

SAMPLE SCHEDULE FOR 2012 CULTURE & ADVENTURE PROGRAM

| Adventure Ireland | | 2012 | Morning | Afternoon | Evening |
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| Depart USA | 02 July 2011 | Monday | DEPART USA FOR DUBLIN | DEPART USA FOR DUBLIN | DEPART USA FOR DUBLIN |
| Arrive Dublin | 03 July 2011 | Tuesday | Adventure Ireland leaders will meet everyone in Dublin Airport. Check-in to Dublin hotel, breakfast, orientation & introduction to program by Director Niamh Hamill | Walking tour of Dublin City Centre area, including National Museum of Ireland, Trinity College, Temple Bar area, Viking Dublin, Christchurch Cathedral & Clarence (U2) hotel | Evening icebreakers and introductions. Our hotel is the Camden Court Hotel in Dublin City Centre, and there are excellent leisure facilities including gym, pool and sauna. |
| Dublin | 04 July 2011 | Wednesday | Transfer to Donegal with stop-off at HILL OF TARA. Royal Tara was the home of the High Kings of Ireland. | Arrival at Donegal - check in & fun meet & greet session with Donegal staff | Evening 'TORAIOCHT' activity- excellent fun activity outdoors/icebreakers with other students from Ireland & Europe. July 4th Barbeque. |
| Donegal | 05 July 2011 | Thursday | Irish Language- introduction to Gaelic, learning some phrases, translating names & locating family roots | Beginner Surf Lesson on beautiful Tullan Strand beach. | Super Quiz night with all nationalities |
| Donegal | 06 July 2011 | Friday | Morning classes - History of Ireland: Prehistoric Ireland- Celts | Tour to Prehistoric Burial Site, Co. Sligo | High ropes Climbing Challenge |
| Donegal | 07 July 2011 | Saturday | Morning classes- Christianity & St. Patrick in Ireland. | Visit to Abbey Mass Rock and St. Patrick's Well, Ballyshannon | Basketball Game: America V Europe |
| Donegal | 08 July 2011 | Sunday | Sunday Services if required. Late breakfast & room tidy | Funfair Afternoon. | Gaelic Sports Night- hurling & Gaelic Football |
| Donegal | 09 July 2011 | Monday | Morning Classes- a history of Irish Music. Learning Ballads of Ireland and the history behind them | Workshop for American students- they will organise themselves in groups and prepare presentation | Irish Movie Night |
| Donegal | 10 July 2011 | Tuesday | Morning classes- Viking & Norman Invasions. | Visit to the O' Donnell castle at Donegal Town, home to Annals of the Four Masters | Arts & Crafts: Tie-Day and Jewelry Making - (bring a plain white t-shirt!) |
| Donegal | 11 July 2011 | Wednesday | Morning classes - Protestantism v Catholicism. | High Ropes Climbing Activity | Ceili Night- Irish Dancing |
| Donegal | 12 July 2011 | Thursday | Tour of Derry City & Wall Murals | Tour of Derry City & Wall Murals | Irish Movie Night |
| Donegal | 13 July 2011 | Friday | The Anglo-Irish Cultural Revival | Tour to Druncliffe, resting place of WB Yeats & Sligo Town | The great Adventure Ireland Talent Show |
| Tipperary/Cork | 14 July 2011 | Saturday | Depart for Cobh with stops at Rock of Cashel & Clonmacnoise Monastery | Depart for Cobh with stops at Rock of Cashel & Clonmacnoise Monastery | Overnight in Cobh, Co. Clare. |
| Kerry/Clare | 15 July 2011 | Sunday | Tour to Killarney National Park | Travel onwards to Doolin for visit to The Burren and Cliffs of Moher. | Overnight in Galway City. |
| Connemara /Galway | 16 July 2011 | Monday | Travel to Connemara & Delphi Valley | Travel to Connemara & Delphi Valley | Return to Bundoran |
| Donegal | 17 July 2011 | Tuesday | All day Hike- Glencar & Yeats Country | All day Hike- Glencar & Yeats Country | Superstars - Challenge with Euro & Irish students. |
| Donegal | 18 July 2011 | Wednesday | Morning Classes - Modern Ireland - Politics, Current Affairs and Europe. | Visit to Glenveagh Castle & National Park | Surfchick (entertainment) |
| Donegal | 19 July 2011 | Thursday | Meet Irish singer/songriter Roisin Atchison for workshop & performance | Surfing or Canoe/Layak session | Building a traditional Irish 'Currach' (boat) |
| Donegal | 20 July 2011 | Friday | Preparation for student presentation | Irish Cuisine- Prparing an Irish Meal of Boxty and Irish Stew | Sunset Beach Surf |
| Donegal | 21 July 2011 | Saturday | Final preparation of project work for Adventure Ireland presentations. | Student make presentations of their projects to Adventure Ireland | Adventure Ireland Video Presentation |
| Donegal | 22 July 2011 | Sunday | Sunday Services if required. Late breakfast & room tidy | Packing & preparation for departure. | Final Banquet- traditional Irish Meal at La Sabbia restaurant with presentations & awards. |
| Donegal | 23 July 2011 | Monday | DEPART DUBLIN AIRPORT | DEPART DUBLIN AIRPORT | DEPART DUBLIN AIRPORT |