new course for 2024 on Lifelong Learning includes developing skills for working cross-culturally, from initial contact to building lasting relationships. As well as developing a growth mindset, participants will practice mindfulness and critical thinking in a digital age.

### Course Description

Objectives of this course include practising cross-cultural communication and collaboration, developing a growth mindset and learner autonomy, promoting critical thinking, managing digital distraction and fostering well-being through mindfulness, practicing real-life scenarios and learning to tailor language to the context.

On completion of this course, participants will have developed as autonomous learners, and have greater confidence in their ability to use English in everyday situations with international students and colleagues.

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|----------------------|---|
| <b>Dates</b>         | See Date Chart  |
| <b>Age Groups</b>    | 20+   |
| <b>Accommodation</b> | Host Family / Shared Apartment / Residence / Hotel / B & B / Hostel |
| <b>Course Price</b>  | €450 per week   |
| <b>Participants</b>  | 15  |
| <b>Duration</b>      | 1 or 2 weeks  |
| <b>Levels</b>        |   |

- B1
- B1+
- B2
- B2+
- C1
- C1+
- C2

### Sample Timetable - 25 lessons per week

|       | MONDAY   | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  |
|-------|--|---|--|---|---|
| 08:40 | Introductions<br>Cross-cultural networking with international colleagues | Developing a growth mindset and facilitating learner autonomy | Fostering well-being through mindfulness<br>Managing digital distraction | Promoting critical thinking and reflective practice | Scenario training<br>Q&A: Dealing with questions        |
|       |  |   | <b>Coffee Break</b>  |   |   |
|       | Team building & collaboration  | Peer-teaching & project work                                  | Understanding digital literacy   | Experimentation and pushing boundaries              | Feedback & reflection                                   |
|       |  |   | <b>Lunch Break</b>   |   |   |
| 16:00 | <b>14:00</b><br>Tour of Cork City  | <b>14:00</b><br>Visit to the Crawford Art Gallery             | <b>14:00</b><br>Outdoor Irish Dancing                                    | <b>19:30</b><br>Pour Your Own Pint Night            | <b>13:45</b><br>Visit to the Jameson Whiskey Distillery |



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- Certificate at the end of the course
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## ENGLISH AS A MEDIUM FOR INSTRUCTION COURSE

### Course Aim

This new course for 2024 on English as a Medium for Instruction includes developing skills as educators in an international tertiary context.

### Course Description

Objectives of this course include learning about teaching English to an international student body, discussing and experimenting with different teaching and learning methodologies, revising correction, feedback, and assessment & applying learning to own educational context.

On completion of this course, participants will have learned about and experimented with different methodologies. The goal being to find an approach that works in practice.



# Erasmus+

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| <b>Dates</b>         | See Date Chart  |
| <b>Age Groups</b>    | 20+   |
| <b>Accommodation</b> | Host Family / Shared Apartment / Residence / Hotel / B & B / Hostel |
| <b>Course Price</b>  | €450 per week   |
| <b>Participants</b>  | 15  |
| <b>Duration</b>      | 1 or 2 weeks  |

### Levels

- B2
- B2+
- C1
- C1+
- C2

### This programme includes

- 25 lessons per week
- Use of all pedagogical material
- Maximum of 15 students per class
- Certificate at the end of the course
- Evening Social Programme
- Access to the CEC E-Learning platform
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### Sample Timetable - 25 lessons per week

|       | MONDAY  | TUESDAY                                      | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY                                     | FRIDAY  |
|-------|---|--|---|--|---|
| 08:40 | Introductions and goal-setting<br>Overview of EMI | Integrating HOTs and LOTs into course design | Developing and adapting materials and accessing resources | Correction and assessment                    | Demonstration lesson<br>Peer feedback           |
|       |   |  | <b>Coffee Break</b>                                       |  |   |
|       | SWOT Analysis & group discussion                  | Identifying techniques for experimentation   | Developing content for delivery                           | Contextualisation of the learning experience | Feedback & Reflection                           |
|       |   |  | <b>Lunch Break</b>  |  |   |
| 16:00 | <b>14:00</b><br>Tour of Cork City                 | <b>14:00</b><br>Visit to Fitzgeralds Park    | <b>14:00</b><br>Outdoor Irish Dancing                     | <b>19:30</b><br>Pour Your Own Pint Night     | <b>13:45</b><br>Visit to Kinsale & Charles Fort |



## ENGLISH FOR EDUCATIONAL PROFESSIONALS COURSE

### Course Aim

This new course for 2024 on English for Educational Professionals course includes developing English communication skills with scenario training to give participants a real sense of how this applies to the workplace. Participants are encouraged to share personal work experiences to enhance the learning experience.

### Course Description

Objectives of this course include developing professional English communication skills with confidence, promoting intercultural integration and collaboration in the educational workplace & practicing real-life scenarios and learning to tailor language to the context.

On completion of this course, participants will have increased confidence in their ability to use English in everyday situations with international students and colleagues.



# Erasmus+

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|                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| <b>Dates</b>         | See Date Chart  |
| <b>Age Groups</b>    | 20+   |
| <b>Accommodation</b> | Host Family / Shared Apartment / Residence / Hotel / B & B / Hostel |
| <b>Course Price</b>  | €450 per week   |
| <b>Participants</b>  | 15  |
| <b>Duration</b>      | 1 or 2 weeks  |
| <b>Levels</b>        |   |

### This programme includes

- 25 lessons per week
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- Maximum of 15 students per class
- Certificate at the end of the course
- Evening Social Programme
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**B2** **B2+** **C1** **C1+** **C2**

### Sample Timetable - 25 lessons per week

|              | MONDAY  | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY  |
|--------------|---|--|--|--|---|
| <b>08:40</b> | Introductions & Networking                          | Developing intercultural skills in the workplace     | Workplace communication<br>Clarifying meaning & simplifying language | Presentations made easy: functional language / tips and strategies | Presentations: putting learning into practice |
|              |   |  | <b>Coffee Break</b>  |  |   |
|              | Mastering the art of small talk & relation building | Case Study Focus: Integrating international students | Maintaining politeness if communication breaks down                  | Presentations made easy: Finding your authentic voice              | Feedback & reflection                         |
|              |   |  | <b>Lunch Break</b>   |  |   |
| <b>14:00</b> | <b>14:00</b>  | <b>14:00</b>   | <b>14:00</b>   | <b>19:30</b>   | <b>13:45</b>                                  |
| <b>16:00</b> | Tour of Cork City                                   | Visit to Fitzgeralds Park                            | Outdoor Irish Dancing  | Pour Your Own Pint Night   | Visit to Kinsale & Charles Fort               |



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## GENERAL ENGLISH LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT

### Course Aim

To help participants develop their general English speaking, reading, writing and listening skills so they can live, work, study and travel successfully in the English-speaking world.

Develop your confidence in English with us!

### Course Description

The main focus in our multinational classes is on effective communication in real-world contexts. All courses begin with a placement test to ensure you are placed in the correct level and to help you improve as quickly as possible. You will also have regular meetings with your teacher to help you set up a study plan for the future and to maximise your progress academic, cultural, and social experience with us in Cork.



# Erasmus+

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|                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| <b>Dates</b>         | Every Monday  |
| <b>Age Groups</b>    | 16+   |
| <b>Accommodation</b> | Host Family / Shared Apartment / Residence / Hotel / B & B / Hostel |
| <b>Course Price</b>  | €450 per week   |
| <b>Participants</b>  | 12  |
| <b>Duration</b>      | Any number of weeks   |
| <b>Levels</b>        |   |



### This programme includes

- 25 lessons per week
- Use of all pedagogical material
- Maximum of 12 students per class
- Certificate at the end of the course
- Social Programme
- Access to the CEC E-Learning platform
- CEC Welcome Pack, Map, and CEC Notepad

### Sample Timetable - 25 lessons per week

|       | MONDAY  | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY   |
|-------|---|---|--|--|--|
| 08:40 | Welcome induction & ice breakers  | Language focus: grammar analysis and practice   | Speaking: everyday activities and general trends + Present Simple and Continuous   | Finding things in common: agreeing and disagreeing.<br>Writing: Email to a friend      | Test & correction + Pronunciation Strong and weak forms of auxiliary verbs                 |
|       | Listening to an inter view<br>Vocabulary recording: building a lexical notebook | Reading and speaking: adrenaline junkies + talking about new sports and trends in free time | <b>Coffee Break</b><br>Listening/speaking: new year traditions around the world + Webquest: present a tradition from another country | People: appearance & character vocabulary + Reading: matching descriptions to pictures | Listening/Video: travel show – places in America + Speaking: design a tour of your country |
|       |   |   | <b>Lunch Break</b>   |  |  |
| 14:00 | Tour of Cork City   | Visit to Crawford Art Gallery   | Outdoor Irish Dancing  | Pour Your Own Pint Night   | Visit to the Jameson Whiskey Distillery  |
| 16:00 |   |   |  |  |  |

# ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

## Host Family

**Availability:** All Year Round

**Description:** This type of accommodation is arranged on a half-board basis from Monday to Friday and full-board at the weekend. Students will have their own bedroom and shared bathroom facilities. We always aim to accommodate only one student of the same mother tongue per house.

**Benefits:** Offers a full immersion option in the Irish culture by living as part of an Irish family. This is also the best option to rapidly progress English language skills as you are developing your language skills in academic, social and familial environments.

**Included:** Transfers to and from arrival and departure point in Cork City.

**Options:** Executive host family is also available. With this option, students have private bathroom facilities.

**Arrival Information:** Students are met on arrival in Cork City by their host family. CEC must have students' arrival details in advance.

**Transfer Information:** Your host family will pick you up.

**Cork Airport:** FREE

Please note that for host family pick-up, students will need to arrive in Cork before midnight.

**Standard Host Family**

**Executive Host Family**

**Summer supplement (23/06 - 01/09)**

**Accommodation Placement Fee**

€270 per week

€330 per week

€45 per week

€60



## Residential— Self Catering Apartments

**Description:** These apartments offer all mod cons including internet access. Students may be sharing with other students or with Irish people who are working in Cork. These apartments have shared kitchen and bathroom facilities.

**Options:** Single rooms available.

**Benefits:** Meet and interact with other students through the medium of English. The apartments are within walking distance of the school and also close to public transport.

**Transfer Information:**

**Cork Airport:** €60 each way

**Single Room with private bathroom**

**Single Room with shared bathroom**

**Accommodation Placement Fee**

€310 per week

€275 per week

€60

*Prices for 01/01/24 - 25/05/24 & 18/08/24 - 31/12/24*



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# ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

## University Apartments

**Availability:** May 27th to August 17th

**Description:** Participants may choose a single room in university residential apartments. These apartments are self-catering. There are 4– 6 bedrooms per apartment. The students will have a shared kitchen and either shared or private bathroom facilities, depending on the option chosen.

**Benefits:** This option will ensure that students learn to live independently and develop valuable life skills. Students have the opportunity to meet Irish and international students.

**Included:** Standard and en-suite rooms include laundry facilities, television, broadband internet, bed linen, and weekly cleaning service for common areas.

**Arrival Information:** Arrival & check-in information must be pre arranged. Please contact [info@corkenglishcollege.ie](mailto:info@corkenglishcollege.ie) to arrange. Arrivals will not be accepted later than midnight.

**Transfer Information:**

**Cork Airport:** €60 each way

Single Standard

Single Ensuite

Accommodation Placement Fee

€250 per week

€295 per week

€60



## 2 Star Residential Apartments

**Availability:** May 26th to August 17th

**Description:** These apartments are ideal for participants traveling with their families or as part of a group. These apartments are ideally located in the city centre within walking distance of all amenities.

2/3 Bed (Sleeps up to 4)

5 Bed (Sleeps up to 5)

5 Bed (Sleeps up to 6)

Accommodation Placement Fee

€1,200 per week

€1,500 per week

€1,800 per week

€60



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# PARTICIPANT PATHWAY

Cork English College



## CEC is an Online Testing School

We ask all participants to take our online placement test before traveling to Ireland. This allows our academic team to place you in the correct level and take you to class after a welcome induction on your first day. A member of the academic team monitors all tests and is available if you need help or have any questions.

## Participants First Day

We ask participants to arrive at our Adult Centre by 8.45 am on their first day for a welcome presentation with the CEC team where participants receive important information about the school and their timetable. Participants who have taken the online test are taken directly to class to meet their teachers. CEC's classes follow the Council of Europe Common European Framework for Languages (CEFR) and we offer classes from A2 to C2.

## Progress

Our qualified and experienced teachers use a variety of published and authentic materials to help participants progress as quickly as possible. Teachers and academic management meet regularly to discuss each student's progress. Each week the teachers hold a short meeting with each student, giving feedback and advice on how to improve. There is also a brief progress test each Friday. When a participant is ready to move up to the next level, they will join their new class on Monday.

## Methodology

The method of teaching used at CEC is the communicative approach. Our aim is to enable students to communicate more effectively in English both with native speakers and speakers of English from other countries. CEC's courses include work on grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation, and the skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing. Special emphasis is given to communicating effectively and accurately, and error correction plays an important role in classes. All of our course levels are mapped to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages and have clear learning outcomes. These learning outcomes are what the students can do with the language. Participants can see the learning outcomes for each week on the scheme of work in their classrooms and can discuss these with their teachers.

## Afternoons

Participants can use the school common room & lounge area in the afternoons to relax, mingle with friends, or use it for study & work. Alternatively, they can join our wide range of activities many of which are built into each Erasmus+ programme.

## CEC Online

All participants have access to CEC Online, our integrated E-Learning platform. CEC Online is accessed through [www.corkenglishcollege.com](http://www.corkenglishcollege.com) and offers students thousands of additional learning exercises as well as the ability to view & register for our weekly activity & social programme.

## Course Certificate

On completion of the course, participants will receive a CEC Course certificate. An academic report is also sent to the student's CEC Online account. Any necessary documentation for Erasmus+ funding can be submitted to the main reception at the beginning of a participants week, and collected on their final day.

## WHAT OUR PARTICIPANTS SAY

"CEC made sure that we were getting to know Cork more through many very well structured trips"

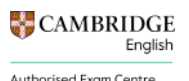
**Nelly & Sevim**  
from Germany

"I spent 6 months in CEC and it was a amazing experience. First of all, I met people from many different countries. To have a lot of friends from different countries makes me happy 😊"

**Mesut**  
from Turkey

"My experience in CEC couldn't have been better. I'd been there for almost 5 months and I could never imagine how much I improved and how many amazing people I met."

**Marta**  
from Italy



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# ACTIVITY & CULTURAL PROGRAMME

Below is a list of our main activities and excursions available to all participants. As you can see, there is something to do every day.

Apart from the activities indicated below, we also have a multi-media lab with access to the internet. Students also have FREE access to Wi-Fi in all of our buildings.

Our activity programme is the ideal way for participants to make friends outside of their class, see more of Ireland and use their English in a social setting. Apart from all that they're also great craic (fun)!



## Afternoon, Evening & Full Day Activities offered

### Afternoon

- Cork City Tour
- Crawford Art Gallery
- UCC & Glucksman Gallery
- Jameson Distillery
- Pronunciation class
- Fitzgerald's Park
- Cork City Gaol
- Blarney Castle
- Cobh
- Kinsale & Charles Fort
- Fota Wildlife Park
- Shandon Bells Church

### Evening

- Bowling
- Cinema Night
- Irish Dancing
- Pub Night
- Arcade Night
- Live Irish Music Night
- Karaoke Night
- Gaelic Football Night
- Brewery Tour
- Student Party
- Escape Rooms
- Pour Your Own Pint Night

### Full Day (Saturday)

- Killarney National Park
- Bunratty Castle
- Ring of Kerry
- Cliffs of Moher
- Rock of Cashel
- Mitchelstown Caves
- Cahir Castle
- Clonakilty
- Gougane Barra National Park
- Inchydoney Beach
- Clonakilty Town
- Kilkenny Castle

Cork City Tour



Visit to University College Cork



Killarney National Park



Blackrock Castle



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# “Cork is a state of mind”

*Lonely Planet Guide, 2023*





Considered one of the friendliest cities in Ireland, Cork is an independent place of culture, characters & craic.

The city is famous for its bustling streets, wealth of cafes, pubs & restaurants, and fine food options.

Beyond the city in West Cork, you will find some of the most breathtaking landscapes, colourful towns & villages, and picturesque beaches.

Everything good about Ireland can be found in Cork.



-  St. Patricks Bridge Building
-  St. Patricks Hill Building
-  St. Patricks Quay Building
-  Student Residences

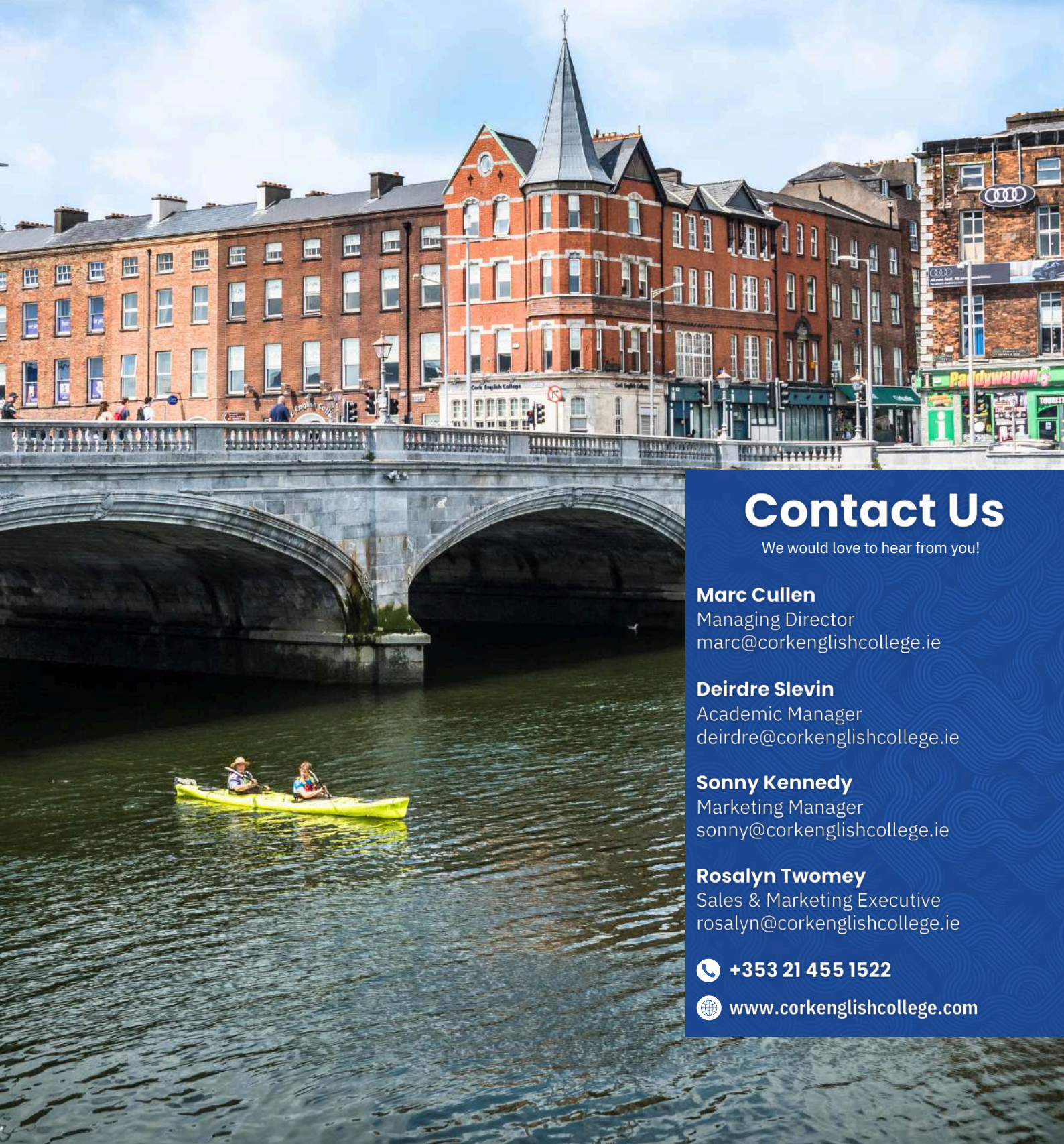
- 11 Nano Nagle Place
- 12 Shandon Tower & Bells, St. Anne's Church
- 13 The Butter Museum
- 14 St Fin Barre's Cathedral
- 15 St Peter's Cork
- 16 Triskel Christchurch
- 17 The Everyman Theatre
- 18 The Cork Opera House
- 19 Blarney Castle and Gardens
- 20 Cork City Tours - Start / Finish

- 1 Blackrock Castle Observatory
- 2 Cork City Gaol
- 3 Old Cork Waterworks Experience
- 4 Cork Public Museum
- 5 Fitzgerald's Park
- 6 The Glucksmann Gallery
- 7 University College Cork
- 8 Crawford Art Gallery
- 9 Elizabeth Fort
- 10 The English Market

# CORK CITY

**Cork is Ireland's Maritime Haven with a significant maritime history spanning over a thousand years...**

...set in a beautiful soft coastal environment where the land, the people and their culture will allow you to discover a quirky way to stimulate all your senses. Cork is ideally situated for you to explore two of the best experiences in Ireland – the Wild Atlantic Way and Ireland's Ancient East.



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