



Diploma in Irish Language (Cookstown)

2 Year Course
Starting September 2018

We are now accepting applications for our newly revised Diploma in Irish Language course at The Burnavon, Cookstown. The course aims to develop skills in reading, writing, listening and speaking.

Who should apply?

The course caters for a wide range of learners; you are welcome to apply if:

- you have studied Irish informally at short courses or classes in the community and would like to advance to a higher level of ability
- you studied Irish in school, e.g. to GCSE or AS level and would like to renew and extend your skills, and take a higher qualification
- you work in the Irish language sector but have no formal qualification in Irish

Applicants who have no previous experience of learning Irish but who can demonstrate an aptitude for language study may also apply.

Course Structure and Content

Students will complete one module per 12 week term:

Year 1: Introduction to Irish 1 (Term 1) Introduction to Irish 2 (Term 2)

Year 2: Intermediate Irish 1 (Term 1) Intermediate Irish 2 (Term 2)

Learning activities during classes will introduce students to real-world Irish as it is used in the community and in the Gaeltacht, and will seek to develop students' ability to read, write, comprehend and speak Irish independently.