



IEC KANTURK
JUNIOR CAMPUS

WELCOME



Welcome to IEC KANTURK International Junior Campus

Infinity English College is a family owned company established in 2004 and is a leading provider of quality Junior English language programmes. Infinity English College is recognised by ACELS, a service of Quality and Qualifications Ireland, for English language teaching. We are also a member of Marketing English in Ireland (MEI) and embrace the highest standards in our industry. Open all year around, our extensive Junior Campus is situated in an attractive market town called 'Kanturk' in North Cork in the South of Ireland and enjoys easy access from Dublin, Cork and Shannon Airports.

Our professionally trained teachers and staff proudly aim to deliver highly communicative English language courses in which all the strands of the programme interconnect to create a dynamic overall experience during students' language holidays.

Michelle Budden & Thomas Horgan
(Husband and Wife, Directors)



LOCATION

IEC Kanturk is located in the heart of the beautiful town of Kanturk in North Cork on a walled one hectare site. Built in the 1860's our unique campus offers a charm filled with character and history. Completely refurbished in 2016 the residential building has been modernised to meet modern requirements while providing an unforgettable experience.

Kanturk is a small and friendly town with a unique personality, a deep sense of history and tradition. The state of the art campus is very accessible. Being located less than an hour's drive from Cork Airport, Limerick Airport (Shannon Airport), Kerry Airport (Farranfore), and within two and a half hours from Dublin Airport. Students are within 2 minutes walking distance from the town centre and a 10 minute drive from the main Dublin to Cork railway line. The famous town of Killarney is within an hours drive while an adventure water sports activity centre 'Ballyhass Lakes Activity Centre' is less than a 10 minute drive. The location and campus provide the ideal environment to make new friends from all over the world.



TABLE OF CONTENTS

A circular infographic table of contents with 13 segments, each representing a page number, title, and page count. A lightbulb icon is in the center.

Page Number	Title	Page Count
01	Welcome	02 _{pg}
02	Location	03 _{pg}
03	Student Lounge	06 _{pg}
04	Campus Residence	08 _{pg}
05	Outside the Campus	09 _{pg}
06	Academic Programme	10 _{pg}
07	English Language Programme	12 _{pg}
08	Activities	13 _{pg}
09	Sports Programme	15 _{pg}
10	Mini Stay Programmes	16 _{pg}
11	Internships & Work Experience	18 _{pg}
12	High School Programme	17 _{pg}
13	IEC Campus	19 _{pg}



WHY IEC?

Why choose IEC Kanturk?

When students join us they will get more than just lessons in a classroom. During their stay at our state of the art campus we pride ourselves on providing a personalised and quality experience where we offer top quality language learning programmes.

Being a family-owned business our directors live on site and personally meet all students, regularly obtain feedback and report back to agents. With 24 hours a day supervision and a secure environment students are guided and cared for by a team of dedicated and kind people. Our gated residence is easily accessible and we look forward to welcoming students!



STUDENT LOUNGE

Entertainment Room

Students can take a break and relax watching television and chatting with friends, enjoy some friendly competition by playing a game of ping-pong, table-tennis, Snooker, pool or board games.



Computer Centre

High speed free Wi-Fi is available throughout the building and computers are available to use for the convenience of students.

Library

Students can take one of the many books from our library shelves and lose themselves in a story from many different genres and cultures.





School Restaurant

With busy days filled with fun and learning we know how important it is that our students are provided with nutritious meals. Our on-site chef includes both hot and cold healthy meals throughout the day. Students with special dietary requirements or allergies are catered for, and delicious and balanced packed lunches are provided during full-day excursions. Menus are provided in advance and feedback is welcomed from our clients during their stay.

- On-site chef and restaurant;
- Hot/cold nutritious meals provided;
- Special dietary requirements/ allergies catered for packed lunches for excursions.



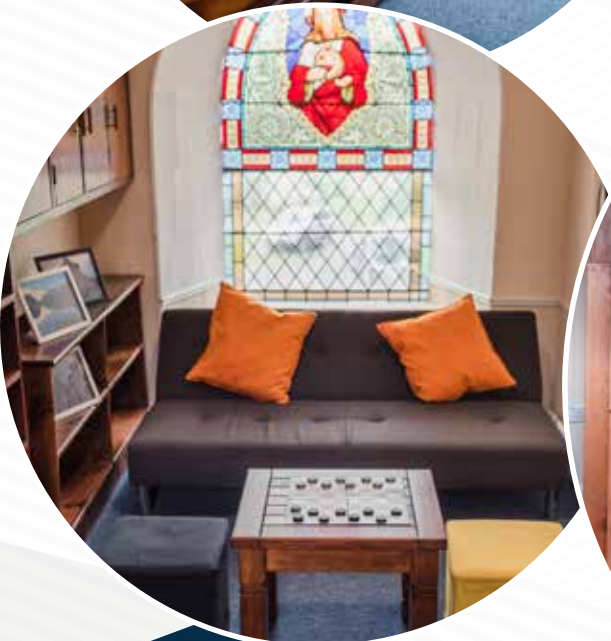
CAMPUS RESIDENCE

Renovated to the highest standard in 2016, the residential campus offers first class accommodation. The main building includes:

- 33 freshly decorated and furnished bedrooms;
- 16 brand new toilets and 13 shower units;
- Commercial kitchen;
- Large student lounge;
- Music Room;
- Entertainment room filled with old-world character.



- Open all year round
- 24 hours security
- Gated complex
- Director residing on site
- State of the art student facilities





ACADEMIC PROGRAMME

YOUR LEARNING JOURNEY

WELCOME ARRIVAL IN DUBLIN

You will be greeted upon your arrival at Dublin airport by a member of the Infinity College team, who will provide you with assistance to your host family or residence accommodation.



FIRST DAY AT SCHOOL

You will be greeted for your first day at Infinity College by our friendly staff, who will provide you with an orientation about the school, your classes and social activities at Infinity.



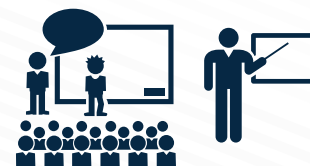
TESTING AND CLASS PLACEMENT

You will be met by the Academic Manager who will conduct a placement test with you. This is to ensure that you are placed in the best class for your level of English.



STARTING CLASS

After your placement test, you will be brought to your class and welcomed by your teacher, who will introduce you to your new classmates.



ACTIVITIES AT INFINITY

From your first afternoon you will join one of the School's activity groups, and together you will have lots of fun activities.



REGULAR FEEDBACK

Each week your teacher will review your progress and provide you with the necessary feedback to ensure that your English improves in line with your expectations.



CERTIFICATE AND GOODBYE

On your last day with the School you will receive a certificate, and say goodbye to new friends.



OUTSIDE THE CAMPUS

Students have the opportunity to spend time outdoors on one of our outdoor playing fields or simply enjoying the gardens. With access to an indoor gymnasium and nearby soccer pitch we regularly schedule basketball, volleyball and indoor team sports. With a one hectare site our campus provides ample space to appreciate nature.

Kanturk town is a two minute stroll and organised excursions allow students the opportunity to do some shopping or visit one of the many restaurants or cafes. The town library affords the opportunity of accessing a more extensive book selection to explore the history of the town and surrounding area.

Kanturk Town Park is directly across from the campus and has a children's playground, some cultural exhibits, a walkway by the banks of the Dalua River and is filled with beautiful oak, beech, chestnut and ash trees.



Host Family

We have an extensive database of friendly host families who have been providing accommodation for students from different countries for a number of years. The families are located within walking distance of the main residence or drive students to and from our International Junior Campus.

This is a unique option to stay in a local home and discover a new culture and lifestyle while having the support of our campus staff at all times. Students practise their language skills in a comfortable environment with all the pleasures of a home from home. All of our host families are inspected and approved by our staff and undertake police vetting.





Sample Programme 2 Weeks

Friday

Arrival
Collection by private coach to Kanturk
Induction, allocation of rooms.
Lights Out

Saturday

8.30am:Breakfast
10am Full Day
Excursion to Ballybunion Beach & town
5pm coach
6.30pm Dinner
8pm- 10pm: PARTY!
10pm: Lights Out

Sunday

FREE DAY
Optional Excursion available on request

Monday

8.15am:Breakfast
9.00am: Placement Test
11.00-12.15: English Lessons
1pm: Lunch
2pm bus : Excursion Doneraile Nature Reserve
6.30pm Dinner
8pm- 9.30pm: Irish Music & Tin Whistle Lesson
10pm: Lights Out

Tuesday

8.15am:Breakfast
9.00-10.30: English Lesson1
11.00-12.15: English Lesson2
1pm: Lunch
2-4pm : Crazy Golf or Volley Balll
6.30pm Dinner
8pm- 9.30pm: Irish Band
10pm: Lights Out

Wednesday

8.15am:Breakfast
9.00-10.30: English Lesson1
11.00-12.30: English Lesson2
1pm: Lunch
2pm bus : Excursion Mallow Castle & Town
6.30pm Dinner
8pm- 9.30pm: Movie Night
10pm: Lights Out

Thursday

8.15am:Breakfast
9.00-10.30: English Lesson1
11.00-12.30: English Lesson2
1pm: Lunch
2pm bus : Horse Riding Mallow Stables
6.30pm Dinner
8pm- 9.30pm: Irish Dancing
10pm: Lights Out

Friday

8.15am:Breakfast
9.00-10.30: English Lesson1
11.00-12.30: English Lesson2
1pm: Lunch
2-4pm pm: Irish Sports & Olympic Match!
6.30pm Dinner
8pm- 9.30pm: Karaoki Night
10pm: Lights Out

Saturday

8.30am:Breakfast
10am Full Day
Excursion to Killarney National Park & Torque Waterfall Or Cork City Guided Tour
5pm coach
6.30pm Dinner
8pm- 10pm: Disco
10pm: Lights Out

Sunday

FREE DAY
Optional Excursion available on request

Monday

8.15am:Breakfast
9.00am: Placement Test
11.00-12.15: English Lessons
1pm: Lunch
2-4 pm: Ballyhass Lakes Water Sports!
6.30pm Dinner
8pm- 9.30pm: Irish Music
10pm: Lights Out

Tuesday

8.15am:Breakfast
9.00-10.30: English Lesson1
11.00-12.15: English Lesson2
1pm: Lunch
2pm -4pm: Kanturk Castle Outdoor adventure
6.30pm Dinner
8pm- 9.30pm: Paddy Games (fun games)
10pm: Lights Out

Wednesday

8.15am:Breakfast
9.00-10.30: English Lesson1
11.00-12.30: English Lesson2
1pm: Lunch
2pm bus : Excursion National Park Millstreet
6.30pm Dinner
8pm- 9.30pm: Yoga/Bingo!
10pm: Lights Out

Thursday

8.15am:Breakfast
9.00-10.30: English Lesson1
11.00-12.30: English Lesson2
1pm: Lunch
2-4pm : Irish Songs & Tin Whistle
6.30pm Dinner
8pm- 9.30pm: Irish Bodhran Session
10pm: Lights Out

Friday

8.15am:Breakfast
DEPARTURE
Coach to Dublin
Packed lunch

* This schedule is an example only and may be changed subject to availability and weather considerations.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROGRAMMES

AGES: 10-17

Groups are invited to participate in an English Language programme organised to suit your group requirements. Stays can be arranged for a flexible duration – typically from 5 to 21 days. We combine English language classes during the mornings followed by fun and exciting afternoon activities and cultural evening entertainment every night.

Placement Test

On the first day of school, students take a placement test to determine their level of English. The test examines their proficiency of the language and ensures that each child is placed in a class with other international students of similar ability. This allows them the best opportunity to learn effectively and improve their English at a pace they are comfortable with.

Active Learning

Our teachers use a variety of methods to engage students in our bright and spacious classrooms. As well as textbooks, students improve their English through group work and class activities. Individual attention is given to each child in order to assess and cultivate their individual needs.

Classrooms

- 8 Spacious classrooms;
- Bright and clean;
- Free Wi-Fi.





ACTIVITIES

Our cultural activity staff organise an action-packed activity programme for our students each day. These include activities to practice their English language with other international students and cultural excursions to visit famous attractions across the county. Supervised by our wonderful and social team leaders, students make new friends while playing games, sightseeing or even shopping!

Depending on the programme selected your child may enjoy the following activities:

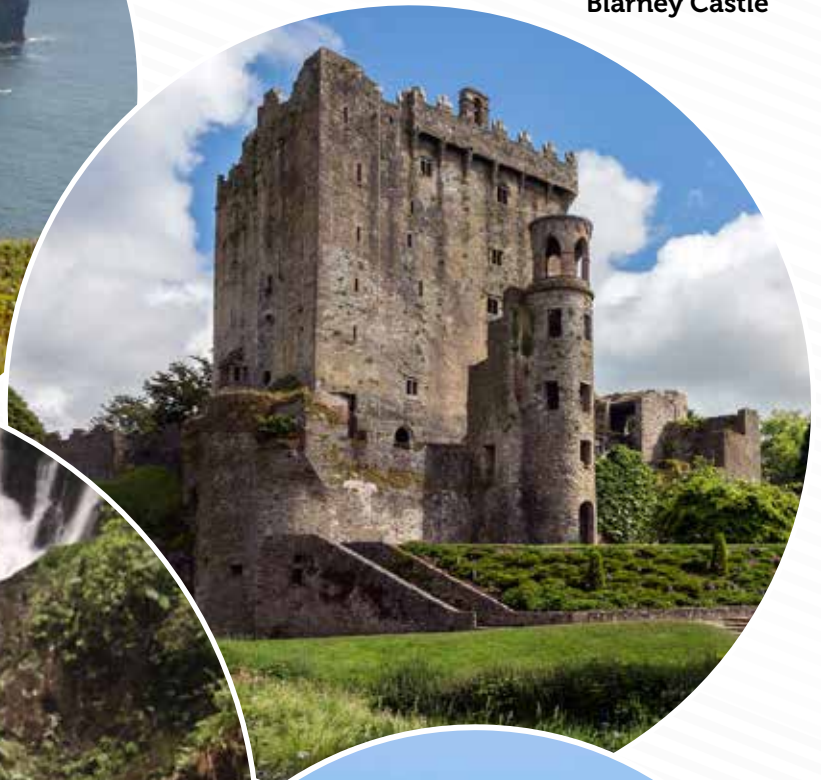
- Full-day excursions to the beach, Blarney Castle, Killarney, Co. Kerry, Galway, or Cork City;
- Sports such as swimming, horseback riding, kayaking, rugby or Gaelic sports;
- Arts, crafts, Irish music lessons;
- Museums and park visits;
- Cultural city tours;
- Parties, shows and festivals;
- Movie nights;
- Shopping and much more.



EXCURSIONS



Cliffs of Moher



Blarney Castle



Killarney Park



Cork City



SPORTS PROGRAMME

AGES: 10-17

We can provide tailored English Language Sports programmes specialised for groups.

Our campus is located 10-15 minutes from several amazing facilities including:

- Outdoor water sports centre where students will have the opportunity to go kayaking, rock climbing, wakeboarding, try the zipline course and much more;
- Horse-riding indoor arena which provides a unique opportunity to go horse or pony riding with qualified and experienced instructors across hectares of the beautiful Irish countryside;
- Indoor Heated Swimming Pool Excursions;
- Golf course and driving range;
- Rugby – Infinity English College is the proud sponsor of the local Kanturk Rugby club!
- Participate in the famous Gaelic sports;
- Special requests can be catered for such as gymnastics or ballet programmes.

***Packages include: airport pick-up/ accommodation/ meals/ activities/ tuition.**

- Sports' equipment will be provided for all sports camps, however in the case of particular programmes a few items are compulsory.
- Students participating in our rugby programme must wear a gum shield.
- Students participating in all sports' programmes must ensure they have the appropriate footwear and attire.
- Sports Coaches are qualified coaches for the sport in question.

- 15 hours of English group tuition per week
- 10 hours of sport training per week
- Airport Transfers
- Accommodation Type: Residence or Host Family
- One full-day cultural excursion each week
- One half-day cultural excursion each week
- Daily afternoon cultural activities
- Nightly evening activities including Irish dance, Irish music or movie night



MINI STAY PROGRAMMES

AGES: 13-17

Junior Mini-Stay Programme

Groups are invited to participate in an English Language programme organised to suit your group requirements. Stays can be arranged for a flexible duration – typically from 5 to 21 days. We combine English language classes during the mornings followed by fun and exciting afternoon activities and cultural evening entertainment every night.

***Packages include: airport pick-up/ accommodation/ meals/ activities/ tuition.**

- 3 hours of English group tuition per day;
- Airport transfers;
- Accommodation Type: Residential/Host Family;
- One full-day cultural excursion;
- One half-day cultural excursion;
- Nightly evening activities including Irish dance, Irish music or movie night;



WEEK 1			
	MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING
SUN	-	ARRIVAL - Airport transport to Kanturk	Depends on arrival time: Dinner/ Irish Bodhran Lesson
MON	8:15am Breakfast/English Lessons	Lunch/2pm Excursion to Doneraile Wildlife Park	Dinner/Paddy Games (fun games) 10pm: Lights Out
TUES	8:15am Breakfast/English Lessons	Lunch/Treasure Hunt Around Kanturk and Prize!	Dinner/Irish Band 10pm: Lights Out
WED	8:15am Breakfast/English Lessons	Lunch/Excursion Mallow Castle & Town	Dinner/Irish Music & Tin Whistle Lesson 10pm: Lights Out
THURS	8:15am Breakfast/English Lessons	Lunch/Irish Sports & Olympic Match	Dinner/Karaoke Night 10pm: Lights Out
FRI	8:15am Breakfast/Full Day Excursion to Killarney National Park & Torque Waterfall	Lunch/Shopping	Dinner/Disco 10pm: Lights Out
SAT	Breakfast/Depart to airport via coach	Packed lunch provided	



INTERNSHIPS & WORK EXPERIENCE

AGES: 15+

ERASMUS PLUS Internship Programme

We provide an internship service for students or groups wishing to avail of the Erasmus Plus funding or simply wishing to gain work experience in another European country. This programme is designed for EU students. Many students choose to combine a number of weeks English language tuition followed by an internship 4, 6, 8 weeks of duration and sometimes longer.

Students improve their practical knowledge of the English language and are placed in internships which relate to their academic studies. Immersed in a host family or IEC Campus, students work and perform tasks on a daily basis providing them with a rich experience which can be added to their CV for future work opportunities.

A complete service from airport collection to the provision of accommodation and the placement in internships with companies is provided by Infinity English College. Ideally combined with the provision of a number of days or weeks of English on arrival interviews are then arranged with prospective companies. On successful placement further support is provided during the programme which includes a cultural itinerary and a 24 hour emergency number.

***Packages include: airport pick-up/ accommodation/ meals/ activities/ tuition.**

Types of Internships Available

- **Horticulture Assistant:** Gardening assistant, nursery, growing and producing plants/trees
- **Web Marketing:** Marketing products, SEO, online advertising, social networking
- **Food and Beverage:** Catering and serving customers, taking orders
- **Sales and Marketing:** Extending client database, generating leads
- **IT Assistant:** Working with databases, servers, projects
- **Tourism Sector:** Hotels, event management
- **Electrical Engineering:** Engineering companies
- **Catering:** Trainee chefs, front of house waiting
- **Office Assistant:** General administration duties
- **Science:** Pharmacy assistant, laboratory technician

Work Study Programme

Our Work Study programmes are designed to meet the student's individual needs. We liaise with our agents and design a study tour for each student which may range from 1 to 2 weeks in duration.

These tours incorporate English language tuition that can include exam preparation such as IELTS, TOEIC or Trinity GESE Exams, Business English or English for Special Purposes. We supplement our English Language Programme with lectures covering the various aspects of Work Experience & Career Planning and arrange company visits. Suitable for EU students.

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMME

AGES: 13-17

Infinity English College provides an enriching high school programme for students or groups wishing to be placed in a high school for a term or an academic year. This programme is personally monitored by Michelle Budden our Managing Director who regularly meets the High School students to ensure a successful experience and reports directly to agents on student welfare.

Participating students benefit from a hugely rewarding experience where they are immersed in a host family while attending a carefully selected Irish High School rich in culture and tradition. We carefully select high schools to partner with us who have a similar ethos to Infinity English College, high academic standards, and a positive and caring approach to student welfare.



Semester Choice

A student can choose to study in an Irish High School for:

- Full academic year...September to June
- 1 term...September to December
- 2 terms...September to March or January to June
- 12 weeks...September to May for 12 weeks

On submission of the completed application the process will commence with families and the school. We will carefully choose a high school based on the applicant profile.

Service Include

- High School Placement
- Host Family Placement
- Airport Pickup
- Cultural Programme
- Programme Monitoring
- Sports Programme
- Guardianship and 24 hour emergency service
- Dedicated team and director who meets with students every 14 days and reports back to agents

“ My stay in Ireland is going so good, I made new friends, I like my family and my English is improving every day. I have been here for 4 months and I still have 5 months to enjoy as much I can ...and to better my English. I'm having a great time in Ireland

NICOLE DIAZ GARCIA
Student

“ Coming to Ireland it was a really good idea. I am very happy here and I am improving my English a lot.

MANUEL SUAREZ
Student



IEC KANTURK

IEC CAMPUS





IEC KANTURK

SUMMER CAMP • SCHOOL GROUPS
HIGH SCHOOL • INTERNSHIPS



IEC Campus, Church Street, Kanturk, Co.Cork, Ireland
Email: info@ibcollege.com
Tel: 00 353 0 (29) 50461