

DBS Study Abroad Program
Weekend Field Trip
West of Ireland Itinerary



Day One

Upon arrival in Galway, students are given free time to explore the city. Laid-back by day, with picturesque medieval streets and plenty of shopping, the “City of the Tribes” is buzzing by night, with no shortage of great pubs and live music venues.

Day two involves a complete change of scenery with visits to the picturesque Kylemore Abbey, which is surrounded by mountains and lakes where students can explore the stately mansion on the grounds along with Victorian Walled Gardens and the beautiful surroundings on Kylemore Lake.

On day three, students take a short ferry trip to Inis Mór, the largest of the three Aran Islands. The visit includes a bus tour of the island, where local guides explain the history and traditions of this Irish-speaking community. The bus tour finishes with a visit to the ancient Dún Aengus fort, perched atop a sheer cliff-face with beautiful views of the island and the Atlantic.

Back in Galway, students will have free time after dinner to sample the nightlife.

Day four sees the group return to Dublin.