

## COURSE CONTENT – IRISH (GAELIC) SHORT COURSE

TOPIC	LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS	LANGUAGE STRUCTURES
<b>Greetings and Introductions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Saying hello and goodbye</li> <li>Asking someone's name</li> <li>Introducing oneself</li> <li>Using the numbers 0 - 10</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alphabet</li> <li>Irish pronunciation (vowels, consonants)</li> <li>Explanation of the different dialects</li> <li>Simple questions – <i>Céard, cén fáth</i></li> </ul>
<b>Nationalities and Professions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Asking/Stating nationalities</li> <li>Asking/Stating where one lives</li> <li>Asking/Stating professions</li> <li>Using the numbers 11 - 20</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The present tense of <i>bí</i> 'to be'</li> <li><i>Seanfhocail</i> - proverbs</li> <li>Preposition with countries (<i>in Éirinn</i>)</li> <li>The negation ( <i>Ní Éireannach mé</i>)</li> </ul>
<b>Friends and Family</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introducing friends and family</li> <li>Asking/Stating age</li> <li>Asking/Talking about one's family</li> <li>Counting people</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The present tense of 'to have' – <i>réamhfhocal - agam</i></li> <li>Possessives adjectives (<i>mo, do, a, a, ár, bhur, a</i>)</li> <li>Questions</li> </ul>
<b>Eating out</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ordering a drink / a snack</li> <li>Offering/Accepting / Refusing a drink</li> <li>Asking/Telling prices</li> <li>Counting things</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Feminine + masculine (basics)</li> <li>Present tense verb (to go) – <i>téigh</i></li> <li>Present tense of regular verbs</li> <li>Place names</li> </ul>
<b>Location</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Asking/Telling where something is</li> <li>Asking/Talking about where one lives and works</li> <li>Apologising/Attracting attention</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Present tense of verb (to do) <i>déan</i></li> <li>Adjectives (nice place, busy office etc)</li> <li><i>Seanfhocail</i></li> </ul>
<b>Hobbies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explaining hobbies</li> <li>Making simple enquiries</li> <li>Asking about/identifying places/equipment</li> <li>Asking/Talking about weather</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Past tense – <i>téigh + déan</i></li> <li>Questions</li> <li>Positive and negative answers</li> </ul>
<b>Revision</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ordering/Making payment in a restaurant</li> <li>Asking for/Stating opening hours</li> <li>Shopping</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision: Questions, verbs, prepositions</li> <li><i>Seanfhocail</i></li> </ul>