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## **Erasmus+ Course for Teachers**

# **Creating Green Classrooms**

Find out how you can incorporate positive 'green' practices into your teaching.

#### **COURSE OUTLINE**

Teachers play a key role in communicating a progressive 'green' message to younger generations. *Creating Green Classrooms* is designed to show how teachers can bring lessons about sustainability and positive climate action into their everyday teaching.

#### **COURSE OBJECTIVES**

**Overall objectives of the mobility**. Analyse ways of integrating 'climate-positive' practices into the secondary school classroom. Explore practical ways to make your classroom an eco-friendly space. Learn strategies for exploring green topics with your students – creative projects and activities. Evaluate materials/resources that can be used to develop green approaches in the classroom. Workshop ideas for creative lesson plans.

**Added value of the mobility**. This course allows participants to develop their English language skills while sharing innovative teaching ideas with fellow educators.

**Activities to be carried out**. Completion of tasks to stimulate discussion and analysis of the 'green classroom'. Workshop sessions in which participants reflect on how they can integrate 'green' activities into their teaching and share ideas with fellow participants. Opportunities to enhance English language skills through content-based lessons. Participants are directed towards online 'green' resources for educators. Cultural and heritage trips as part of a chaperoned group.

**Expected outcomes and impact**. This course offers a professional development opportunity designed to show teachers how they can integrate a positive green message into their teaching practice.

#### **CULTURAL PROGRAMME**

The courses are delivered in Atlantic Language School in Galway on Ireland's 'Wild Atlantic' Coast, and participants will have ample opportunity to learn about the cultural heritage of both Ireland and the local area.

The week-long programme includes a full-day cultural tour to a local area of scenic and heritage value, a guided historical walking tour of Galway city, and afternoon social and cultural activities. Our staff are happy to suggest other tours and events to enjoy during your stay in Galway.



### **DESIGNED FOR**

Secondary Teachers

#### MINIMUM LEVEL OF ENGLISH

B1 Intermediate (CEFR)

#### **COURSE LENGTH**

Monday to Friday, 20 lessons / week

- + Social and Cultural Activities
- + Full-day Tour on Sunday

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Self-Catering Shared Apartment or Host Family SEE OPTIONS 2

## **CERTIFICATION**

Certificate of Participation and Attendance

#### **DOCUMENTS PROVIDED**

STT Invitation, Europass, Work Plan (on request), Certificate



# **SAMPLE TIMETABLE**

| Saturday | Sunday                   | Monday                         | Tuesday  | Wednesday                     | Thursday                   | Friday   |
|----------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
|          |                          | 9.00 - 12.30                   | 9.00 - 12.30   | 9.00 - 12.30                  | 9.00 - 12.30               | 9.00 - 12.30                                       |
| Arrival  | Full-Day<br>Tour to Wild | Going<br>Green                 | Green<br>Students                                      | Green<br>Community            | The Green<br>Outdoors      | Green<br>Projects                                  |
|          | Atlantic Way             | How green                      | Exploring  | Forming green                 | Lesson planning            | Getting creative;                                  |
|          | Possible tours include:  | is your<br>classroom?          | green topics<br>with students                          | communities  Connecting       | for the green<br>classroom | going green projects                               |
|          | Cliffs of Moher          | Is paperless                   | Green clubs  | with other                    | Inspiring field            | Tracking   |
|          | (throughout<br>the year) | possible?                      | & competitions   | organisations                 | trips + local community    | progress   |
|          | Connemara                | Eco-friendly<br>Institutes;    | Games<br>& Activities                                  | Educating others + individual | Outdoor                    | Next Steps;<br>presenting                          |
|          | (from May                | their stories                  | for going green  | responsibility                | projects                   | our going  |
|          | to October)              | Cultivating                    |  | Green travel                  | Green                      | green plans  |
|          | Aran Islands             | a green mind                   |  | & transport                   | Resources                  | Review   |
|          | (from May<br>to October) |                                |  |                               | for Educators              | & Feedback   |
|          |                          | 13.30                          | 15.30 - 16.30  | 15.30 - 16.30                 | 20.00                      | From 12.30   |
|          |                          | Walking Tour<br>of Galway City | 'Getting<br>to Know You' -<br>Tea & Chat<br>Networking | Wednesday<br>Workshops        | Pub Night                  | Explore Galway<br>City - Digital<br>Scavenger Hunt |

# **CALENDAR 2024**

| March: 11 - 15   April: 15 - 19   May: 6 - 10   June: 17 - 21 | <b>July</b> : 22 - 26 | <b>August</b> : 5 - 9 |
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## PRICE LIST 2024

| 20 Lessons | All Course | Registration | End of Course | Afternoon  | Full-Day  | Price    |
|------------|------------|--------------|---------------|------------|-----------|----------|
| per Week   | Materials  | Fee          | Certificate   | Activities | Excursion | (1 week) |
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