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# CETB Foreword

Cork Education and Training Board (CETB) was formed in 2013 through the integration of the Cork City and County Cork VEC's and in January 2014, what was Fás training in Cork came under the remit of Cork ETB. For the first time ever, further education and training (FET) became part of a single, coherent integrated structure. Cork ETB's FET services (FET CORK) sit alongside our primary and post primary services in providing high quality education and training services which are innovative, responsive and inclusive. Through Cork ETB there is a pathway for every learner.

FET Cork is tasked by SOLAS to provide high quality FET programmes which are responsive to the needs of learners and the requirements of a changed and changing economy. Through the varied and diverse programmes and courses delivered by the colleges and centres that operate under FET Cork, learners are provided with education and training opportunities that are designed specifically to provide the skills and competencies necessary and required to access the world of work, or to progress on to further studies. Our courses are recognised and certified by nationally and internationally recognised awarding bodies, with graduates highly valued by employers and with direct access links from many courses into Higher education courses in Universities and Institutes of Technology, both in Ireland and abroad. Learners engaging with FET Cork programmes reflect the fullness of Irish society, in terms of age, experience, gender, ethnicity and so much more. Participation on a FET Cork programme is designed to develop the skills, knowledge and understanding of the individual in an environment that is supportive and encouraging, where differences and diversity are recognised and respected. School leavers, mature learners, learners with a disability and learners who have come to Ireland to make it their home are welcomed, supported and encouraged to participate and engage with our programmes.

Presented in this prospectus are a range of full time programmes offered by Kinsale College. Within the diversity of programmes offered I am sure that you will find something that will provide you with the foundation and impetus to take the next step in your learning journey, and that you will have an experience built on our commitment to high quality teaching and learning in a supportive environment that will expand your horizons and provide new opportunities for your future.

**John Fitzgibbons**

*Director of Further Education and Training  
Cork Education and Training Board*

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# Director's Welcome



*Education in this country is currently experiencing great change. We in Kinsale College are constantly reviewing our approach to the teaching of learners to meet these challenges.*

*We are continuously developing and adapting our courses to reflect changes in work practices across industry and our links with businesses in Kinsale and the wider country.*

*We welcome learners of all ages, nationalities and abilities including mature students who wish to return to education and training.*

*We are justifiably proud of our learners and the results they have achieved in the past, which has enabled them to follow further courses of study in Universities at home and abroad. In addition to this many have progressed to Institutes of Technology and other Colleges of Further Education through the Higher Education Links Scheme and Cork Colleges Progression links.*

*I encourage you to contact the college to get more detailed information on any course you are interested in. Choose wisely and remember that we are on hand to offer any further advice. This is your new beginning- your journey. By choosing Kinsale College you have taken the first important step.*

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ART

# Art (Level 5)

## INTRODUCTION

Kinsale College art course prepares students for portfolio entry to third level courses in fine art, visual communication and many different design and creative courses.

The college has a friendly and stimulating atmosphere and the course is:

- Suitable for all age groups
- Teaches new art techniques
- Taught by dedicated Art professionals
- Encourages learning through experimentation
- Allows students to express their ideas in a visual way

Students will study drawing, painting, photography, sculpture, combined materials, design skills and art appreciation communications and work experience. Within each module teachers will lead students to discover new techniques and experiment in order to create personal art works. The course culminates in an exhibition at the end of the year.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. Applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 in Art 5M1985

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants are required to undertake 10 days of work placement in relevant Art setting. The College will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award will be eligible to apply for the QQI Level 6 Award but also has a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options through the CAO System. See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

**CCPS** (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme) CIT CR210 Contemporary Applied Arts L8, CIT CR220 Fine Arts L8, CIT CR600 Visual Arts L8, CIT CR053 Interior Architecture L7.

**CAO System:** Tralee IT TL801 Animation Visual Effects and Motion Design L8, Waterford IT WD152 Visual Arts L8, WD137 (Design) Visual Communications L8.

**Other Relevant:** DCAD DL827 Art L8, DCAD DL701 Business - Applied Entrepreneurship L7, NCAD AD101 First Year Art & Design (Common Entry) L8, NCAD AD211 Fashion Design L8.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates of the course go on to become independent artists or to gain trainee places in art, craft and design, or related areas.

COURSE CONTENT	
Drawing	5N1862
Painting	5N1302
Sculpture	5N1918
Combined materials	5N0764
Design Skills	5N0784
Digital Photography	5N1270
Traditional Photography	5N0757
Communications	5N0690
Work Experience	5N1356

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# Art (Level 6)



COURSE CONTENT	
Drawing	6N3569
Painting	6N3452
Combined Materials	6N3587
History & Appreciation of Art & Design	6N3450
Sculpture	6N3570
Fine Art Photography	6N3449
Communications	6N1950
Work Experience	6N1946

## INTRODUCTION

This QQI Level 6 course is designed for students who have completed level 5, or have already achieved the skills provided in level 5 and wish to go deeper in their practice. This course offers students an excellent opportunity to develop their creativity in a caring and professional environment.

A team of teachers and professional artists lead the students in their experimentations, which helps them in building up confidence and skills. All projects are broad enough to allow students to assemble a portfolio of work suitable to their particular interests - Fine Art, Design, Photography etc - , which they may use to gain access to diploma or degree course, (subject to achieving a QQI level 5 award).

Art Level 6 students have the opportunity to further explore their ability in each of the following areas: drawing, painting, sculpture, combined materials, appreciation of art and design, and traditional and digital photography. Basic materials and tools are provided in a nice setting full of natural light.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

For entry to Level 6 a full QQI Level 5 in a complementary area is required. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Art 6M4029

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 10 days of work placement in a suitable area. The college will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award and the QQI Level 6 Award will have the opportunity to advance to YR 2 in the following courses through the **CCPS** (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme) CIT CR210 Contemporary Applied Art L8, CIT CR220 Fine Art L8. You also have a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options YR1 through the CAO System. See our progression/ links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

**CAO System:** CIT CR053 Interior Architecture L7, CIT CR600 Visual Arts L8, Tralee IT TL801 Animation Visual Effects and Motion Design L8, Waterford IT WD152 Visual Arts L8, WD137 (Design) Visual Communications L8.

**Other Relevant:** Limerick IT LC110 Art and Design, LC114 Fashion & Textiles for fashion Design, DCAD DL827 Art L8, DCAD DL701 Business - Applied Entrepreneurship L7, NCAD AD101 First Year Art & Design (Common Entry) L8, NCAD AD211 Fashion Design L8, DCCol Ceramics Skills and Design Course (NUI Maynooth)

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Practicing Artist, Photographer, Craft Industry (Glass, Pottery), Art Retail and gallery opportunities.

# BUSINESS/IT



# Office Administration

## (Level 5)

### INTRODUCTION

This course is specially designed for anyone who wishes to return to work or up-skill but also anyone wishing to progress to 3rd Level in Business related courses. The programme concentrates on the practical elements of Office Administration. The graduate from this course will have the QQI level 5 Certification.

This course is tailored to meet the needs of the ever-changing business and IT industry. We pride ourselves on supporting the needs of all students irrespective of their initial computer knowledge. The atmosphere in this learning environment is friendly, enthusiastic and supportive. We welcome anyone who is seeking to learn for the first time, wanting to up-skill or re-train in this area, where job opportunities are widely available.

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

Students will also be given the opportunity to attend workshops in the area of CV preparation, interview skills, digital marketing and medical terminology.

### CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 in Office Administration 5M1997

### WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 60 hours of work placement in a suitable area. The College will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

### EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award will be eligible to apply for the QQI Level 6 Award but also has a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options through the CAO System. See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

#### CCPS (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme):

CIT CR201 Business Studies

**CAO System:** Cork IT CR150 Business Information Systems L8, Cork IT CR400 Accounting L8, Cork IT CR022 Business Administration L7, Tralee IT TL831 Business Studies L8, Waterford IT WD013 Arts in Legal Studies L6, WD140 Bachelor of laws L7.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Various employment opportunities in Office Administration, Front Office, Reception, Medical Receptionist and Personal Assistant positions, clerical officer positions in the public service and civil service.

COURSE CONTENT	
Bookkeeping (Man & Comp)	5N1354
Payroll (Man & Comp)	5N1546
Word-processing	5N1358
Spreadsheet Methods	5N1977
Text Production	5N1422
Information & Administration	5N1389
Communications	5N0690
Work Experience	5N1356



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# Business

## (Level 6)

### INTRODUCTION

This QQI Level 6 course has been designed to provide the student with an appreciation and understanding of the concepts, issues and insights in business.

This programme provides students with the relevant knowledge and skills to enable them to make a significant contribution within modern business, commercial or administrative environments and students will be equipped to meet the needs of a growing economy with business administration and information technology skills.

Students are introduced to the diverse aspects that comprise a business enterprise or other organisation. The course deals with many functions within business such as Management, Finance and Marketing Management, Advanced Excel and Word Processing.

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

For entry to Level 6 a full QQI Level 5 in a complementary area is required. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

### CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Business 6M4985

### WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 60 hours of work placement in a suitable area. The College will assist participants in identifying suitable placements. Students will also be given the opportunity to attend workshops in the area of CV preparation, interview skills and digital marketing.

### EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award and the QQI Level 6 Award will have the opportunity to advance to YR 2 in the following courses through the **CCPS (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme) & ETB /IT Progression schemes.**

CIT CR021 Business Studies L8, CIT CR022 Business Administration L8, IT Tralee TL805 Business Information Management L8, IT Tralee TL831 Business Studies L8, WIT WD003 Higher Cert in Business, WIT WD013 Higher Cert in Arts in Legal Studies, WIT WD159 Bachelor of Business, WIT WD193 BA in Marketing & Digital Media L8

You also have a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options YR1 through the CAO System. See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Students may find employment in the following areas: Financial Services, Accounts Assistant, Customer Service/Marketing Representative, Retail, Office/Business Administrator, Administrative positions with the Public Service and Civil Service.

COURSE CONTENT	
Business Management	6N4310
Word processing	6N4977
Marketing Management	6N4188
Spreadsheets	6N4089
Finance	6N4165
Communications	6N1950
Work Experience	6N1946
Information & Administration	5N1389



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CHILDCARE

# Early Childhood Care & Education & Special Needs Assisting (SNA) (Level 5)

## INTRODUCTION

This full-time award leads to a QQI level 5 Certificate after one year. The course is structured to provide students with a high standard of training and assessment leading to a recognized qualification for those wishing to work in the childcare sector in a variety of areas such as; working with the child in a day care nursery, preschool or with a child with a specific need.

The course is also designed for those who intend to pursue further training in the childcare sector in Institutes of Technology and in Universities. This course gives you the Qualification for SNA in Pre-school, Primary and Secondary schools. Students spend three days per week in college-based training and 120 hours on work experience. The work experience is monitored so that the student receives on-going constructive feedback. The graduate from this course will be qualified to work independently with children, in a crèche or playschool setting.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 in Early Childhood Care & Education 5M2009

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants are required to undertake 120 hours of work placement in relevant accredited child setting. The College will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award will be eligible to apply for the QQI Level 6 Award but also has a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options through the CAO System. See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

**CCPS (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme):** CIT CR031 Social Care L7, CIT CR620 Early Years Education L7,

**CAO System:** UCC CK101 Arts, UCC CK102 Social Science, UCC CK111 Early Years & Childhood Studies, UCC CK114 Youth & Community Work, CIT CR620 Early Years Education L7, Tralee IT TL780 Early Childhood Care & Education L7, Tralee IT TL781 Social Care L7, Waterford IT WD018 Applied Social Studies in Social Care, WD149 Early Childhood Studies L8, Mary I MI007 Early Childhood Education & Care.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates of this course may apply to the following centres: SNA in Primary and Secondary Schools, Nurseries, Pre-Schools, Early Start Centres, Day Care, Family Centres, Private Homes, Working with Children & adults with Special Needs.

COURSE CONTENT	
Child Development	5N1764
Early Care & Education Practice	5N1770
Early Childhood Education & Play	5N1773
Children with Additional Needs	5N2396
Child Health & Well Being	5N1765
Nutrition	5N2006
Communications	5N0690
Work Experience	5N1356



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# Early Childhood Care & Education & Special Needs Assisting (SNA) (Level 6)

## INTRODUCTION

The Early Childhood Care and Education Level 6 course will equip the learner with the skills, knowledge and competence required to work in the childcare sector in a supervisory position in a variety of settings such as: pre-schools, Naoinrai, crèches, nurseries and day-care centres. This course gives you the qualification for SNA in Pre-school, Primary or Secondary schools.

Learners will understand and relate concepts of leadership and supervision to pedagogy and practice showing a significant depth of knowledge of the principles, theories and concepts pertinent to effective ECCE service delivery. It will prepare learners to work competently, safely and effectively with children.

Learners will understand and implement a range of policies, procedures and best practice guidelines that support the delivery of an effective early childhood care and education service. The course is also a preparatory course designed for students who intend to pursue further training in the Childcare sector in an Institute of Technology or University.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

For entry to Level 6 a full QQI Level 5 in a complementary area is required. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Early Childhood Care & Education 6M2007

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 120 hours of work placement in a relevant accredited child setting. The college will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award and the QQI Level 6 Award will have the opportunity to advance to YR 2 in the following courses through the **CCPS (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme) & ETB /IT Progression schemes**. CIT CR620 Early Years Education L7, Tralee IT TL880 Early Childhood Care & Education L7, WIT WD018 Applied Social Studies in Social Care L7, WD149 Early Childhood Studies L8. You also have a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options YR1 through the CAO System. See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

**CAO System:** UCC CK101 Arts, UCC CK102 Social Science, UCC CK111 Early Years & Childhood Studies L8, CIT CR031 Social Care L7, Tralee IT TL781 Social Care L7, Waterford IT WD187 Social Science WD188 Applied Health Care, WD192 Social Care Practice, Carlow IT CW748 Early Childhood Education & Care, Limerick IT LC432 Early Childhood Education & Care, Mary I MI007 Early Childhood Education & Care.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Nurseries, Crèche's, Pre-Schools, Early Start Centres, Day Care, Family Centres, Private Homes, Primary Schools (As Special Needs Assistants) Working with adults and children with special needs.

COURSE CONTENT	
Child Development	6N1942
Early Childhood Curriculum	6N1944
Childhood Social & Legal Health Studies	6N1945
Supervision in Early Childhood Care	6N1973
Special Needs Assisting	6N1957
Communications	6N1950
Work Experience	6N1946
Disability Awareness	5N0690



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# Creative Drama and Theatre Arts

## (Level 5)

COURSE CONTENT	
Acting Skills & Techniques	5N5055
Theatre Performance	5N4568
Performance Craft	5N4567
Theatre Studies	5N4571
Communications	5N0690
Work Experience	5N1356
Mime & Movement	5N0559
Improvisation	6N3552

### INTRODUCTION

This unique and long-established course has a reputation for being very different from other forms of theatre training. Whilst it provides a complete actor's training, covering script work, improvisation, characterisation, physical theatre and devising skills, there is a strong emphasis on personal and artistic growth, alongside others, in an ensemble group experience.

The training is mostly practical. An accumulation of theatre skills, explored in friendly, non-judgemental workshops, lead to public performances that are renowned for their originality and extraordinary dramatic vitality. The drama course also integrates other strands of the arts to complement theatre experiences, so students who wish to develop visual, musical, dance or other artistic skills are particularly well-suited to this training. Classes and performances take place in the college's unique amphitheatre and well equipped studio as well as in outside theatres and site specific venues.

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a part on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

### CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Theatre Performance 5M5163

### WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants are required to undertake a minimum 10 days of work experience in a suitable environment. All participants will take place in a fully rehearsed public performance at the end of the year to fulfil this requirement.

### EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award will be eligible to apply for the QQI Level 6 Award but also has a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options through the CAO System. See our [progression/links](#) document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

**CCPS (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme)** CIT CR700 Theatre & Drama Studies L7, CIT CR121 Music, CIT CR125-9 Popular Music, CAO System: UCC CK112 Drama & Theatre Studies, CK101 Arts CK104/5 Music, CK109 English, Mary I MI001 Contemporary & Applied Theatre Studies.

**Other Relevant:** The Lir Academy Trinity College Dublin, The Gaiety School of Acting Professional Actor Training 2YR, Salford University Manchester UCAS W440 Theatre & Performance Practice.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates may pursue careers in Acting, Theatre Production, Arts Administration, Community Arts, Workshop Facilitation, Teaching, Theatre Writing.

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# Drama

## (Level 6)

### INTRODUCTION

This course is designed for the next generation of creative practitioners entering the performance industries, whether as actors, writers, directors, composers, singers, dancers, or stage managers.

Students are encouraged to find and follow their own unique path into the creative world, and to discover through experimental project work and performances, the tools, experiences, contacts and friendships they might need to achieve this.

Students enrolling on the course will have already developed core performance skills.

The teaching practise in Kinsale is underpinned by an ensemble approach to theatre and the course is delivered through practical workshops and self- directed projects. Emphasis is placed on devising original work through improvisation as well as the study and performance of existing play texts. Course content also includes industry preparation and acting for camera. Classes and performances take place in the college's unique amphitheatre and well- equipped studio as well as in outside theatres and site -specific venues.

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

### CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Drama 6M3566

### WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 10 days of work experience in a suitable setting. Each participant will devise, produce and perform in an original piece of theatre for a public audience to fulfil this requirement.

### EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award and the QQI Level 6 Award will have the opportunity to advance to YR 2 in the following courses subject to interview/audition through the **UCAS Scheme**. Salford University Manchester UCAS W440 Theatre & Performance Practice. **Audition opportunities with** The Lir Academy Trinity College Dublin, The Gaiety School of Acting Professional Actor Training 2YR. You also have a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options YR1 through the CAO System, See our progression/ links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details. **CAO System:** UCC CK112 Drama & Theatre Studies, CK101 Arts CK104/5 Music, CK109 English, Mary I MI001 Contemporary & Applied Theatre Studies, CIT CR700 Theatre & Drama Studies L7, CIT CR121 Music, CIT CR125-9 Popular Music,

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates may pursue careers in: Acting, Theatre Production, Arts Administration, Community Arts, Workshop Facilitation, Teaching, and Theatre Writing. Past students have pursued all of the above as well as forming their own Theatre Companies.

COURSE CONTENT	
Engaging with Drama	6N3545
Creating Drama	6N3546
Improvisation	6N3552
Characterisation	6N3551
Theatre Studies	6N3565
Communications	6N1950
Work Experience	6N1946
TV & film acting	5N6046
Shakespearean Performance	6N5227

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FILM & T.V.

# Film & TV Production

## (Level 5)

### INTRODUCTION

Do you want to work in the Film Industry? Then this Dynamic/ Practical/ Creative course is the one for you!

This course is designed to prepare students to work in the Film and TV sector.

Students are given access to an editing suite (iMac with Adobe Premiere Pro) four full days per week and access to HD video equipment, all week.

Students are taught a range of skills including scripting, storyboarding, camera skills and editing skills etc. There are individual and group projects on the course. Students are encouraged to produce short films on topics of interest to themselves, provided they fit within the given brief. The majority of this course is practical rather than theory based, which allows students to produce varied and substantial portfolios.

### FACILITIES IN THIS DEPARTMENT

This department contains the most up to date hardware and software. Facilities include Apple iMac, a range of digital video cameras, still cameras, sound recording equipment including boom and zoom microphones, and studio LED lights.

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

### CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Film & TV Production 5M5158

### WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 10 days of work placement in a suitable environment. The College will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

### EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

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### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates of the Film and TV Production course will be ready to enter this dynamic environment with a range of career opportunities open to them, taking on roles such as content producers, editors, communications and independent film producers.

COURSE CONTENT	
Digital Movie Processing	5N1605
Film Production	5N0637
Television & Film Editing	5N0540
Cinematography Camera Operations	5N1590
Cinematography Lighting Skills	5N5047
Scriptwriting	5N18476
Communications	5N0690
Work Practice	5N1356

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# Film & TV Production

## (Level 6)

### INTRODUCTION

Students who successfully complete the Film & TV, level 5 course will be eligible to apply for this advanced course. This course is designed to prepare students to work in the Film and TV sector.

This is a one-year course, which combines a range of digital video shooting, editing, special effects, audio recording and editing skills.

Those who complete the course may gain entry into the second year of a Level 8 degree course.

Students are given access to an editing suite (iMac with Adobe Premiere Pro) four full days per week and access to HD video equipment, all week. They also have access to professional Video, Sound and Lighting equipment.

There are individual and group projects on the course. Students are encouraged to produce short films on topics of interest to themselves, provided they fit within the given brief. The majority of this course is practical rather than theory based, which allows students to produce varied and substantial portfolios.

### FACILITIES IN THIS DEPARTMENT

This department contains the most up to date hardware and software. Facilities include Apple iMac, a range of digital video cameras, still cameras, sound recording equipment including boom and zoom microphones, and LED studio lights.

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

For entry to Level 6 a full QQI Level 5 in a complementary area is required. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means that the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out and satisfactory presentation at the interview.

### CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Film & TV Production 6M5159

### WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 10 days of work placement in a suitable area. The college will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

### EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award and the QQI Level 6 Award will have the opportunity to advance to YR 2 in the following courses through the **CCPS (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme) & ETB /IT Progression schemes.** IADT DL834 Film & TV Production. DIT DT504 Film & Broadcasting. CIT CR112 Creative Digital Media, Tralee IT TL802 TV, Radio & New Media.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

The Award may enable graduates to gain employment in the TV and Film Industry. Learners can pursue careers in Camera Operations, Scriptwriting, Post-production Editing, Researcher and freelance careers in the TV and Film Sector.

COURSE CONTENT	
Documentary Production	6N18514
Editing Practice & Techniques	6N5427
Film & Digital Video Production	6N5428
Communications	6N1950
Film & Television Camera & Lighting	6N18516
Studio & Location Sound Production	6N4981
Work Experience	6N1946
Digital Imaging (Optional)	6N3727

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# HEALTHCARE



# Healthcare (Level 5)

## INTRODUCTION

This full-time QQI Healthcare Support Course is designed to prepare students to work competently, safely and effectively as a Healthcare Assistant in a variety of settings such as nursing homes, hospitals and home help support.

This course is unique in that Kinsale College is the only centre offering a fully accredited Dementia Care Module that underpins this course. The course has also been highlighted at a National level at a forum on the future of dementia care. The course is structured to provide students with a high standard of training and assessment leading to a recognised qualification for those pursuing a career in the Health Care Sector. It is also a preparatory course designed for students who intend to pursue further training in Health and Care in the Institutes of Technology and in Universities. The aim of the course is to:

- Develop a range of personal and interpersonal qualities necessary for work in a range of healthcare environments.
- Be capable of creating and maintaining appropriate relationships with the client, their family and other professionals.
- Acquire specialist knowledge in Dementia Care.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Healthcare Support 5M4339

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 200 hours of work placement in a suitable environment.

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award will be eligible to apply for the QQI Level 6 Award but also has a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options through the CAO System, See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

**CCPS (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme):** CIT CR035 Community Development. **CAO System:** UCC CK710/12 General/Childrens Nursing (Matures Only), CK720/30/40 Mental Health/Disability/Midwifery (Matures Only), Tralee IT TL781/881 Social Care, TL 889 Counselling & Addiction (Matures Only), TL890/891 Nursing (Matures Only), Waterford IT WD005 Health Sciences, WD018/192 Applied Social Studies in Social Care, WD187/188 Social Science/ Applied Health Care, Limerick LC407 Social & Community Studies.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

On completion of this course students will be eligible for employment in a variety of care settings, including: care homes, working for agencies and in private homes.

COURSE CONTENT	
Care Skills	5N2270
Care Support	5N0758
Safety & Health at work	5N1794
Nutrition	5N2006
Care of Older person	5N2706
Palliative Care	5N3769
Dementia Awareness / City & Guilds	3565-21
Communications	5N0690
Work Experience	5N1356
<b>Optional Extras</b>	
Manual Handling, Dementia-City & Guilds, M.A.P.A (Management of Actual or Potential Aggression), Elder Abuse.	

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# Advanced Health Services Skills (Level 6)

## INTRODUCTION

This award will equip the learner with the necessary knowledge, skills and competence to undertake supervisory roles in the care environment. This course equips participants with the skills to manage themselves, their work and the people they work with more effectively. It also offers a sound introduction to management in the health services for those wishing to build upon their experience and to gain a formal qualification in management.

On completion of the programme participants will be able to:

- Appreciate fundamental core health service management principles and theories.
- Apply a comprehensive range of management skills and techniques to improve individual, team and organisational performance within the health services.
- Demonstrate interpersonal skills, confidence and ability to achieve personal targets and goals.
- Utilise and apply acquired skills and knowledge towards improved individual, team and overall health services performance.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

For entry to Level 6 a full QQI Level 5 in a complementary area is required. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Health Services Supervisory Management 6M4978

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 60 hours of work placement in a suitable area.

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award and the QQI Level 6 Award will have the opportunity to advance to YR 2 in the following courses through the **CCPS (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme) & ETB /IT Progression schemes**. WIT WD188 BSc Applied Health care. You also have a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options YR1 through the CAO System, See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details. **CAO System:** UCC CK710/12 General/Children's Nursing (Matures Only), CK720/30/40 Mental Health/Disability/Midwifery (Matures Only), CKU05/U09 Postgraduate Certificate in Dementia (Matures Only), CIT CR035 Community Development, Tralee IT TL781/881 Social Care, TL 889 Counselling & Addiction (Matures Only), TL890/891 Nursing (Matures Only), Waterford IT WD005 Health Sciences, WD018/192 Applied Social Studies in Social Care, WD187/188 Social Science/ Applied Health Care, Limerick LC407 Social & Community Studies.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

On completion of this course students will be qualified to seek employment in the Health Services sector in Supervisory Management. This also includes residential and non-residential healthcare settings as personal carers as health care assistants, managers or supervisors. It also would qualify graduates to work in various health areas, private homecare sector, intellectual disability environments and charity organisations.

COURSE CONTENT	
Disability Awareness	6N1975
Mental Health	6N4329
Health Promotion	6N2214
Person Centered Planning	6N1946
Leadership	6N2191
Supervisory Management	5N1356
Conflict Management	6N2206
Work Experience	5N1356
<b>Optional Extras:</b>	
Manual Handling, Occupational First Aid, Dementia-City & Guilds, M.A.P.A (Management of Actual or Potential Aggression), Certificate in Diabetes Awareness.	

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## MARIA CANNON

OFFICE ADMINISTRATION

"I applied to do the Office Administration QQI Level 5 course as I wanted to change my direction in my career and learn new skills. I had virtually no experience of accounting before doing the course. It was a fantastic learning experience in a unique and intimate learning environment. Within three months of completing this course I have landed a great office management/ accounting position with a local company. I am absolutely thrilled. Thank you Kinsale College for helping me reinvent myself in a new career."

## SOPHIE

HORTICULTURE

"The two years I spent doing the Permaculture/Sustainable Horticulture Course at Kinsale Further Education College were an amazing experience of learning in new creative ways, with lots of practical experience and an exciting mix of classroom lessons, guest speakers and field trips. The college has a very supportive atmosphere and a great community feeling to it. I'm glad I chose to do the course."

## NUALA O'RIORDAN

FILM & TV

"I am delighted I took the step of returning to education. I worked in a business environment for many years and was looking for something new. I wanted a course that would both widen work opportunities and develop a new skill. TV & Film fitted the bill perfectly. I have been recording home movies for a long time but this is a whole new world. The tuition is structured but personalised with one to one guidance as needed. There is also an opportunity for valuable work experience. I could not recommend this course highly enough."

## NOREEN LONG

HEALTHCARE

"This is a fantastic course that met all of my expectations and more. The tutors were very competent and kept our interest and attention right to the end of the course. I am so grateful that I have this very recognised course behind me and because of this, I am so happy to be working with CPL and loving my job."

## RICHARD KAVANAGH

ART

"With an entrepreneurial and design background I enrolled on the art course as a mature student looking to develop a new direction. It's an exceptionally enjoyable course taught by very knowledgeable tutors. The unique strength of this course is how you're taught to develop your analytical and creative thought processes. In a very short space of time this opened up enormous new opportunities for me in terms of my career and personal growth. The dedication and encouragement of the tutors and enthusiasm of my classmates are what made this possible. I highly recommend this course to anyone thinking of any type of creative career or already in one and stagnating."

## TAMMIE O'BRIEN

CHILDCARE

"After attending Kinsale Further Education College studying Childcare level 5 & 6; I can honestly say my two years there were fantastic. The help provided and understanding from all the staff there, was touching."

I finished my level 6 in May 2013, and thankfully I am now studying a Level 7 in Early Years Education @ Cork Institute of Technology. QQI has given me the opportunity of fulfilling my dream in achieving a place in CIT; the knowledge I have gained and carried forward with me is invaluable."

CIT Graduate.

## SEBASTIAN THOMMEN

THEATRE PERFORMANCE

"I think it should be compulsory that everyone in every line of work should study drama, and studying Drama in the Kinsale College is the icing on the cake. Ian and Belinda have pretty much laid the groundwork for my love and enthusiasm for life and nursed a passion for performance that has helped me in EVERY endeavour. Since completion of the course I've had the privilege to work with great directors in all the mediums of theatre, television and film."

The craft of playing has brought me from the windy willows of Macroom to the plasticity places of Hollywood. Embarking on the course with Ian and Belinda with the underlying goal; "to soak up the craft like a fun sponge", will not only guarantee a very interesting rest of life...but also guarantee the fusing of new friendships that will stay with you forever."

Played Michael Collins, in RTE's Rebellion series 2016.

## SEBASTIAN TRETTER

OUTDOOR EDUCATION LEVEL 6

"As a mature student and coming from an office based working life, I was looking for a new career and education that was close to my heart and actually meant something to me. With our experienced and inspiring teachers and instructors, I discovered a place where learning was fun, experiential and exciting at the same time. The 2 years gave me all the connections and qualification that I needed to work in the industry. Furthermore, this course was the first step into a world of people that are down to earth, enthusiastic, passionate and connected with life, nature and and their surroundings. Building on this great experiences, I continued my studies in an Outdoor Learning Degree in Tralee." (Level 7)

## CORINNE DOMONEY

BUSINESS

"My name is Corinne Domoney and I am currently studying Business Information Systems in CIT, as a mature student. This is a 4 year honours degree programme and I am thoroughly enjoying it. My favourite module is Computer Programming and Maths comes in second place for me."

The area of Technology is so vibrant right now, and new jobs are being announced all the time. It's all happening, and there are so many different aspects to it that I feel very excited about the future and working in this area."

Current 3rd year Business student, CIT.

## DAVE FOLEY

HORTICULTURE LEVEL 6

"It has been a real life-changing experience, learning invaluable skills thanks to the top quality teachers, meeting friends for life, and turning a hobby into an occupation. Now I am at the beginning of a career as a tree surgeon/ arborist and in the near future as a part time tree nursery manager aiming to grow and sell up to 50,000 native Irish trees annually."



# English as a Second Language (Level 5)

## COURSE CONTENT

English as a Second Language	5N1632
Contact Centre Skills	5N1361
Work Experience	5N1356
Communications	5N0690
Customer Service	5N0972
Word Processing	5N1358
Information & Administration	5N1389
English as a Second Language	4N1180

## INTRODUCTION

This course is designed for students from overseas who wish to improve their English skills in speaking, writing, listening and reading. Students will improve their grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation.

They will receive guidance on the use of speaking in everyday situations and improve spoken and written fluency through expressing themselves in small group discussions.

Ideal for students who wish to gain employment or progress into further education and third level in Ireland.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants, appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. All applicants will be required to attend an interview, this may be conducted online. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Certificate in Contact Centre Operations 5M2071

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 10 days of work placement in a suitable area. The College will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award will be eligible to apply for the QQI Level 6 Business Award but also has a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options through the CAO System, See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Customer service, contact/call centres, receptionists, and administration positions requiring bi-/multilingual skilled individuals with an awareness of good customer service and excellent telephone technique.

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# Digital Media Production

## (Level 5)

### COURSE CONTENT

Image Processing	5N1292
Design Skills	5N0784
Multimedia Authoring	5N1299
Multimedia Project Development	5N1300
Communications	5N0690
<b>Electives (choose two):</b>	
Digital Video production	5N
Music Technology	5N1640

### INTRODUCTION

The Level 5 Digital Media Production course provides a grounding in the tools and techniques used for working across a range of sectors: website design and building, advertising, image processing, digital video processing, electronic music & sound production.

Graduates of Digital Media Production will leave with the skills and aptitude to work in a variety of new, cutting-edge media areas.

The majority of work on the course is practical rather than theory based, therefore students are given the opportunity to produce varied and substantial portfolios. Students are given 'hands-on' training by experienced teachers who guide and support students through all aspects of production and are given access to comprehensive equipment; video editing workstations running Davinci Resolve & Adobe Premiere Pro, Mac Digital Audio Workstations, Sony broadcast-spec video camera kit, Recolive Multicam system, and access to Adobe iCloud.

Graduates of Digital Media Production can progress to the level 6 Film & TV Production course or enter the professional world. Digital Media production skills are required across all professional industries; skills learned at Kinsale College will serve students in any career path they choose to take.

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

### CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Sustainable Multimedia Production 5M2146

### WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 10 days of work placement in a suitable environment. Kinsale College will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

### EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award will be eligible to apply for the QQI Level 6 Awards Film & TV Production but also has a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options through the CAO System. See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details. **CCPS (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme):** CIT CR112 Creative Digital Media, CIT CR600 Visual Communications. **CAO System:** Tralee IT TL712 Computing with Digital Media L7, Waterford IT WD151 Software Systems Development, WD153 Multimedia Applications Development, WD168 Entertainment Systems, WD193 Marketing & Digital Media, WD197 The Internet of Things, Limerick LC234 Interactive Digital Media, LC235/236 Internet Systems Development, LC504/517 Creative Media & Design, IADT DL837 New Media Studies.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

This full level 5 certificate facilities entry to the Multimedia, Level 6 course in Kinsale. It also facilities entry on a competitive basis to a range of third level colleges.

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# OUTDOOR EDUCATION



# Outdoor Adventure Education *(Level 5)*

## INTRODUCTION

The Outdoor Adventure Education (OAE) course, which was established in 1987, is now recognised as the primary training opportunity for people interested in outdoor and adventure education. The OAE course is based at Kinsale College and utilises the local natural resources as its classroom. Focusing on a variety of outdoor sports, this intensive one-year course helps students develop the skills and proficiencies needed to progress to the Outdoor Leadership (OL) course. Apart from skills training, this course also provides opportunities to enhance collaboration, communication and presentation skills through various independent and group work activities.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out and attended for interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Outdoor Adventure Education 5M5148

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 10 days of work placement in a suitable environment. The College will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award will be eligible to apply for the QQI Level 6 Award but also has a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options through the CAO System.

See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

**CAO System:** UCC CK101 Arts, CIT CR094 Nautical Science, CR095 Marine Engineering, Tralee IT TL771/2 Health & Leisure L7, TL773 Coaching & Sports Performance L7, TL823 Event Management L8, Waterford IT WD186 Sports Coaching & Performance, WD019 Recreation & Sport Management L7, GMIT GA870/885 Outdoor Education L7/8, GA376 Event Management & PR L7, GA790 Sport & Exercise Science, Limerick IT LC290 Community Sports Development, LC228 Sports Development & Coaching.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Youth Work, Outdoor Education Centre Instructor, Senior Instructor, Self Employment, Work Abroad with Adventure Tourism Companies, Coaching, Adventure Sports Development officer, Adventure Therapy.

COURSE CONTENT	
Outdoor Recreation	5N5386
Adventure Activities	5N4646
Work Experience	5N1356
Communication	5N0690
Kayaking Instruction Skills	5N5186
Windsurfing	5N5188
Powerboat Skills	4N4636
Occupational First Aid	5N1207
Mountain Skills	5N5706
Single Pitch Rock-climbing	5N6045
Sailing Skills	5N5385

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# Outdoor Leadership *(Level 6)*

## INTRODUCTION

The Outdoor Leadership (OL) course has been designed to facilitate learners seeking a pathway to employment in the outdoor industry. Successful candidates will graduate with multiple qualifications from QQI, National Governing Bodies (NGBs) for Sports and Coaching Ireland. Through both independent and group work activities, learners develop advanced skills, knowledge and competencies in outdoor activity modules and learn how to apply these skills to lead and train others in the outdoors. This course offers candidates the opportunity to earn a variety of professional instructor awards that lead directly to employment in the industry in Ireland and abroad.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

For entry to Level 6, a full QQI Level 5 in a complementary area is required or completion of NGB intermediate awards in sailing, windsurfing, powerboating and river kayaking. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Outdoor Leadership 6M5148

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 10 days of work placement in a suitable area. The college will assist participants in identifying suitable placements

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award and the QQI Level 6 Award will have the opportunity to advance to the following courses through the CAO & ETB /IT Progression schemes. See our progression/ links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

**CAO System:** UCC CK116 Sports Studies & Physical Education, UCC CK101 Arts, Cork IT CR094 Nautical Science, CR095 Marine Engineering, Tralee IT TLPT Bachelor of Arts in Outdoor Learning (RPL), TL771/2 Health & Leisure L7, TL773 Coaching & Sports Performance L7, TL823 Event Management L8, Waterford IT WD186 Sports Coaching & Performance, WD019 Recreation & Sport Management L7, GMIT GA870/885 Outdoor Education L7/8, GA376 Event Management & PR L7, GA790 Sport & Exercise Science, Limerick IT LC290 Community Sports Development, LC228 Sports Development & Coaching.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Our graduates are highly sought-after by a wide range of workplaces. Course Director Jeff Cochrane is regularly contacted by industry professionals who are interested in employing Outdoor Leadership graduates. Past employers include:

Outdoor Education Centres, Adventure Centres, Activity & Adventure tourism, Climbing walls and Gyms, Outdoor Retail Outlets, Yacht & Sailing Clubs, Kayaking Tour providers, Youth Training & Development Organizations.

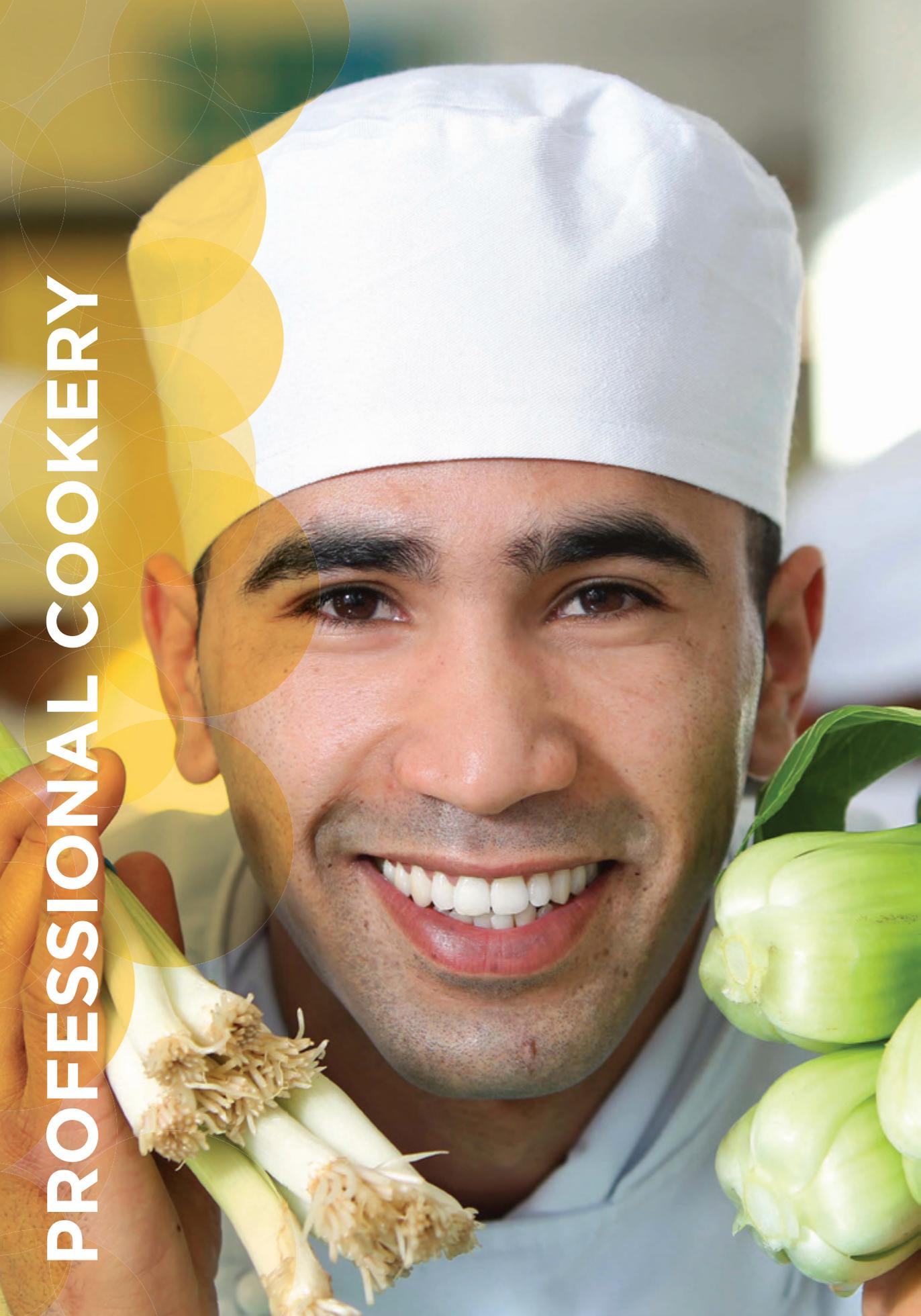
COURSE CONTENT	
Windsurfing Instruction	6N5365
River Kayaking Instruction	6N5193
Sailing Instructor	6N5348
Sports Industry Practice	6N4650
Communications	6N1950
Work Practice	6N1947
Safety Boat	5N5305
Powerboat Instruction	6N5192

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# Professional Cookery

COURSE CONTENT	
Culinary Techniques	5N0630
Meal Service	5N0635
Pastry, Baking & Desserts	5N2084
Menu & Applied Nutrition	5N2085
Food Science & Technology	5N0730
Word Processing	5N1358
Personal Effectiveness	5N1390
Work Practice	5N1433
International Cuisine	5N0632

## INTRODUCTION

This course allows learners to develop practical culinary skills with an understanding of nutrition, food science and food hygiene. The course includes active menu planning and food service in our restaurant.

Students also have the opportunity to obtain a primary certificate in food hygiene accredited by the Environmental Health Officers Association (E.H.O.A).

As Kinsale is the 'Gourmet Capital of Ireland' this course is well situated to obtain the best work experience placements. The Good Food Circle in Kinsale is committed to providing a rich source of varied work experience for the students of this programme.

The course benefits from an on-site kitchen garden producing organic fruit and vegetables. The College also boasts a restaurant for the exclusive purpose of training students. During the year students have the chance to participate in the successful Kinsale Gourmet Festival; students enjoy guest speakers and demonstration, field trips to various businesses and participate in the Kinsale Food Market. Graduates from this course can readily access the labour market or advance to further studies both nationally and internationally. This course is a course that will prepare the students for the professional kitchen environment. This course is a course that will prepare the students for the professional kitchen environment.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Professional Cookery 5M2088

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 30 days of work placement in a suitable environment. The College will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award will be eligible to apply for the QQI Level 6 Award but also has a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options through the CAO System. See our progression/ links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details. **CCPS (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme):** CIT CR655 Culinary Studies L6, CIT CR657 Hospitality Studies L6, CIT CRO42 Hospitality Management L6, CIT CR640 Culinary Arts L6, CIT CR650 Bar Management L6. **CAO System:** Tralee IT TL620 Culinary Arts L6, TL621 Hotel Operations L6, TL622 Travel & Tourism L6, TL719 Culinary Arts L7, Waterford IT WD172/194 Culinary Arts.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Students can go on to enjoy careers in the hotel and catering industry, in restaurants, cafés and hotel kitchens.

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HORTICULTURE

# Sustainable Horticulture/ Permaculture (Level 5)

## INTRODUCTION

Sustainable Horticulture/Permaculture is a science based course offering a practical and unique learning experience in a thriving college community. Kinsale has a strong tradition of food and farming, as well as providing a near-idyllic environment for exploring the natural environment.

The course consists of classroom-based talks, practical activities, site visits, guest master classes & group project work. The emphasis of the course is on practical skills such as permaculture design, plant identification, food growing, tree planting, ethical communication, community development, environmental education and extras such as introductions to basket weaving and sustainable building techniques for example. The students can apply this knowledge in their own lives and gain professional qualifications to access employment, develop their careers or continue to 3rd level courses in horticulture.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Leaving Certificate or equivalent. For mature applicants appropriate experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out and attended for interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Sustainable Horticulture 5M2586

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 40 days of work placement in a suitable environment. The College will assist participants in identifying suitable placements.

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award and the QQI Level 6 Award will have the opportunity to advance to YR 2 in the following courses through the **CCPS (Cork Colleges Progression Scheme) & ETB /IT Progression schemes**. WIT WD096/97 Bsc Horticulture L7/8. You also have a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options YR1 through the CAO System. See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details. **CAO System:** Tralee IT TL851 Wildlife Biology L8, Waterford IT WD076 Bsc Forestry, WD096/97 Bsc Horticulture, WD126 Bsc Agriculture, WD164 Bsc Food Science, WD177 General Science, Limerick IT LC244 Sustainable Building & Energy Engineering, LC434 Environmental Management in Agriculture L8, Carlow IT CW027 Sustainable Farm Management & Agribusiness, UCD DN271 Forestry DN272 Horticulture Landscape & Sports Turf Management, ITB BN113/022 Horticulture.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates from the course will be well equipped to pursue a range of employment and business opportunities. Several past students now supply fresh vegetables from their market gardens to customers and restaurants around the Kinsale area. Other opportunities are available in diverse fields including ecology, environmental education, plant nurseries, garden centres, landscape design and sustainable resource management.

COURSE CONTENT	
Permaculture Design	5N1617
Biodiversity & the Natural Environment	5N2547
Organic Production	5N2549
Plant Protection	5N2546
Plant Science	5N2528
Plant Identification & Use	5N2527
Soil Science & Growing Media	5N2530
Work Practice	5N1433
Team Working	5N0690

## CONTACT DETAILS

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Course fees outlined on  
[www.kinsalecollege.ie/fees](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/fees)

# Sustainable Horticulture/ Permaculture (Level 6)

## INTRODUCTION

The QQI Level 6 Sustainable Horticulture/Permaculture Award provides a strong base for developing professional skills in market gardening, nursery stock production, tree and shrub management, sustainable landscape design, leadership and entrepreneurship.

The course allows students to develop a broad range of practical skills in a variety of horticultural-related areas as well as obtain a thorough grounding in the scientific, practical and regenerative aspects of food production and sustainability.

Students are given the opportunity to visit a wide range of different commercial enterprises, including successful market gardens and nursery businesses and related permaculture enterprises where inspiring sustainable landscapes can be experienced.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

For entry to Level 6 a full QQI Level 5 in a complementary area or relevant experience. All applicants will be required to attend an interview. An offer of a place on this course means the applicant has met the minimum entry requirements set out here and satisfactory presentation at interview.

## CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Sustainable Horticulture 6M4334

## WORK PLACEMENT/EXPERIENCE

Participants will be required to undertake 220 hours of work placement in a suitable area. The college will assist participants in identifying suitable placements

## EDUCATION PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the QQI Level 5 Award will be eligible to apply for the QQI Level 6 Award but also has a large choice of Diploma and Degree course options through the CAO System. See our progression/links document on [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links) for more details.

### CAO System:

Tralee IT TL851 Wildlife Biology L8, Waterford IT WD076 Bsc Forestry, WD096/97 Bsc Horticulture, WD126 Bsc Agriculture WD164 Bsc Food Science, WD177 General Science, Limerick IT LC244 Sustainable Building & Energy Engineering, Carlow IT CW027 Sustainable Farm Management & Agribusiness, UCD DN271 Forestry ITB BN113/022 Horticulture.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Nurseries, Market Gardens, Landscaping, Conservation, Start your own business, Environmental Education, Garden Centres, and Sustainable Resource Management.

COURSE CONTENT	
Tree & Shrub Management	6N3624
Sustainable Horticulture	6N3626
Entrepreneurship	6N1941
Nursery Stock Production	6N3610
Market Gardening	6N3614
Leadership	6N2191

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**KEITH CORKERY**  
HEALTH SERVICES  
SUPERVISORY MANAGEMENT  
LEVEL 6

*"The Level 6 Healthcare course gives you a wide range of experience in the general health area as well as the elderly. This in turn, opens up opportunities and interest in applying for different positions in Health care. There is an opportunity to learn new skills. I am thoroughly enjoying the course. It has a fantastic social aspect.*

*It has provided excellent contacts for future opportunities with great guest speakers. It takes you out of your comfort zone, improving your social and people skills.*

*I would highly recommend this course to anyone who has completed the Level 5 or has an interest in this area."*

**LOUISE McKEON**  
MULTIMEDIA LEVEL 5

*"I am a graduate of the National College of Art & Design. Specialising in illustration, I qualified in Graphic Design. On leaving College I worked in advertising agencies, got married, had children and developed my skills as a professional artist. In the meantime technology passed me by. I applied and secured a place on the Multimedia course at Kinsale College.*

*I was a little apprehensive returning but I needn't have worried. Thanks to the wonderful teacher who makes time for everybody. Be it as a group or as individuals no creative or technical problem is too small or too big and is treated with respect and encouragement.*

*All the students have different life experiences. Some come straight from school and will have developed computer skills but little design knowledge, which the teacher brings out. Others like me want to update and improve lost skills."*

**SONIA O'KEEFFE**  
PROFESSIONAL COOKERY

*"I found studying in Kinsale College of Further Education very beneficial, the tutors were very helpful in delivering the course content and using examples in an easy to understand manner. It helped greatly getting used to having deadlines in assignments, working as part of a team, learning about international cuisine, HACCP, individual presentations, knife skills, and working on a budget in the kitchen before progressing onto cit. The work experience in the industry was really great as it gave a great opportunity to see how different kitchens operate. I am currently studying culinary studies in Cork Institute of Technology. Overall I really thought studying in Kinsale College was really great. I would totally recommend it to people to do before going onto CIT as it is a great course and it really gives an insight on what's to come if you want to progress on. Sonia O'Keeffe Graduated May 2016*

**NATHAN KINGERLEE**  
OUTDOOR EDUCATION GRADUATE

*"The two-year instructor training course gave me the best possible stepping stone for a career in the outdoor industry. The challenges and experiences over the two years, from intensive training to exams; from kayaking white water rivers to climbing sea cliffs; from excellent friendships to training under some of Ireland's best outdoor instructors, was phenomenal. On completing the course, I worked for several outdoor education centres throughout Ireland, developing the qualifications and experience I had been given from Kinsale. The qualifications and experience took me to work in Scotland, where I also worked as a white water raft guide and ski leader. Returning to Ireland, I was lucky enough to work with Ireland's National Outdoor Training Centre for a short time, before setting up my own business in 2006. My business - Outdoors Ireland - specializes in guided tours, training courses*

*and team building. Now with two operation bases (Killarney and Galway), a small team of instructors and a fleet of trailers and equipment; the key to our work and success comes from the experience and training I received all those years ago in Kinsale. The fun, training, experience and knowledge I received from the instructor course is a resource I still use on a weekly, if not daily, basis. In fact generally when I am recruiting for staff I firstly look to instructors who are qualifying from Kinsale. Whether as a life experience or a career choice I cannot recommend this course highly enough and I often remember it as I stand on Ireland's highest mountains; pause partway up a sandstone cliff, or watch the sunset from a sea kayak."*



# GENERAL INFORMATION

## DISCLAIMER

The college reserves the right to restructure or cancel any course without notice. This prospectus does not infer or impose any legal obligation on the Cork Education and Training Board or the College Board of Management to provide courses or other services to students.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Application for a place on a course listed in this prospectus is not through the Central Applications Office (CAO) i.e. points are not required. Admission to a particular course is subject to places being available on the course and the following criteria being satisfied:

- That an applicant's previous education, training or experience, indicates that they are likely to benefit from participation in the course and be able to successfully engage with, and complete, the course.
- That an applicant attends for interview and is considered suitable for the course based on their presentation at interview.
- The participation of the applicant on the course will contribute positively to the course and will not impact negatively on the rights of other students or staff.

All applicants must normally be 18 years of age or older, on the commencement of the course. In general, applicants for Level 5 courses should have usually completed the Leaving Certificate, the Leaving Certificate Applied or their equivalents. The suitability of mature students will be based on their experience as well as any formal education qualifications.

Places on level 6 courses generally require that applicants have successfully completed a full Level 5 programme in a cognate area. In some instances the level 5 requirements for entry are specific to that course (see each course listing). Places on courses are limited, early application is advisable.

## ENROLMENT PROCEDURE

### Step 1: Complete the Application Form

Complete the online application form. The application form can be completed at [www.kinsalecollege.ie](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie) When you apply online you will receive a personal account and ID, this will enable you to view all college correspondence in relation to your application. Please note, you will be required to update your account with additional information if you are offered a place on a course that you wish to accept.

### Step 2: Attend for Interview

Applicants will be notified to attend for interview at the college and must bring the following when attending:

- A copy of Leaving Certificate Results or equivalent (if applicable)
- A signed passport sized photograph
- A copy of your birth certificate
- Proof of PPSN

Interviews are held a number of times per year from Springtime through to course commencement. The interview simply acts to match the applicant against the course in terms of suitability, commitment and expectation.

An offer of a place is contingent on the applicant meeting the entry requirements of the course and satisfactory presentation at interview.

### Step 3: Place Offer and Acceptance

Successful applicants will be notified of the offer of a place on a college course by post and by e-mail. To secure this place, applicants must pay the relevant Course Fee before a set date, as indicated in the communication of the offer. You will be required to update the personal account you created on application with additional information if you wish to accept the offer of a place. Failure to do so may result in the place being forfeited and offered to another applicant.

### Step 4: Registration and Induction

Students offered a place on a course will also receive notification of the dates they must attend for registration and induction. All students must attend the college on these designated dates.

### Step 5: For Students whose first language is not English

For students whose first language is not English, you will also be advised at the time of offer of the date and time to attend for the compulsory English Language Assessment.

## INCLUSIVITY

The college fosters a positive culture where every member of the college community has the right to be treated with courtesy, dignity and respect irrespective of disability, gender, age, religion, civil status, race, sexual orientation, family background or membership of the travelling community. The college recognises the very serious nature of discrimination and the negative impact that it can have on the lives of students and staff. As a college community we are fully committed to preventing and tackling intolerant behaviour. The college is an inclusive environment, welcoming of difference and diversity while promoting respectful relationships throughout the establishment.

## STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AND SPECIFIC LEARNING NEEDS

This College is committed to a policy of equal opportunity and welcomes applications from students with physical disabilities and specific learning needs. The College is committed to providing appropriate supports and assistance for such students, within the limits of available resources.

Applicants with disabilities should contact the College support service for further information and advice at [info@kinsalecollege.ie](mailto:info@kinsalecollege.ie)

## INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

This college welcomes applications from eligible international students. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that they meet Immigration and Visa requirements prior to applying for a place on a course. Post Leaving Certificate courses DO NOT feature on the Interim List of Eligible Programmes which lists the courses for which an overseas, non-EU/EEA applicant may apply for a study visa to enter the country.

Applications from citizens of EU/EEA countries are not liable for tuition fees, however other course fees may apply.

To qualify for free tuition fees, you must meet criteria with regard to:

### 1. Residence and

### 2. Nationality and immigration status

### 3. Course requirements

#### 1. Residence

You must have been living in an EEA member state or Switzerland for at least 3 of the 5 years before starting your course. The members of the EEA (the European Economic Area) are the member states of the EU, along with Iceland, Norway and Liechtenstein.

#### 2. Nationality and immigration

You must also fulfil one of the following 6 criteria as regards nationality and immigration status in Ireland:

You must:

- Be a citizen of an EEA member state (see above) or Switzerland or
- Have official refugee status or
- Be a family member of a refugee and have been granted permission to live in the State or
- Be a family member of an EU national and have



- permission to live in the State, with a stamp "4EUFAM" on your residence card or
- Have been granted humanitarian leave to remain in the State or
- Have been granted permission to remain in the State by the Minister for Justice and Equality, following a determination by the Minister not to make a deportation order under Section 3 of the Immigration Act 1999.

All other eligible international applications are subject to tuition fees of €3,653

Applications from individuals in the process of seeking "leave to remain" are welcomed, enquiries should be made to [info@kinsalecollege.ie](mailto:info@kinsalecollege.ie). Applications from individuals in this category should note that the decision of the Irish Government to implement the EU Receptions Conditions Directive (2013/22/EU) may provide for their acceptance onto a PLC course, subject to certain conditions. More information on these conditions and supports are available from [info@kinsalecollege.ie](mailto:info@kinsalecollege.ie)

**Applicants from outside of the State who are not EU/EEA citizens, should note that Post Leaving Certificate courses are not eligible to obtain a study visa to enter the state.**

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND ADVICE

### Course Fees

Courses in the college are funded by the Department of Education and Skills and SOLAS (the Further education and Training Authority, with support from the European Social Fund. There are no tuition fees for PLC courses for EU/EEA students. Course fees are made up of:

- Programme Participant Contribution
- Student Services fee

- Examination fees
- Course Specific costs

All students are required to pay, as part of their fees, the Department of Education and Skills (DES) Programme Participant Contribution of €200.

- You may be exempt from paying this contribution if:
- You hold a Medical Card or are the dependant of a Medical Card holder
  - You are a VTOS or BTEA recipients
  - You are awarded a SUSI student maintenance grant

Students who apply for and subsequently receive a student maintenance grant will be refunded this contribution.

As part of the course fee, the college includes a Student Services Fee. This part covers the supply of additional classroom and study materials, some field trips, industrial site visits, guest lecturers on certain courses, access to college IT and printing supports for students, the availability of many college leisure and recreational opportunities and support for College teams and societies.

This charge applies to ALL students and no exemptions apply; however a student who takes up a confirmed VTOS place will have the charge refunded.

QQI (Quality & Qualifications Ireland) examination fees are €50 for Level 5, or €80 for Level 6.

Some courses are certified by other accrediting bodies in full, or may have additional certification from such bodies as well as the QQI certification. Each of these bodies set their own examination fees and these may vary slightly from year to year due to exchange rates. Individual course costs on the college fees page, [www.kinsalecollege.ie](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie) under course fees.

All students who receive VTOS are exempt from paying examination fees; students who are holders of a Medical Card or a dependant of a Medical Card holder are exempt from paying QQI examination fees only. Some courses incur additional costs for course related items, e.g. student's kits and uniforms, manuals etc. The Student Services fee includes all these costs. The costs associated any such items apply to all students, including VTOS.

A full breakdown of the fee per course is shown at [www.kinsalecollege.ie](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie) under course fees

By accepting an offer of a place, you are accepting the terms and conditions of CETB regarding fee payments. CETB's fee payment policy is available at [www.corketb.ie](http://www.corketb.ie)

## MAINTENANCE GRANT (SUSI)

Learners attending full-time Further Education courses may be eligible for a means-tested maintenance grant. Information regarding eligibility and application details is available at [www.susi.ie](http://www.susi.ie)

## VOCATIONAL TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES SCHEME - VTOS

The Vocational Training Opportunities Scheme (VTOS) provides a range of supports to allow individuals who are unemployed to return to education or training. The scheme allows successful applicants to keep their Social Welfare Allowances while attending their course in the college. All full time day courses in the College are eligible for VTOS.

To qualify for VTOS, applicants should be 21 years of age or over and have been Receiving certain social welfare payments for at least 156 continuous social welfare counted days (6 months) of the previous 12 months You may qualify for VTOS if you are unemployed and receiving any of the following

benefits for at least 6 months:

- Jobseekers Allowance or Jobseekers Benefit.
- One Parent Family Allowance.
- Blind Pension
- Deserted Wife's Allowance; Widow's, Widower's or Surviving Civil Partner's Contributory Pension; Widower's or Surviving Civil Partner's Non-Contributory Pension
- Prisoner's Spouse Allowance.
- An Adult Dependent on a person in receipt of Unemployment Assistance.
- Disability Allowance
- Illness Benefit (you must apply to the Exemption Section, Dept of Social, Community & Family Affairs, Store St. Dublin 1 for an exemption to attend the course).

Places are **LIMITED** on the VTOS programme and are prioritised on the basis of:

- (i) Educational need
- (ii) Period of time in receipt of Social Welfare payments

To apply for VTOS in the College:

1. Complete the College Enrolment Procedure as above.
2. A VTOS application form is also filled out with a passport size photograph included. Do NOT complete the back page of the form.
3. Return the form to the College VTOS Office.
4. The closing date for receipt of VTOS applications forms is September 3rd 2019. Application Forms received after this date will be treated as a late application.

**Further Enquiries: [info@kinsalecollege.ie](mailto:info@kinsalecollege.ie)**





# PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES & SUPPORTS

## Supporting Access to Higher Education

Kinsale College has strong links with Cork Institute of Technology, Waterford Institute of Technology and Tralee Institute of Technology. The partnerships with Institutes of Technology offer unique progression arrangements for students who graduate from courses at Kinsale College of Further Education.

Our students can benefit from reserved places on a wide range of linked programmes at Cork, Tralee and Waterford Institute of Technology, and can take advantage of Round Zero Offers in many instances. Full details of the opportunities on offer are available from our Guidance Counsellor and our progression document on our website. [www.kinsalecollege.ie](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie)

We have Advanced Entry agreements where our Level 6 graduates can access direct entry to Year 2 of certain degree programmes. Full details of the opportunities on offer at Institutes of Technology are available from our Guidance Counsellor and our progression links document on our website [www.kinsalecollege.ie/links](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie/links)

## Cork Further Education Colleges Scheme (CCPS)

As a Further Education College, Kinsale College is part of a special scheme (CCPS) for admission to Cork Institute of Technology. Under the scheme a number of courses in CIT are linked to some of our courses. CIT reserves a number of places on its linked courses for applicants achieving specified levels and other requirements in your award. Visit [www.cit.ie/ccps](http://www.cit.ie/ccps) for more information. If successful, students will receive an offer through CAO at Round 2 (end of August). To see a full list of courses linked to CIT visit [www.kinsalecollege.ie](http://www.kinsalecollege.ie).

## Mature Students

For the purposes of application to a Higher Education Institution, a mature applicant must be 23 years of age by 1st January in the year of entry. Applications for entry

into year 1 of a full-time undergraduate programme must be made through the CAO by 1st February each year. Each Institution will have a dedicated mature student guide. In general you would be expected to provide a statement of Interest, relevant work experience, skills gained through experiential learning, and other qualifications will be considered in the assessment. Kinsale College Career Guidance service can help you in this process.

## Employment

Strong links are created with employers and companies through the work experience module on all courses. These links have been established throughout the years with high quality student performance, that in turn rewards future students with potential employment. Past students are often successfully employed in what was their work placement during their study.

There is a strong emphasis in the college on entrepreneurship, with many students setting up their own businesses or becoming freelance providers and artists. The college runs workshops on "Start Your Own Business Skills" and endeavours to network students and business to provide opportunities after study. As a QQI award holder, your qualification is recognised across Europe. Ireland has collaborated with other European countries to ensure that qualifications frameworks are connected internationally.

The relationship between the Irish National Framework of Qualifications and the European Qualification Framework (EQF) has been formally established. This means that Irish qualifications and your level 5 & 6 QQI awards from Kinsale College are known and trusted at home and abroad.

College programmes such as Erasmus can also open opportunities to work in companies and businesses abroad.

# STUDENT SUPPORTS & SERVICES

## CAREER GUIDANCE

Students in Kinsale College have access to a Career Guidance Counsellor, whose role is to support and advise students on their educational and career development by providing an understanding, student centered, inclusive service that students are encouraged to use throughout the academic year. The Career Guidance Counsellor can support students in:

- Discovering how to progress to 3rd level with QQI qualifications
- Completing CAO & UCAS application forms
- Study Skills, Time management & Exam preparation
- Exploring career & education options
- Updating CV's & Cover Letter
- College visits and Career events
- Designated information area for careers and progression
- Updates and reminders posted on Facebook and College Moodle pages

The Career Guidance Counsellor will deliver the service through group presentations, workshops & one-to-one meetings by appointment.

## STUDY SUPPORTS

Kinsale College offer an e-learning platform to every student. Every student is set up on Moodle. Teachers upload class notes and activities onto moodle on a regular basis so students can access these notes at home.

Workshops are run every term as part of their tutorials. These range from:

- Basic microsoft word
- Getting started on your assignments
- Study tips

We offer one to one study sessions for any student that feels the need support or guidance. Please let your Teacher or the Director aware of your request.

## KINSALE COLLEGE ... A GREEN CAMPUS

Promoting Biodiversity onsite is our main theme alongside reducing waste levels, energy and water use in the college.

Bat boxes, bird tables, bee & butterfly meadows alongside planting native trees and shrubs and a strong emphasis on producing local organic food onsite helps us achieve our main theme of helping improve biodiversity.

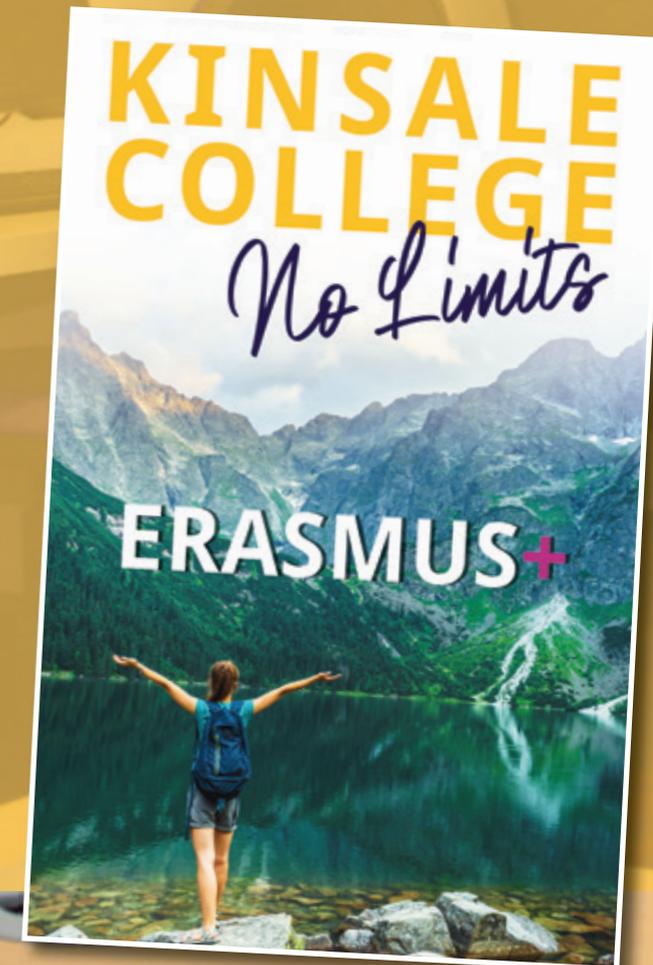
This year Kinsale College will receive it's green flag

## CHILDCARE ASSISTANCE WHILE YOU STUDY

If you are in receipt of social welfare payments or you are undertaking certain Solas or ETB courses, your child may be able to access a childcare place under either the Community Childcare Subvention (CCS) Scheme or the Childcare Employment and Training Support (CETS) scheme.

Under [www.dcy.gov.ie/viewdoc.asp?fn=/documents/childcare/CETSMainPage.htm](http://www.dcy.gov.ie/viewdoc.asp?fn=/documents/childcare/CETSMainPage.htm) Childcare Employment and Training Support (CETS) scheme, you may qualify for a subsidised childcare place for your child. CETS can provide full-time, part-time or after-school childcare places. The CETS scheme is managed by the Department of Children and Youth Affairs (DCYA) via the City and County Childcare Committees. [www.corkchildcare.ie](http://www.corkchildcare.ie)

Please inform the college at time of application if this is a consideration for you.





**Kinsale College**  
**Coláiste Chionn tSáile**

# KINSALE COLLEGE

FURTHER EDUCATION

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