

Campaí Samhraidh Ógras 2023 Eolas Tábhachtach - Important Information

Le do thoil féach thíos roinnt eolas ginearálta faoi Ógras agus Campaí Samhraidh Ógras, uasdátaithe le heolas tábhachtach faoi champaí 2023 agus conas go mbeidh muid á eagrú le sábháilteacht agus spraoi gach éinne ar intinn.

Rithfidh gach campa i mbliana ar feadh 4.5 uair a chloig sa lá (seachas má luaitear go difriúil): 10rn go 2.30in, Luan go hAoine sa tseachtain chuí, le Turas Lae ar lá amháin san áireamh. 'Sí 7-12 bliain aoisghrúpa gach campa seachas má luaitear go difriúil.

Please see below some general information about Ógras and Ógras Summer Camps, updated with important information about 2023's camps and how we will be organising with everyone's safety and fun in mind.

Each camp this year will run for 4.5 hours daily (unless otherwise stated): 10am to 2.30pm, Monday to Friday of its alotted week, with a Day Trip on one of these days. Camp age group is 7-12 years unless otherwise stated.

Ógras: Cé muid? – Who are we?

Bunaíodh Ógras, Ógeagraíocht Chonradh na Gaeilge i 1969 le deis a thabhairt do dhaoine óga teacht le chéile ag clubanna, campaí agus ócáidí eile ag feidhmiú trí mheán na Gaeilge.

Ógras is the Irish language Youth Organisation founded by Conradh na Gaeilge in 1969 to give young people the opportunity to come together in youth clubs, camps and events run through the medium of Irish.

Fís agus Cuspóirí – Vision and Objectives

Fís:

Eispéireas spraíúil a thabhairt do pháistí agus do dhaoine óga a spreagfaidh meon dearfach i leith foghlaim na Gaeilge trí seirbhís a chur ar fáil ar-líne le foireann cáilithe, le taithí ar obair óige agus múineadh na Gaeilge.

Vision:

To give children and young people a fun experience that will foster a positive attitude towards learning the Irish language by providing an online service with a qualified team, who have experience in youth work and in teaching Irish.

Cuspóirí:

- Spás sábháilte a chur ar fáil do dhaoine óga chun gníomhaíochtaí trí Ghaeilge a chleachtadh i rith an tsamhraidh
- Deis do dhaoine óga Gaeilge a fhoghlaim agus a chleachtadh, agus a bhféinmhuinín i labhairt na Gaeilge a fhorbairt
- Taithí ar réimse leathan d'imeachtaí spraíúil agus spreagúil, trí mheán na Gaeilge
- Deis spraoi agus craic a bheith acu i gcomhluadar páistí eile

Objectives:

- Provide a safe space to young people to practice Irish language activities during the Summer
- To give young people the opportunity to learn and practice the Irish language, and to develop their confidence in their spoken Irish
- Provide experience in a wide range of fun and encouraging activities, through Irish
- To provide young people with an opportunity to have fun and craic with other young people

Imeachtaí - Activities

- Ciorcal Comhrá trí Ghaeilge Irish Language Conversation Circle
- Ceardlainne praiticiúil Practical Workshops
- Ealaín & Ceardaíocht Arts & Crafts
- Toraíocht Taisce *Treasure Hunt*
- Rince agus Ceol Music and Dancing
- Aclaíocht/lóga Exercise/Yoga
- Díospóireacht Debate
- Gníomhaíochtaí maidir le Ceartas Aeráide Climate Justice activities
- Cláir Ógras Ógras Programmes
- Biongó Bingo
- Cluichí Spraíúla Fun Games
- Seó Tallainne Talent Show
- Turas Lae Day Trip
- ... Agus go leor eile And lots more!

Cosaint Leanaí - Child Protection

- Tá ár mhúinteoirí agus ceannairí ardoilte agus ardcháilithe, agus tá gach baill foireann ag obair ag na campaí curtha faoi réamhscrúdú an Gharda Síochána.
- Beidh ar a laghad beirt dhuine fásta i gceannas ar gach seisiún.
- Our teachers and leaders are highly skilled and qualified, and all staff working at the camps are Garda vetted beforehand.
- There will be **at least two adults** in charge of each session



Le bheith leat/réidh agat – What to bring/have prepared

- Ba chóir dos na daoine óga ag Campaí Samhraidh Ógras a bheith gléasta i slí oiriúnach chun aclaíocht/spóirt/rince srl. a dhéanamh, ag caitheamh bróga reatha agus sciath ghréine a bheith curtha orthu roimh an champa mar go mbeidh roinnt ghníomhaíochtaí lasmuigh.
- Seo liosta rudaí gur chóir le gach duine óg ag Campaí Samhraidh Ógras a bheith leo gach lá: Lón pacáilte, cóta fearthainne, athrú stocaí agus bhróga, sciath ghréine, flasc uisce.
- Le do thoil féach thíos do rialacha agus éiteas na gcampaí beidh ort iad seo a léamh agus aontú leo roimh na campaí.
- Young people attending Ógras Summer Camps should be dressed appropriately to participate in exercise/sport/dancing etc., wearing sports shoes have sunscreen applied before arriving at the camp as some activities will take place outside.
- Here is a list of things that every young person attending Ógras Summer Camps should have with them every day: Packed lunch, raincoat, change of shoes and socks, sunscreen, flask of water.
- **Please see below for camp ethos and rules** you will need to have read and agreed to these before the camp.

Éiteas an Champa – Camp Ethos

Children attending the summer camp do not need to be fluent in the Irish Language but should have a basic understanding, and should be studying Irish at school.

Irish is the spoken language of the camps and should be spoken at all times by everyone in attendance.

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It is expected that each member will show respect – to themselves, staff members, other participants and the camp environment – for the duration of the camp.

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We do take photographs at the camps which are used for promotional purposes only. We will not state any members' full names with any of these photographs or pass them on to any third party.

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Bad behaviour, bad language or answering back is not permitted at the camp

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Registration at the camps indicates that all children and parents/guardians have read and understand these rules, and confirm their agreement to adhere to them.

