



GALWAY CULTURAL INSTITUTE
at Galway Business School



ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROGRAMMES

PRICE LIST 2026



Galway, Ireland

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| General English Courses | Code | 1-11 weeks | 12-24 weeks |
|---|--------|------------|-------------|
| General English 20 (20 lessons International Classes Morning Group Tuition)  | G20 | €290 | €270 |
| General English 26 (26 lessons International Classes Morning Group Tuition)  | G26 | €360 | €345 |
| General English 20PM (20 lessons International Classes Afternoon Group Tuition) | G20 PM | €220 | €200 |

| Study & Work Programme | CODE | Start Date | Price | |
|--|----------|----------------------|---|--------------|
| SAY General English (25 weeks tuition /20 lessons + 8 weeks holidays)  | SAY20 | Every Monday | AM €4,200 | PM €3,550 |
| SAY General English + Business (20 lessons Group Tuition + 1 Module in Galway Business School: Learn to Learn or Business Communications) SAY General English + ICT Skills (20 lessons Group Tuition + 1 Module in Galway Business School: Computer Applications or Quantitative Methods) | SAY BUSS | January September | €4,750 (25 weeks tuition + 8 weeks holidays) | |

| Specialised English Courses | Code | Starting Dates | Price per week |
|--|-------|--------------------------|----------------|
| English for 30+ (20 lessons General English Mini Group, max. size 8) (min. A1 level) | E30+ | 27 April to 12 September | €360 |
| English for 30+ Executive (20 lessons GE Mini Group + 10 lessons One to One) (min. A1 level)  | EX30+ | 27 April to 12 September | €895 |
| Combination Courses 26 (20 lessons General English + 6 lessons One to One) | CC26 | Every Monday | €650 |
| Combination Courses 30 - English Accelerator (20 lessons General English + 10 lessons One to One) English Accelerator One to ones may be tailored to any specialism such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General English + One to One Professional English • General English + One to One Interview Preparation • General English + One to One Communication Skills | CC30 | Every Monday | €825 |

| One to One Tuition | Price/ lesson | 4 lessons | 6 lessons | 8 lessons | 10 lessons | 20 lessons |
|--|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Individual Lessons Tailored to meet your needs | €75 Min. 2 lessons | €280 | €405 | €540 | €675 | €1250 |

| Cambridge Courses | Duration | Lessons/wk | Code | Start Date | Exam Date | Price |
|--|----------|---------------|---------|----------------------------------|--|--------|
|  C1 Advanced (CAE) | 4 weeks | 34 lessons | EP34 | 06 Jul 2026 04 Aug 2026(Tues) | 31 Jul 2026 (Fri) 28 Aug 2026 (Fri) | €1,700 |
| | 6 weeks | 20 lessons AM | EP20 | 27 Apr 2026 02 Nov 2026 | 06 Jun 2026 (Sat) 12 Dec 2026 (Sat) | €1,800 |
| | 9 weeks | 20 lessons PM | EP20 PM | 19 Jan 2026 29 Jun 2026 | 21 Mar 2026 (Sat) 28 Aug 2026 (Fri) | €2,025 |
|  B2 First (FCE) | 4 weeks | 34 lessons | EP34 | 06 Jul 2026 | 30 Jul 2026 (Thu) | €1,700 |
| | 6 weeks | 20 lessons AM | EP20 | 20 Apr 2026 02 Nov 2026 | 30 May 2026 (Sat) 12 Dec 2026 (Sat) | €1,800 |
| | 9 weeks | 20 lessons PM | EP20 | 12 Jan 2026 30 Mar 2026 | 13 Mar 2026 (Fri) 30 May 2026 (Sat) | €2,025 |
| B1 Preliminary (PET) | 6 weeks | 20 lessons AM | EP20 | 26 Jan 2026 27 Oct 2026 (Tue) | 07 Mar 2026 (Sat) 03 Dec 2026 (Thu) | €1,800 |
| | | 20 lessons PM | EP20 PM | 05 May 2026 (Tue) 12 Oct 2026 | 13 Jun 2026 (Sat) 21 Nov 2026 (Sat) | €1,350 |

| IELTS | Duration | Lessons/wk | Code | Start Date | Exam Date | Price |
|-----------------------|----------|---------------|---------|---|---|--------|
| IELTS Academic | 6 weeks | 20 lessons AM | EP20 | 05 Jan 2026 11 May 2026 17 Aug 2026 | 14 Feb 2026 (Sat) 20 Jun 2026 (Sat) 26 Sep 2026 (Sat) | €1,800 |
| | | 20 lessons PM | EP20 PM | 09 Mar 2026 21 Sep 2026 | 18 Apr 2026 (Sat) 31 Oct 2026 (Sat) | €1,350 |

| International Examination | Price |
|--|-------------|
| Cambridge B1 Preliminary (PET) | €160 |
| Cambridge B2 First (FCE), Cambridge C1 Advanced (CAE) | €205 |
| IELTS Academic | €240 |
| Exam Books for Cambridge/IELTS Exam Preparation Course Materials Fee (for students who already have exam books) | €100 €50 |
| External exam registration fee / Late Exam Registration | €50 |

Erasmus+ Staff Mobility, Teacher Training & Tailored Programmes

| Erasmus+ Staff Mobility & Teacher Training (OID E10323567) | Code | Start dates | Price per week |
|--|--------|------------------------------|----------------|
| CLIL for Primary Teachers  | CL | 13 Jul 2026 19 Oct 2026 | €450 |
| CLIL for Secondary Teachers  | CL | 13 April 2026 20 Jul 2026 | €450 |
| NEW English Language & Irish Culture | CULT | 16 Feb 2026 24 Aug 2026 | €450 |
| NEW Supporting Multilingual Learners in Diverse Classrooms (Primary & Secondary) | MULTI | 16 Feb 2026 20 Jul 2026 | €450 |
| NEW EdTech: Smart Solutions for Smarter Teaching (Primary & Secondary) | EDTECH | 22 June 2026 19 Oct 2026 | €450 |
| English for Higher Education Professionals | HE | 22 June 2026 24 Aug 2026 | €450 |

All Erasmus+ Staff Mobility & Teacher Training courses are 20 lessons + daily social activity programme (5 days/week). Minimum English level B1+. Welcome pack, tuition, materials, e-learning resources, student portal, end of course certificate & post-departure access included. Additional 6 or 10 lessons per week can be added to meet Erasmus+ National Agencies funding requirements.

| Academic English Programmes | Code | Duration | Start Dates | Price |
|--|--------|-------------|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Online Pre-sessional English (20 lessons Group Tuition - min. B2+ level) | PRE | 3 weeks | 31 Aug 2026 | €475 |
| NEW Certificate in English for Entry into Higher Education (20 lessons General English + IELTS Preparation Course - min. B1+ level) | HECERT | 25 weeks | Jan to March (any Monday) | €4,750 |
| NEW General English + Skills for Academic Success (20 lessons General English + 10 lessons of IELTS exam preparation and academic writing -min. B1+ level) | ACADSK | 1 - 12 week | Start any Monday June to August | €325/week |

| Tailored Programmes | Code | Duration | Start Dates | Price |
|---|------|----------|--|------------------|
| 50+ Programme  (20 lessons tuition + Tailored Social Activity Programme) Mixed levels Levels from A2 to B2 Levels | 50+ | 2 weeks | 11 May 2026 08 Jun 2026 10 Aug 2026 07 Sep 2026 | €895 |
| Short Stay Group Programme (20/30 lessons Closed Group Tuition) | SWWP | 1 to 2 | October to May | Individual Quote |

Accommodation Fees

| Residential Accommodation (18+ only)* | Type | Price per week |
|---|-----------------------------|----------------|
| Single Room Residence | Self-Catering | €330 |
| Twin Room Residence | Self-Catering | €270 |
| Residential Accommodation Supplements | En-suite Close to school | €50 |
| <p>*Taxi transfer from Galway Coach Station to residences is compulsory and charged separately when booking this type of accommodation. Residential accommodation prices subject to change particular during high season. A refundable deposit of €150 (2-11 weeks stays) or €300 (12+ stays) required prior to arrival. Residences available Saturday to Saturday.</p> | | |

| Westwood Residence (Available 6 Jun- 29 Aug) | Type | Price per week |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Single Room En-suite | Self-Catering | €500 |

| Host Family Accommodation | Type | Price per week |
|---------------------------------------|--|----------------|
| Single Room | Half-board Mon to Fri, Full-board Weekend | €360 |
| Host Family Accommodation Supplements | Special Diet Requirements | €65 |
| | En-suite Close to School | €65 |
| Extra Night Host Family | | €60 per night |

Host family accommodation is half-board Monday to Friday, full board at the weekends. Average commute time by public transport is 20 to 30 minutes. En-suite & Close to School options are limited and not guaranteed. Accommodation prices are subject to change particularly in the summer.

| Transfers | Price |
|---|-------|
| Coach Services (one way bus ticket) | €45 |
| Coach Services (return bus ticket) | €90 |
| Taxi Transfer Galway Coach Station to Accommodation | €35 |
| Taxi Transfer Dublin / Cork Airport (one way) | €475 |
| Taxi Transfer Shannon/ Knock Airport (one way) | €300 |
| Meet & Greet Service (obligatory for under 18s) | €230 |

Additional Charges

| Type of service | Price |
|---|-------------|
| Enrolment Fee | €70 |
| Accommodation Placement Fee | €70 |
| Books & Materials (General English course, including access to GCI /GBS Student Portal & GCI/GBS e-learning platform) | €75 |
| Medical insurance (including admin fee) | €160 |
| Materials Fee (for students who already have GE books) | €50 |
| Changes to booking Administration fee This applies but is not limited to changes of dates, changes of accommodation & courses. Additional services that are added after the initial booking (e.g. special diet, additional or reduced number of nights, airport transfer, health insurance, bus tickets, exam fees, exam books, meet & greet, etc.) will incur this fee. It will not apply to Upgrade in Bookings - i.e. adding a significantly longer course; adding the FIRST TRANSFER after the initial booking. | €35 |

| Important Dates 2026 | |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Public Holidays 2026 | 1 st January, 2 nd February, 17 th March, 6 th April, 4 th May, 1 st June, 3 rd August, 26 th October |
| Christmas Holidays 2026 | 21 st December 2026 – 1 st January 2027. Classes recommence 4th January 2027 |

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