

Féach thall don
leagan Gaeilge

Time for Education

‘Ní hualach don duine an fhoghlaim.’



Is í ár dteanga féin í.
It's our language.



Foras na Gaeilge



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Foras na Gaeilge promotes the Irish language in every aspect of education and we support Irish language learning and its use as a lifelong process.

We are active in many educational initiatives throughout the island through our funding schemes, advisory role and support role in the sector. We are represented on various fora and we make submissions to government fora and committees with educational terms of reference.



Support schemes

Foras na Gaeilge has two major schemes which target the education sector and young people outside of the Gaeltacht. These schemes aim to strengthen the Irish language through a mix of events for young people between 3 and 18 years of age. Up to 170 camps and youth clubs are organised throughout the island every year due to this investment.

› **Summer Camp Scheme**

Funding for non-residential summer camps which run for five days through Irish.

› **Youth Events Scheme**

Funding for a series of youth events (12 sessions minimum) through Irish.





Gael Linn

**CUMANN
na bhFIANN**

Gaeloideachas 
Guth don Oideachas Ián-Ghaeilge agus Gaeltachta

Our team administers annual grants for the Lead Organisations whose main area of activity is education throughout the island of Ireland:

- ▶ **Gael Linn** – Education in the English language sector and adult education, and opportunities for use for school pupils
- ▶ **Cumann na bhFiann** – The development of opportunities for the use of Irish and networks for young people
- ▶ **Gaeloideachas** – Irish medium education/immersion education and Irish medium preschool education

In addition, support is provided to An tÁisaonad which is located on the St Mary's University College campus in Belfast and which provides valuable and innovative resources for the Irish medium education sector.

 **Coláiste Ollscoile
Naomh Muire
Béal Feirste**
An tÁisaonad



gaelbhratach

Gaelbhratach is aimed at promoting the Irish language in primary and post-primary schools to encourage the use of Irish in the classroom and throughout the school. Foras na Gaeilge provides funding to Gael Linn to organise and administer the scheme. A flag is awarded as recognition of the school's work as appropriate.

Gaeltacht Scholarship Scheme

This scheme gives young people, adults and families an opportunity to attend a Gaeltacht course. Up to 600 people avail of these scholarships every year.

Supporting Preschool Education

Every year financial support is provided to community groups through 'The Investment Fund for the Establishment of Preschool and Child Care Provision.' This financial support ensures the provision of early education and the establishment of new crèches.

