

Why Hello Ireland

Our Location

- Located in the beautiful and scenic “Sunny South East” of Ireland
- Close to many major natural and historical attractions – mountains, beaches, rivers, lakes, castles, parks and nature reserves.
- Only 1.5 hours by coach from major airports at Dublin and Cork. We can meet and greet your students and escort them to Waterford.

Our Residential facilities

- Students live in beautifully appointed student apartments at Manor Village, close to the WIT campus. All rooms are single en-suite with shared TV lounge area and kitchen.
- A varied and nutritious menu for all meals in the campus restaurants is available in consultation with our team of chefs
- Supermarket, launderette and games room available in student village.
- Children under 11 are housed with local families. All homes used for the programme have been inspected for their quality and safety.

Our Academic Programmes

- Our English programme is ACELS approved, our teachers are experienced graduates with TEFL certification, classes are small and teaching methods are very modern and interactive.
- All books and learning materials are included in the fee.
- Some programmes lead to national qualifications in English (TIE) whilst others focus mainly on improving confidence in English conversation.
- Use of computers in learning English is an integral component of all Hello Ireland Programmes.
- For 2012 we are introducing three new “Themed” English programmes – English and Environment / Biodiversity, English and Drama, English and Media Studies (TV and Radio)
- In addition to our teenagers programmes, we offer special programmes for undergraduates and children.

Teaching Facilities

- Large airy classrooms with the latest technology.
- Computer laboratory time schedules each day.
- Library available for private study.

Activities and outings

- On campus we offer a fantastic range of activities at WIT’s state of the art sports campus which includes – grass playing pitches, all-weather pitches, tennis courts, basketball courts, gymnasium, indoor sports hall etc.
- With the South East region we access watersports (surfing, kayaking etc) horse riding, golf / pitch n putt , orienteering and much more.
- Opportunities for social and cultural activities are built into the programme – film nights, quizzes, barbecue, treasure hunts, music and dance etc.

- We include short excursions to local places of interest – guided tour of Waterford City and its museums and other tourist attractions, trip to the seaside at Tramore, visit to the Geopark - Waterford Coastline heritage site.

Agents

- We value our agents who work on our behalf to recruit international students.
- We will assist you in every way possible in your marketing efforts.
- We are delighted to host visits by current and prospective agents at any time.
- We provide free accommodation for the Group Leaders (1 per 15 students)
- We provide an induction session for group leaders so that they understand all aspects of the programme, including health and safety
- A seminar about English language teaching can be provided for Group leaders on request.
- Our business is run very efficiently and we undertake to provide you with any information requested or answer any queries within two days.
- All financial transactions are secure and are handled in a speedy manner.
- We are willing to negotiate special rates for Agents recruiting over 30 students per group.