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With branches in the centre of Malahide & Portmarnock, Dublin, we offer students an exceptional experience. They can generally walk to school from their host family's homes and live in the safe environment of friendly towns like Malahide and Portmarnock.

The Summer Camp has been carefully designed to ensure students benefit in full from the enriching programme. The students will acquire a natural interest in improving their English in a lively and fun environment. Our student feedback is excellent and we continue to strive to make our summers the highlight of the year.

Classes

Students are given a placement test on arrival and our academic staff will carefully place students in a class appropriate to their level of English. All our classes have a maximum of 15 students per class, so students have an excellent opportunity to speak and to receive individual attention from their teacher. Our highly qualified teachers are specially chosen for their ability to relate to young people and all progress is carefully monitored. On finishing their course, students are given a Student Exit Report detailing their academic progress and are also awarded a Certificate of Attainment stating their level of English.

Programme Duration

Our Junior Summer Camps are designed to offer students a good balance of tuition, culture and leisure. While courses are based on 4 week programmes, stays of 2 & 3 weeks are offered. The Irish College of English offers flexible start dates so students can start whenever it is convenient.



Accommodation

Students are placed in the local area within easy reach of the school. Full board is provided with an Irish Host Family. Breakfast, a packed lunch and an evening meal are provided. Student welfare is our main concern and we choose our families carefully to ensure maximum comfort. In addition, we have a Home Stay Charter in place which clearly sets our standards and our policies concerning all home stays.

Activity Programme

Our Junior Summer Camp offers the ideal balance of study and leisure. Our activity programme includes a wide range of cultural tours and excursions as well as Ceilis (Irish dancing)/Discos. We also arrange sporting activities, including; football, tennis, pitch and putt and basketball.

Student Care and Welfare

At the Irish College of English our first priority is student safety and well being. This is demonstrated in our professional approach where students are always put first and our staff are friendly and caring, and are experienced in supervising children.

The College directors and all managerial staff live and work in Malahide so we are at hand quickly in any situation. In addition we have an emergency number which all students have access to 24 hours a day, so we are always contactable and available to help.

International Junior Summer Camps 2017

Classic Junior Programme Malahide

Dates: 12th June – 26th August, Ages 11-17

- English Language Classes 15 Hours per week
- Tailored Junior Syllabus
- 5 Half Day Activities including Dublin City Centre Trips
- 4 Free Optional Evening Activities
- 1 Full Day Excursion outside of Dublin

Intensive Junior Programme Portmarnock

Dates: 3rd July to 5th August, Ages 11-17

- English Languages Classes 20 Hours per week
- Classes Include PET, FCE and CAE Cambridge Exam Preparation
- 5 Half Day Activities including Dublin City Centre Trips
- 4 Free Optional Evening Activities
- 1 Full Day Excursion outside of Dublin

All inclusive programme including:

- Assessment on arrival, registration & administration
- 15/20 hours tuition per week (max. of 15 students per class)
- Irish leader to accompany groups on all activities
- Quality host family accommodation within walking distance
- All course materials including and use of textbook

- Student exit report & graded certificate of attainment
- Half day excursions, 1 free day excursion outside Dublin
- Unlimited Bus / Rail Pass and all entrance fees included
- Optional 4 evening free activities including disco, movies and dancing class



"Your Summer course has been a great and interesting experience for our son. He has improved his English and also enjoyed being with people from around the world." **Ernest, Germany**





International Junior Summer Camp Sample Programmes

Classic Junior Sample Programme Malahide Centre

Day	Class 8.45am - 12.00pm	Possible Afternoon Activities	Times
Monday	English Language Class	 Guided Tour of Dublin Croke Park and The GAA Museum Trinity College Library and The Book of Kells Jeanie Johnston Famine Ship Tour Optional Evening Activity – Movie Night 	12.30pm - 5.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Tuesday	English Language Class	 Natural History Museum National Museum of Decorative Arts & History National Museum of History and Archaeology The National Gallery of Ireland Optional Evening Activity – Games 	12.30pm - 5.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Wednesday	English Language Class	 Sports - Football, Volleyball, Rounders GAA Skills Session (Irish Football & Hurling) Bowling Optional Evening Activity – Irish Dancing 	12.30pm - 5.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Thursday	English Language Class	 Howth Cliff Walk Malahide Treasure Hunt Shopping in Dublin City Optional Evening Activity – Disco 	12.30pm - 5.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Friday	English Language Class	 Malahide Castle Tour Kilmainham Gaol Tour St. Michans Church Tour Newbridge Farm 	12.30pm - 5.00pm
Saturday	Full Day Excursions	 Glendalough Lakes Kilkenny City Tour Dublin Zoo Belfast City Tour 	9.00am – 5.00pm
Sunday	Free Day with Family & Friends		



"The activity programme is great. I love it. I want to come to Ireland again." Manuela, Spain





International Junior Summer **Camp Sample Programmes**

Intensive Junior Sample Programme Portmarnock Centre

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Monday	English Language Class	 Guided Tour of Dublin Croke Park and The GAA Museum Trinity College Library and The Book of Kells Jeanie Johnston Famine Ship Tour Optional Evening Activity – Movie Night 	1.30pm - 5.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
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"I loved my time in Ireland. It is such a beautiful place and I improved my English a lot! Thank you very much!!" Kaito, Japan







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English & Sport Camps Sailing, Horse Riding & Tennis

The Irish College of English has been running Youth Programmes for over 25 years and has an international reputation for quality programmes.

In addition to our Classic and Intensive English & Cultural Programmes, we run full immersion English & Sports Camps from our Malahide and Portmarnock Centres.

These programmes combine English Language tuition in the mornings and sporting activities with local clubs in the afternoon. In addition, students have two cultural trips per week. This programme is the ideal way for students to fully immerse themselves in the language by interacting with Irish teenagers and meeting new friends while improving their sport skills.

Our Malahide Centre offers English & Tennis and English & Sailing and our Portmarnock Centre offers English & Horse Riding. All the students take part in the Classic Junior Summer Camp in the mornings for English tuition and then divide into groups for the afternoon activity depending on their option. Students stay with carefully selected families within walking distance of the school. We receive excellent feedback on our host families and pride ourselves on offering a quality service.

Courses are run for individuals over the specific weeks in the summer but groups of students are welcome all year round.

English & Horse Riding 3rd July - 5th August

Sample Programme			
Monday	English Language Class Possible Afternoon Activity Dublin City Centre Tour Optional Evening Activity – Movie Night	8.45am - 12.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm	
Tuesday	English Language Class Horse Riding programme Optional Evening Activity – Games	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm	
Wednesday	English Language Class Horse Riding programme Optional Evening Activity – Irish Dancing	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm	
Thursday	English Language Class Horse Riding programme Optional Evening Activity – Disco	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm	
Friday	English Language Class Horse Riding programme	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm	
Saturday	Full Day Excursions Glendalough Lakes, Kilkenny City, Dublin Zoo, Belfast City Tour	9.00am - 5.00pm	
Sunday	Free Day with Family & Friends		



"Warm welcome, safe and beautiful environment with Dublin City at hand and professional teachers and caring families = happy students." **Sandra, France**







English & Sailing 31st July – 26th Aug

Sample Programme

Monday	English Language Class Sailing Programme Optional Evening Activity – Movie Night	8.45am - 12.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Tuesday	English Language Class Sailing Programme Optional Evening Activity – Games	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Wednesday	English Language Class Sailing Programme Optional Evening Activity – Irish Dancing	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Thursday	English Language Class Sailing Programme Optional Evening Activity – Disco	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Friday	English Language Class Possible Afternoon Activity Dublin City Centre Tour	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm
Saturday	Full Day Excursion Options Glendalough Lakes Kilkenny City Dublin Zo Belfast	9.00am - 5.00pm
Sunday	Free Day with Family & Friends	

English & Tennis 31st July – 26th Aug

Sample Programme

Monday	English Language Class Tennis Instruction Optional Evening Activity – Movie Night	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Tuesday	English Language Class Tennis Instruction Optional Evening Activity – Games	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Wednesday	English Language Class Tennis Instruction Optional Evening Activity – Irish Dancing	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Thursday	English Language Class Tennis Instruction Student Disco Optional Evening Activity – Disco	8.45am - 12.00pm 1.00pm - 4.00pm 7.30pm - 9.00pm
Friday	English Language Class Possible Afternoon Activity Dublin City Centre Tour	8.45am - 12.00pm
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