



AGES 4-12

CHILDREN'S ENGLISH COURSES

A happy first step into English

Small classes • Fun learning • Real Irish experiences • A family holiday in Killarney



KILLARNEY
SCHOOL OF ENGLISH

One of the very few English language schools in Ireland welcoming children from just age 4.

Beginners are welcome. Children learn through communication, creativity, play and real experiences in Killarney.

SUMMER PROGRAMMES IN IRELAND

English from age 4

Killarney School of English is one of the very few English language schools in Ireland offering English courses for children from just 4 years of age. Our aim is simple: children should **enjoy learning English** and feel comfortable using it from their very first day.

SMALL CLASSES



Maximum 12 students per class, giving children plenty of opportunities to speak, participate and receive individual encouragement.

A SPACE JUST FOR CHILDREN



Our dedicated **Kids Zone** is close to the main school, with classrooms and spaces where children can learn, create, play and socialise.

There is a large garden / field for children to play games including football during the breaks and lunch time.

YOUNG-LEARNER TEACHERS



Teachers use age-appropriate methods combining language with games, songs, stories, role play, creative activities and communication.

FAMILY-FRIENDLY



Parents taking English classes at KSOE are nearby, making it convenient for families who want to study and holiday together.

CHOOSE THE PROGRAMME THAT SUITS YOUR FAMILY

GE1 - English Classes

15 hours of General English group lessons per week.

GE3 - English + Activities

15 hours of General English plus 15 hours of afternoon activities per week.

Every child receives a certificate at the end of their course.



No English? No problem.

For many of our youngest students, Killarney may be their **very first experience of learning English**. We believe that first experience should be happy, relaxed and fun.

BUILDING CONFIDENCE FOR THE FUTURE

Children learn through games, songs, stories, movement, art, play and interaction with their teacher and classmates.

They begin to understand words and phrases naturally and discover that communicating in another language can be enjoyable.

Our aim is not only to teach English during a child's stay in Killarney. We also want children to leave with a positive feeling about the language.

LEARNING AT THE RIGHT LEVEL

Children are placed in classes appropriate to their **age and level of English**.

Our youngest learners are taught using methods designed especially for young children, while older children progress through levels from beginner upwards.

Teachers continue to assess children naturally during their first lessons so that each child can study in the group that best suits them.



Learning through doing: children use English while playing, creating, talking and working together.

For children taking our GE3 programme, English continues after morning classes through a varied programme of afternoon activities. Children spend time with new friends, experience life in Ireland and use English naturally outside the classroom.

**NATURE & FARM EXPERIENCES****IRISH MUSIC & CULTURE****ARTS & CREATIVITY****SPORTS & OUTDOOR FUN**

LEARNING WITHOUT REALISING THEY ARE LEARNING

Afternoon activities are also part of the language experience. Children hear instructions, talk to teachers and activity leaders, communicate with other children and learn new vocabulary in real situations. English becomes something they **use while having fun**, rather than something that exists only in a textbook.

Sample activities may include: Irish dancing and music, farms and animals, arts and crafts, drama, team games, nature walks and local visits. The programme may vary.



More than an English course

A course at Killarney School of English can become a **family holiday** in one of Ireland's most beautiful destinations.

Children can spend their mornings learning English and, if they choose our activity programme, their afternoons enjoying activities and discovering Ireland.

SOMETHING FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

4-12**CHILDREN**

Children's English programme

13-17**TEENAGERS**

Teenage English programme

18+**ADULTS**

Adult English classes

A genuine Irish experience

Through local activities, Irish music and dance, nature, sport and everyday interaction, children encounter English as part of life in Ireland. They return home with new language, new confidence and memories of an Irish summer.



Our Friday performance



Find the right place for your family

Killarney offers a wide range of accommodation options to suit different budgets, group sizes and holiday plans. We are happy to use our local knowledge to help families consider suitable options for their dates and requirements.

SELF-CATERING

Apartments, cottages and holiday homes give families flexibility, their own space and the freedom to organise meals and holiday time around the family.

HOTELS & GUESTHOUSES

Killarney has a wide selection of hotels, guesthouses and B&Bs, with options close to the school, in town and in the surrounding countryside.

HOST FAMILIES

For families who would like a more immersive Irish experience, host family accommodation may also be available, offering extra opportunities to hear and use English.



Host family accommodation



READY FOR YOUR FAMILY'S IRISH ADVENTURE?

Whether your child is already learning English or is about to discover the language for the very first time, we would love to welcome your family to Killarney.

- English from age 4
- Small classes - maximum 12
- Beginners welcome
- Optional afternoon activities
- Programmes for children, teenagers & adults
- A genuine Irish family experience

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