



# CELTIC CAPITALS:

## BELFAST & DUBLIN

8 - 14 July 2025

JOIN YOUR HARLAXTON SUMMER session classmates on a trip to the Celtic Capitals of Belfast and Dublin!

Explore the Irish Capital cities, and enjoy day trips to the awe inspiring Giant's Causeway, the quintessential Irish port town, Galway this seven day trip.

# HARLAXTON





## Itinerary

Day -1: Summer II students fly in to UK and make way to Harlaxton

Day 1: Harlaxton - Belfast

Day 2: Belfast

Day 3: Giant's Causeway day trip

Day 4: Belfast - Dublin

Day 5: Dublin

Day 6: Galway

Day 7: Dublin - Harlaxton

## What's included?

- Round-trip travel to Ireland from/to Harlaxton
- Knowledgeable Harlaxton staff to accompany the group and local guides on day trips
- 6 nights shared room accommodation in a hotel in Belfast and hostel in Dublin
- 6 Breakfasts
- Day trips to Giant's Causeway and Galway
- Travel pass in Belfast
- Entry to your choice of 3 attractions in Dublin

**Cost £1100**  
**per student**





**HARLAXTON MANOR**

## Day -1 - Summer II students arrive

IF YOU ARE PARTICIPATING on the Harlaxton Summer II program, you will need to make your way to Harlaxton, where you will stay over for the night to be ready for the trip departure tomorrow.

Please make sure your flight is booked to land on July 7th. We will send separate instructions with details on how to travel from London Heathrow airport to Harlaxton.

## Day 1 - Harlaxton - Belfast

AFTER BREAKFAST AT THE Manor we will travel by Coach to East Midlands airport to fly to Belfast on Aer Lingus airlines.

Upon arrival in Belfast we will make our way to our centrally located hotel and the rest of the day is free for you to explore!

Why not try a Hop-on Hop-off bus tour to help get your bearings in the city?



**BELFAST**



BELFAST - TITANIC EXPERIENCE

## Day 2 - Belfast

TODAY IS YOURS TO SPEND AS you please!

Learn the story of the legendary ocean liner and her fateful journey across the Atlantic at the Belfast Titanic Experience, the world's largest exhibit dedicated to the Titanic.

Or how about a visit to Belfast's infamous prison, the Crumlin Road Gaol Experience. Explore the jail cells, execution chamber and graveyard, as you learn about the prison's 150-year history.

## Day 3 - Giant's Causeway day trip

AFTER BREAKFAST WE HEAD out of the city to the UNESCO Giant's Causeway site. Travelling on the Causeway Coastal Route which promises fine views of Rathlin Island, and on a clear day the Scottish coast across the sea!

Built, according to legend, by the Irish giant Fionn and his Scottish rival Angus, it is a real masterpiece formed of perfectly shaped hexagonal columns. Our tour guide will tell us all about the Causeway, and the legends.



GIANT'S CAUSEWAY

## Day 4 - Belfast to Dublin

AFTER WE CHECK OUT OF our hotel, we will make our way to the train station to travel down to the Republic of Ireland's capital city: Dublin!

We will stay at Jacob's Inn, which is centrally located and walking distance to all the Dublin highlights.

You will receive a Dublin pass which permits entry to three famous Dublin attractions. This evening you can choose to visit the Guinness Storehouse if you like.



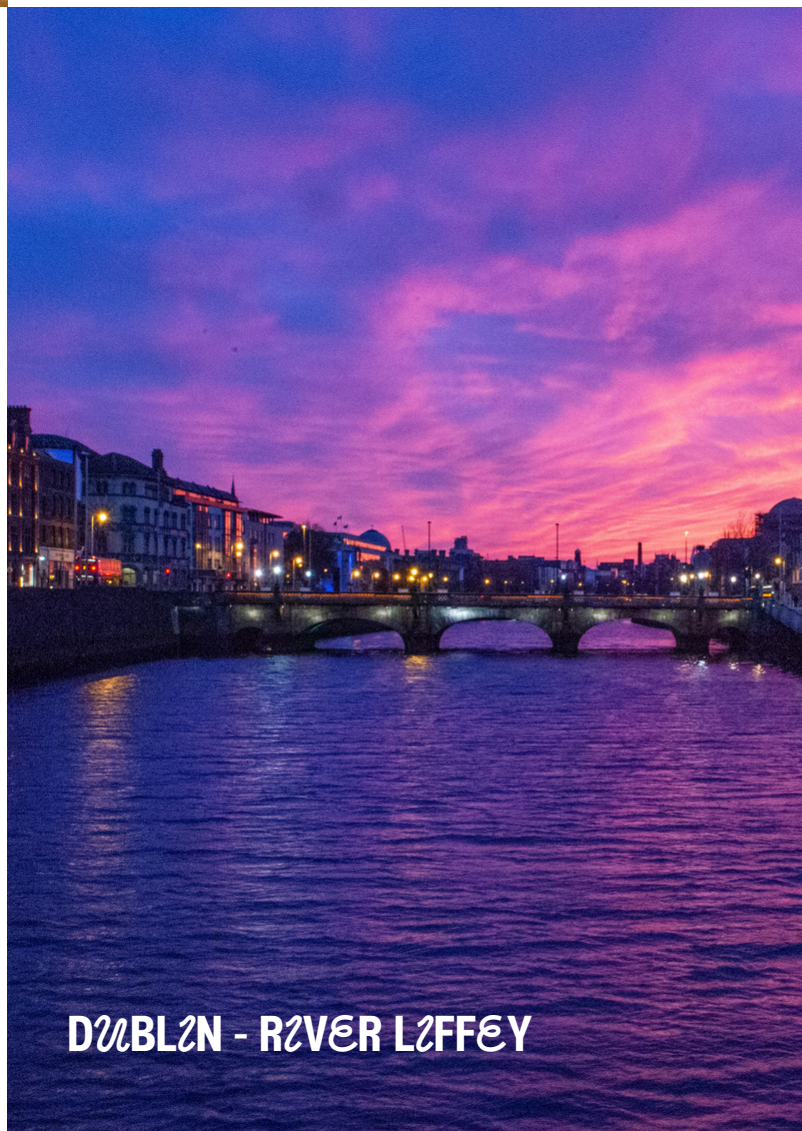
DUBLIN - JACOB'S INN HOSTEL

## Day 5 - Dublin

AFTER BREAKFAST YOU ARE free to continue exploring Dublin and visiting attractions using the Dublin pass.

Perhaps visit EPIC The Irish Emigration Museum and discover Ireland from the outside in and find out why saying "I'm Irish" is one of the biggest conversation starters, no matter where you are.

Take a ride on the Big Bus Dublin Night Tour and get a new overview of the city with a unique route and historical nighttime stories of Dublin's top sights.



DUBLIN - RIVER LIFFEY



GALWAY

## Day 6 - Galway

AFTER AN EARLY START TO the day we will take the train from Dublin to Galway, the famous City of the Tribes. The day is free for you to do as you please in Galway.

Why not take a stroll through Eyre Square to colourful Shop Street, John F Kennedy Park or perhaps visit Galway Bay and enjoy some local seafood and trad sessions in the pubs along the way.

Galway is a shoppers haven for local specialties including Aran sweaters or Claddagh Rings.

## Day 7 - Dublin - Harlaxton

TODAY WE SAY FAREWELL TO Ireland and fly back to the UK and head back to Harlaxton.

For students not staying for the Summer II program, you will be able to pick up the luggage you left behind and make your way down to London to head home.

For our Summer II students, you will be able to meet your new classmates and begin (or continue) your Harlaxton adventure!



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