

Institute of Modern Languages

COURSE CONTENT – IRISH LEVEL 1

<u>A</u>

TOPIC	LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS	LANGUAGE FOCUS
Greetings	 Greeting and leave taking Introducing oneself Asking / Telling how one is 	 Alphabet Sounds (+h) Basic greetings (e.g., hello, my name is, etc) Basic sentence structure description
Getting to know each other!	 Asking & providing personal information 	 Introducing oneself Saying where you live: Countries and nationalities Ordinal numbers Professions
Describing oneself & others	 Introducing others and family Asking/Talking about one's family 	 Physical and personality features Eyes and hair colour (Ag v Ar) Introducing friends and family Counting people v counting things

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Out & about	Talking about location and weather	 Cardinal and ordinal numbers Prepositions – directions and locations Present simple tense
Ordering and Shopping	Expressing likes and dislikesAsking for pricesOrdering foods and drinks	 Personal pronouns, adverbs Expressing likes & dislikes Counting 0 - 1000
Revision	 Reviewing introductions & greetings Practice asking & answering questions about oneself and others Describing family, professions. and physical characteristics Talking about locations, weather, and preferences Ordering food and shopping conversations 	 Useful phrases Questions words Common useful verbs Short story about themselves