

2 WEEK COURSE FOR TEACHERS OF ENGLISH AT SECONDARY LEVEL

Creative Activities & Motivating Materials for the Secondary Classroom

FOCUS ON IRELAND

BELFAST, NORTHERN IRELAND: SUNDAY 1 OCTOBER – SATURDAY 14 OCTOBER 2017

DRAFT PROGRAMME

DAY & DATE	MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING
SUNDAY 1 OCTOBER			Arrive Belfast
MONDAY 2 OCTOBER	0900- Welcome and Introduction 1000 1000- Illustrated Lecture: 1230 Irish History & Culture	1330- Educational visit to the Northern 1600 Ireland Assembly at Stormont 1600- Walking tour of Belfast 1730	
TUESDAY 3 OCTOBER	0900- Workshop on Teaching English 1230 as a Foreign Language and Advanced Language Practice	1330- Workshop on Teaching English 1630 as a Foreign Language	Optional Traditional Irish Music
WEDNESDAY 4 OCTOBER	0900- Workshop on Teaching English 1230 as a Foreign Language	1330- Workshop on Teaching English 1630 as a Foreign Language	Optional theatre visit
THURSDAY 5 OCTOBER	0900- Workshop on Teaching English 1230 as a Foreign Language	1330- Workshop on Teaching English 1630 as a Foreign Language and New Developments in the English Language	
FRIDAY 6 OCTOBER	0900- Introduction to Education in 1230 Northern Ireland. Workshop on Integrated Education (mixed schools for Protestants & Catholics) at NICIE (Northern Ireland Council for Integrated Education)	1300- Opportunity to visit Ulster 1500 Museum 1500- Lecture: Northern Ireland's 1700 Recent History focusing on The Troubles and The Peace Process	Optional evening in a traditional pub
SATURDAY 7 OCTOBER	0900- Educational visit to Derry 1830 Guided walking tour of Derry focusing on Bloody Sunday & The Aftermath Visit Tower Museum		
SUNDAY 8 OCTOBER	Free for individual research or Optional visit to Ulster Open-Air Folk Museum		
MONDAY 9 OCTOBER	0830- Day visit to a secondary school 1600 Observe lessons and opportunity for discussion with teachers		Optional Traditional Irish Music
TUESDAY 10 OCTOBER	0900- Educational visit to Dublin 1930 Walking Tour. Visit National Museum of Ireland (Archaeology & History)		Optional Murals Tour
WEDNESDAY 11 OCTOBER	0900- Workshop on Oral History/ 1200 Storytelling on the Troubles	1400- Visit City Hall 1500 1500 Optional visit to Titanic Belfast	
THURSDAY 12 OCTOBER	0900- Educational visit to The Giant's Causeway and Antrim Coast 1800		
FRIDAY 13 OCTOBER	0830- Day visit to a secondary school 1600 Observe lessons and opportunity for discussion with teachers 1600- Evaluation Session 1700		
SATURDAY 14 OCTOBER	Depart Belfast		