

the
Horner
School of
English



DUBLIN - IRELAND

Learning English In Ireland

Erasmus+



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30 Years In Education

Academic Year

Exam Preparation

General & Business

Specialised English

Work Placement

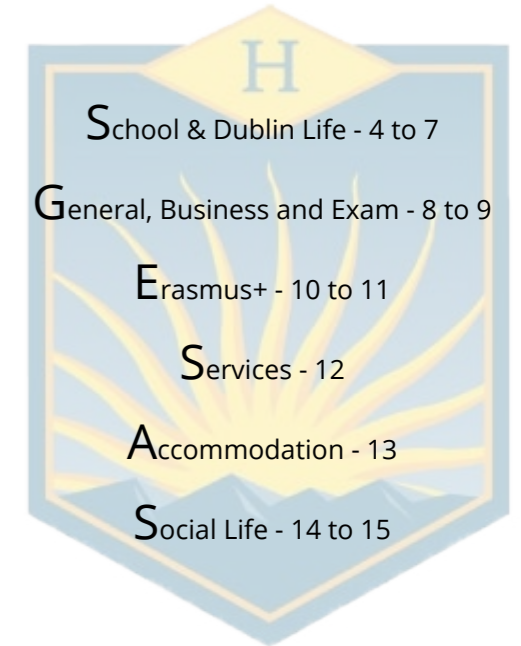
Teacher Training

WELCOME

Established 30 years, the Horner School of English is family owned and managed, located in the heart of Dublin city. Offering a wide range of English courses for adults and groups, for general, professional and examination purposes.

Classes are internationally mixed and delivered in small groups at different language levels. All English teachers are university graduates and native English speakers.

Janice, Trevor and David Horner are the second generation of the Horner family to welcome students worldwide to Dublin, Ireland. Attention to detail, combined with a perceptive understanding of students needs, results in a tailored linguistic and high-quality immersive experience.



HORNER TEAM



30 Years family owned and managed.

Fully accredited - ACELS, MEI, QUALITY ENGLISH & SELECT IRELAND.

Regular free English seminars.

Excellent city residence & host family.

Small class groups & excellent nationality mix.

Heart of Dublin.





Samuel Beckett Bridge, Dublin



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STANDARD COURSE^{STD}

20 lessons per week

The Standard Course concentrates on the four main areas of language learning : reading, writing, listening & speaking.

We use a communicative approach to learning, focusing on English used in everyday real life situations. Our approach to learning encompasses real skills required for modern day living including critical thinking, communication through digital & social media, creativity, collaboration and problem solving.

The first morning session concentrates on improving present knowledge of grammar and vocabulary. The second is fluency based, improving the communication skills of each client.

Levels: Elementary (A1), Pre-inter (A2), Lower inter (B1), Upper inter (B2) & Advanced (C1).

Start: Every Monday (all year round).

Time: 09.30 - 13.10, Monday to Friday.

Class size: Small groups, average 10 (Max 14).

The Standard Course is excellent for both short and longer study stays. It is also the popular choice for students wishing to register for an Academic Year visa.

Student Profile

Students are 18 years +, average age 27 years. Average 25 nationalities each year with majority from Europe.



ADD ON...

Some students wish to book a more intensive course programme or prepare for an English exam.

For these students, we offer a range of electives including + Fluency, + Business, + IELTS, + Cambridge First, + Cambridge Advanced.

These electives provide 6 afternoon lessons and are taken in conjunction with the Standard Course, 20 lessons. Students taking one of these electives increase their course from 20 lessons per week to a more intensive 26 lessons per week.

Start: Every Monday (all year round).

Time: 14.00 - 16.45, 2 afternoons per week.

Class size: Small groups, average 10 (Max 14).

+ Fluency

These 6 afternoon lessons focus on improving speaking and listening skills. Levels: Elementary (A1), Pre-inter (A2), Lower inter (B1), Upper inter (B2) and Advanced (C1).

+ Business

These 6 afternoon lessons introduce business English, preparing a student to communicate effectively in a business environment. Levels: Strong inter (B1), Upper inter (B2) & Advanced (C1).

+ IELTS

These 6 afternoon lessons focus on a range of exam techniques such as practise tests, analysing past papers, identifying strategies and tips for the successful completion of the exam. Levels: Strong Inter (B1), Recommended Upper Inter (B2) level.



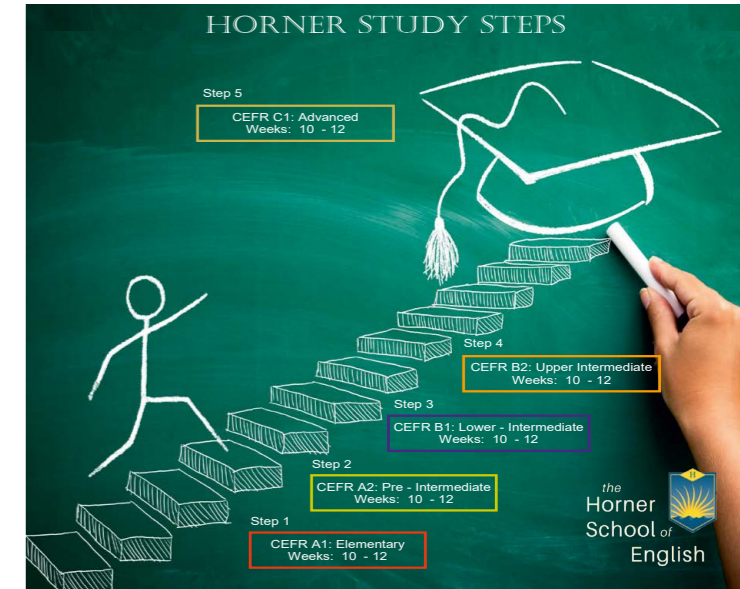
+ CAMBRIDGE First

+ CAMBRIDGE Advanced

These 6 afternoon lessons focus on intensive training for each examination. Students learn how the exam is structured and what the examiners require for each section of the exam. Levels: Upper inter (B2) & Advanced (C1). Please refer to pricelist for Cambridge course dates.

Teachers

Teachers are fully qualified native English speakers with a university degree and average of 10 years experience.



+ Private Lessons

Semi Intensive

Students can add 2, 5 or 10 private lessons per week. These private lessons are taken in conjunction with the Standard Course, 20 lessons per week. Scheduled over one, two or three afternoons, private lessons are excellent for **Business /Professional English** or **TOEIC/TOEFL exam preparation**. To date we have designed English programmes for a variety of industries including **Tourism, Hospitality, Sales, IT, Engineering, Administration, IT, Event Management, Accounting & Finance, Marketing & Digital Media, Legal** and more.

Levels: Elementary (A1), Pre-Inter (A2), Lower inter (B1), Upper inter (B2) & Advanced (C1).

Start: Every Monday (all year round).

Time: 14.00 - 15.40, Friday (2 private).

14.00 - 16.05, Tue, Thur (5 private).

14.00 - 16.45, Tue, Thur & Fri (10 private).

Please note that students can book 20, 25 or 30 private lessons per week, subject to availability.



ERASMUS+ ENGLISH & CULTURE

20 lessons per week

The Erasmus + course is designed for those who wish to improve their overall ability level in English. This course focuses on the main areas of language learning: reading, writing, speaking and listening. This course offer great opportunities for trainees to work together, discussing and sharing ideas in internationally mixed classes.

Levels: Elementary (A1), Pre-inter (A2), Lower inter (B1), Upper inter (B2) & Advanced (C1).

Start: Every Monday (all year round).

Time: 09.30 - 13.10, Monday to Friday.

Class size: Small groups, average 10 (Max 14).

ERASMUS+ INTENSIVE ENGLISH & CULTURE

26 lessons per week

The Erasmus + course is designed for those who wish to improve their overall ability level in English. This course focuses on the main areas of language learning: reading, writing, speaking and listening with a specific focus on improving speaking, listening and fluency skills. This course offer great opportunities for trainees to work together, discussing and sharing ideas in internationally mixed classes.

Levels: Elementary (A1), Pre-inter (A2), Lower inter (B1), Upper Inter (B2) & Advanced (C1).

Start: Every Monday (all year round).

Time: 09.30 - 13.10, Monday to Friday.
14.00 - 16.45, 2 afternoons p/w.

Class size: Small groups, average 10 (Max 14).



The Erasmus + Courses, provide training and professional development for teachers, school administrators & support staff working in the educational sector.

Our courses are eligible for funding under the Erasmus+ Programme Key Action 1 : Learning Mobility of Individuals.

Developed within Erasmus + framework. Terms and conditions apply.



Erasmus+

ERASMUS+ TEACHERS & ACADEMIC STAFF

25 lessons per week

The Erasmus + English course for teachers, provides 20 lessons per week in the mornings with 5 extra lessons taken in the afternoons. The morning lessons take place in a level specific international group, with a focus on improving overall language ability. The 5 afternoon lessons are tailored to teaching methodology. This course is available to groups or individuals and can be commenced every week.

Suggested topics for the afternoon course element include:

Going digital & getting the most out of digital online tools.

Creating conditions for learning, room layouts, learner motivation & participation.

Teaching mixed ability classes, methodologies and examination courses.

New ideas for teaching young learners.

Accuracy v fluency, common errors and false friends. The Irish Educational System.

Developing new lesson ideas for using English in the classroom.

CLIL Method, Content and Language Integrated Learning.

“ The course was very well organised and we learned quite a lot for our own English classes. We were asked before arrival to name our main fields of interest and topics we would like to discuss. Our teachers focussed on these topics and the lessons were very individual and efficient. All in all we had a great week at Horner School and would recommend to everyone.
Myriam & Elisa, Germany ”



Levels: Elementary (A1), Pre-inter (A2) Lower inter (B1), Upper inter (B2) & Advanced (C1).

Start: Any Monday (all year round).

Time: 09.30 - 13.10, Mon to Fri.
14.00 - 16.05, Tues, Thur.
(5 private / shared).

Class size: Small groups, average 10 (Max 14).

ERASMUS+ ENGLISH FOR WORKPLACE +

25 lessons per week

The Erasmus + English for the Workplace course, provides 20 lessons per week in the mornings with 5 extra lessons taken in the afternoons. The morning lessons take place in a level specific international group, with a focus on improving overall language ability. The 5 afternoon lessons focus on “English for the Workplace” and are tailored to your specific requirements. This course is available to groups or individuals and can be commenced every week. Suggested business topics for the afternoon course include:

How to plan, structure and make presentation in English.

Interview skills, Writing skills - Curriculum vitae, memos, reports.

21st century skills, entrepreneurship and leadership.

The language of advertising and marketing.

Speaking about EU Integration, business and the economy.

The environment and circular economy.

S E R V I C E S

AIRPORT TRANSFERS

A private transfer from Dublin airport can be booked directly with the Horner Team.

EXAM REGISTRATION

The Horner School team can register students for all the international exams including IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC, Language Cert and Cambridge First & Advanced.

VISA SUPPORT

A full visa support service is provided by the Horner School team. Students from non-EU countries may need a student visa. Non-EU students may require medical insurance and maybe required to register for an approved exam. Medical insurance and / or exam can be arranged through the school on request.

WORK EXPERIENCE

The Work Experience Programme is a period of English study followed by an unpaid company placement. Internships provide real world experience to those looking to gain the relevant knowledge and skills required to enter into a particular career field. Designed for students and young professionals aged 20 years or older with a good Intermediate (B2) English level. Participants must take a minimum of 4 weeks course prior to placement. Placements are arranged for 6 to 24 weeks. 6 weeks is minimum and 8, 12 or 24 weeks preferable. 6 weeks notice is required. A placement in one specific area cannot be guaranteed. Candidates must be willing to work in variety of sectors. Popular sectors include: Tourism, Hospitality, Sales, IT, Marketing, Event Management, Administration & Finance.



“ I’m working closely with a freelance videographer. What’s really exciting is that I’m managing my own video projects, from shooting to editing not forgetting the fact that I deal with clients on my own. I met so many amazing people during my stay. I would definitely recommend to anyone who wants an experience in Dublin, and especially at The Horner School, to pack his suitcase and come right now! Vincent, Belgium ”



HOST FAMILY

Host family provides the best opportunity to speak English and experience the Irish way of life. Students have the option of single room or twin room host family accommodation on a part board basis i.e. breakfast and dinner included. Host families are located on average 45 minute by bus or train from the school . All families carefully inspected and selected for each student.

TOWELS / LAUNDRY & INTERNET ACCESS?

A fresh set of towels and bed linen is provided once per week. The students basic laundry items i.e. jeans, t-shirts and underwear are included in weekly wash. Internet access provided.

PRIVATE BATHROOM / BATHROOM SHARING?

The majority of families offer bathroom sharing. Private bathroom is a possibility, subject to availability and supplementary charge.



CITY RESIDENCE

We offer a wide choice of residences located in the heart of Dublin city, year round. All scenarios, for example single room with private bathroom and twin room sharing can be arranged. In most cases a refundable security deposit is required on arrival. When booking university residence or apartment, students accept the terms and conditions including the cancellation terms of these third party operators. Some residences are no more than 5 minute walk from the Horner School. Others are 15 / 20 minutes by LUAS tram or city bike from the school. In each case detailed information is available.

ARE MEALS INCLUDED? All residences are self-catering.

INTERNET & FACILITIES? All residences provide internet access. Some residences offer other facilities for example Gym, Cinema room etc. In each case detailed information is available.





DAY & EVENING ACTIVITIES

At least two activities are organised every week. These include Music nights, Pub Quiz, Guinness Storehouse and more.

FREE ENGLISH WORKSHOPS

Our regular free English tutorials are very popular. Topics include English Pronunciation, Grammar, Preparing your English CV, Jobs Club, English used in job interview & Cultural topics.

FULL DAY TOURS

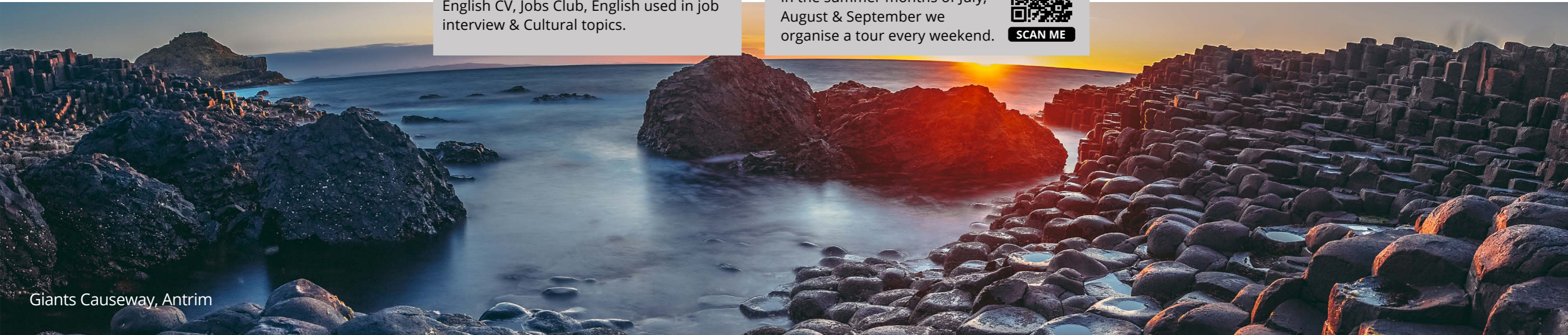
Tours include Belfast City, Giants Causeway, Glendalough, Kilkenny City & Castle & more.

One weekend tour is organised each month during the months January to June & October to December.

In the summer months of July, August & September we organise a tour every weekend.



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Giants Causeway, Antrim

INFO

AIRPORT TRANSFERS

Arrangements can be made to meet students at Dublin airport. A charge is applied for this service. Alternatively students may take a taxi from Dublin airport to their accommodation.



CENTRES

The Horner School of English uses additional premises for tuition during peak periods.

INSURANCE

All students should obtain their own travel insurance prior to departure.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

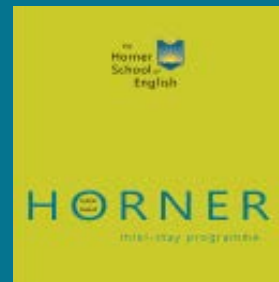
A certificate of attendance is presented to each student prior to his or her departure.

TRAVELLING IN DUBLIN

The fastest and most economical way to travel around Dublin is to purchase a student commuter ticket. This gives unlimited travel on Dublin city buses, trams and suburban trains.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

To read our full terms & conditions please refer to the following link: <https://www.hornerschool.com/terms/>



Learn more about our mini-stay group programmes. Contact us today for a tailor-made group quotation. Check out our Mini-Stay brochure.

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