



Embassy Dublin

Age range: 13-17

Dates: 28 Jun – 16 Aug

Founded by the legendary Vikings and enriched over centuries of culture and creativity, Dublin is a bustling capital city with all the warmth of your favourite little town. Spend your days exploring everything this enchanting green city has to offer – and don't forget your camera! Study at renowned Terenure College, located in a beautiful, green setting in the Dublin suburbs.

Accommodation

Homestay

- Twin/triple room, shared bathroom, full board
- Laundry facilities will be provided by the family once a week
- Bed linen is provided, but students should bring their own towels. Linen and towels will be cleaned once a week by the homestay provider
- Bedrooms and bathrooms will be cleaned once a week by the homestay provider
- Homestay providers are all located within a 45-minute bus journey of the Terenure College

Language programme

- Taught by friendly and professional English teachers
- 20 x 45 minute lessons per week morning or afternoon
- Placement test on day 1 to ensure students in appropriate level
- Maximum 15 students per class
- Students will be placed in an international class with students of different nationalities
- Spacious classrooms
- Curriculum with emphasis on communication skills
- Materials included as well as an end of course report and certificate



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Homestay accommodation

Rooms include

- Bed
- Storage space
- Internet access
- If there is not a desk available in the bedroom, there will be a space provided in another room in the house for the student to study/work

Type of room

- Twin/triple room with shared bathroom

Bathrooms

- Shared with homestay provider

Laundry

- Laundry facilities will be provided by the family once a week

Linen/Towels

- Bed linen is provided, but students should bring their own towels. Linen and towels will be cleaned once a week by the homestay provider

Cleaning

- Bedrooms and bathrooms will be cleaned once a week by the homestay provider

Meals

Breakfast

Breakfast can consist of cereals, toast, fruit, tea and coffee

Lunch

Packed lunch is provided by the homestay, consisting of a sandwich, fruit, and a drink

Dinner

Evening meal with the homestay

Programme information

Arrival

Students will be met and greeted by Embassy Staff/Driver if an arrival airport transfer has been reserved.

Welcome

Homestay students will be welcomed by their homestay on arrival. They receive a welcome letter containing course information, rules, information about the family and how to commute to Terenure College. Homestay students will spend their first evening with their homestay.

Activities

Activities are organised every day, these activities take place either on-site or in the city centre. These may include:

- Sports such as football, mini Olympics, Gaelic Football, ultimate frisbee, etc
- Daytime activities such as Viking Splash, Dublin Hop-on Hop-off tour, EPIC The Irish Emigration Museum, Kilmainham Gaol and Irish Museum of Modern Art, etc
- Evening activities such as karaoke, talent show, film night, quiz night, etc

Excursions

Full-day excursions from Dublin include:

Bray: The beautiful coastal town of Bray in County Wicklow is one hour away from Dublin. Students will have the opportunity to enjoy the seaside town's attractions and a scenic walk under the cliffs.

Glendalough: Students spend the day in Glendalough enjoying the beauty of the Irish countryside where they will walk through Wicklow Mountains National Park and gain insight into the country's history and culture. They will also visit the medieval monastic settlement of Glendalough.

Belfast & Titanic Museum: Belfast is the capital and largest city in Northern Ireland, best known for being where the RMS Titanic was built. This trip includes a visit to the world-famous Titanic Museum!

Kilkenny: Kilkenny is the Ireland of many visitors' imaginations. Built from dark grey limestone flecked with fossil seashells, Kilkenny is also known as 'the Marble City'. The trip includes a visit to Kilkenny Castle, one of Ireland's most visited heritage sites.

Portmarnock: Portmarnock is a coastal suburban village in Fingal, Ireland with sandy beaches. Students will experience and enjoy the coastal town along with activities.

Optional excursions

Take advantage of the additional trips that are available from Dublin

- Bowling
- Laser Tag
- Dublin Zoo
- Guinness Storehouse

Sample programme

Full summer sample programme - Dublin

Each 14-night stay will include 10 afternoon/morning activities such as visits to museums, Dublin sightseeing and sports and 6 evening activities. It will also include 2 full-day excursions to places such as Kilkenny, Belfast, and Glendalough.

Students may have lessons either in the morning or in the afternoon, alternating weekly after that.

This programme is for illustrative purposes and activities and visits may change.

Week 1/4	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	28 Jun/19 Jul	29 Jun/20 Jul	30 Jun/21 Jul	1 Jul/22 Jul	2 Jul/23 Jul	3 Jul/24 Jul	4 Jul/25 Jul
Morning	Arrivals	Testing /Induction or Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Full-day trip to Kilkenny with walking tour & Kilkenny Castle
Afternoon		Dublin Orientation Walking Tour	James Joyce Tower & Museum	Gaelic Football & Sports	Viking Splash	Natural History Museum & Grafton Street Shopping Optional - Bowling & Laser Tag	
Evening	Free evening with homestay	Free evening with your homestay	Quiz Night Arts and Crafts	Talent Show	Film Night	Free evening with your homestay	Free Evening with your Host Family

Week 2/5	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	5 Jul/26 Jul	6 Jul/27 Jul	7 Jul/28 Jul	8 Jul/29 Jul	9 Jul/30 Jul	10 Jul/31 Jul	11 Jul/1 Aug
Morning	Arrivals & departures or full-day trip to Bray	Dublin Rock n' Roll Walking Tour	Kilmainham Gaol and Irish Museum Of Modern Art	Sports	Dublin Hop-on Hop-off Tour	Trinity Science Museum & George's Street Arcade Optional - Dublin Zoo	Full-day trip to Belfast & Titanic Museum
Afternoon		Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	
Evening	Free evening with your homestay	Free evening with your homestay	Drama Workshop	Trash Fashion Show	Disco Night	Free evening with your homestay	Free evening with your homestay

Week 3/6	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	12 Jul/2 Aug	13 Jul/3 Aug	14 Jul/4 Aug	15 Jul/5 Aug	16 Jul/6 Aug	17 Jul/7 Aug	18 Jul/8 Aug
Morning	Arrivals & departures or full-day trip to Portamarnock	Testing /Induction	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Full-day trip to Glendalough and Powerscourt
Afternoon		Dublin Liffey River Walk	Dublinia & Christ Church Cathedral	Capture the Flag & Sports	EPIC The Irish Emigration Museum	Phoenix Park Photo Scavenger Hunt Optional- Guinness Storehouse	
Evening	Free evening with your homestay	Film Night	Karaoke Night Lip Sync Battle	Casino night	Disco Night	Free evening with your homestay	Free evening with your homestay

Student Welfare

We place the highest priority on care and supervision at all of our Embassy Summer centres, so you can rest assured that students are well looked after. Members of staff are available 24 hours a day.

Office address

Embassy Summer School
Terenure College
Templeogue Road, Terenure, Dublin
D6W DK72
Tel: +353 1 490 4621

Student services

Our student support staff can help you with:

- Accommodation
- Airport transfers
- Information about local services
- Assistance with individual and personal problems
- Emergency contact

Medical information

If a student needs medical attention, an Embassy staff member will help them to make an appointment. Group leaders must accompany the student to an appointment. An Embassy staff member will accompany any student that is not part of a group.

Local doctor

Terenure Medical
84 Terenure Road East
Dublin D06 RW26
Tel: 014907077

Local hospital

St James's Hospital – Accident & Emergency
St James's Street
Dublin
Tel: 014103000

Local dentist:

Terenure Dental
74A Terenure Road East
Dublin 6
Tel: 01490 4850

Insurance

If a student does not have insurance, guard.me insurance is available to purchase through Embassy Summer.

Safe

A safe will be available for the storage of passports, travel documents and deposits.

In case of emergency

A 24-hour emergency telephone number is available all summer: 00353 (0) 1 9058831

