



Sligo College of Further Education

Clarion Road, Ballinode, Sligo, F91 DY66

Phone: (071) 914 5480



PROSPECTUS 2021/2022

WELCOME TO SLIGO COLLEGE OF FURTHER EDUCATION

I am delighted to welcome students to Sligo College of Further Education's prospectus. Our aim is to provide Further Education courses of the highest quality to school leavers and adults returning to education. Our tradition and success in this area makes us the pre-eminent provider of Post-Leaving Certificate education in the North West.

Our dedicated and experienced staff are on hand to guide the students through almost 30 courses across the schools of Business & Computing, Health Care & Social Studies, Design, Science, Engineering and Services and Hairdressing & Beauty. All of our programmes are validated by Quality and Qualifications Ireland (QQI), City & Guilds or ITEC and provide a range of learning experiences for our students.

Our modern facilities and close liaison with employers ensure that courses are relevant and up to date. Through our links with Higher Education Institutes and Industry, our courses can facilitate progression or lead directly into the world of work. As well as their qualification, students gain the skills and competencies to prepare them for whatever lies ahead, be it employment or further education.

Studying at Sligo CFE also offers students the opportunity to broaden their horizons. The Erasmus+ Programme offers our students the opportunity of paid work experience abroad. Students can avail of placements in a number of European countries, arranged with employers by the college.

We hope you find all the information you need on our website; we'd also be delighted to welcome you to our Open Days and Evenings throughout the year. Whatever your journey, Sligo CFE can provide the expertise and support to allow you to achieve your goals.

David McGuinness
Principal

CONTENTS

| | |
|--|-----------|
| General Information..... | 1 |
| Courses & Fees | 3 |
| Student Accommodation | 6 |
| Access to Post Primary Teaching | 7 |
| ERASMUS+ with SLIGOCFE..... | 8 |
| Business & Computing | 10 |
| Business Administration | 11 |
| Legal Studies..... | 12 |
| Business Level 6..... | 13 |
| Software Development | 14 |
| Creative Digital Media | 15 |
| Tourism & Event Management | 16 |
| Tourism with Business Level 6..... | 17 |
| Health, Care and Social Studies..... | 18 |
| Applied Social Studies..... | 19 |
| Childcare and Pre-School Education | 20 |
| Childcare Level 6..... | 21 |
| Nursing Studies..... | 22 |
| Healthcare Assistant..... | 23 |
| Complementary Therapies..... | 24 |
| Community Development..... | 25 |
| Design..... | 26 |
| Building Technology and Design..... | 27 |
| Art & Design | 28 |
| Interior Architecture and Design..... | 29 |
| Design | 30 |
| Furniture Making & Design..... | 31 |
| Science / Engineering & Services | 32 |
| Engineering Technology | 33 |
| Occupational Health and Safety..... | 34 |
| Construction Technology with Renewable Energy Systems..... | 35 |
| Animal Care Level 5 Veterinary Assistant..... | 36 |
| Animal Care Level 6..... | 37 |
| Security Studies | 38 |
| Nutrition, Health & Food Science | 39 |
| Hairdressing & Beauty..... | 40 |
| Hairdressing with Makeup Applications..... | 41 |
| Hairdressing [City & Guilds – Year 2]..... | 42 |
| Make-up Artistry..... | 43 |

Open Evenings:

Thursday 25th March 2021 (6-8pm)
Tuesday 31st August 2021

Interview Dates:

Thursday 25th March 2021 (6-8pm)
Monday 24th May 2021
Monday 30th to Friday 3rd Sept 2021

Graduation Ceremony 2021

Thursday 6th May at 3pm
Radisson Blu Hotel,
Ballinacra,
Rosses Point,
Sligo.

Administration Office


Opening Hours
Mon – Fri 8:30am – 5:00pm
Open During Lunch
College Secretary
Ms Noeleen Henry
Ms Aoife Gordon


Sligo CFE Contact Details

Sligo College of Further Education
Clarion Road,
Ballinacra,
Sligo.
F91 DY66

Telephone: 07191 45480
Fax: 07191 41084
Email: sligocfe@msletb.ie/
ballinacracollege@msletb.ie

 @SligoCFE

 Sligo College of Further Education

 sligocfe

 SligoCFE

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location of SligoCFE

SligoCFE is located on the Clarion Road, opposite the Clarion Hotel and adjacent to Sligo Institute of Technology. It is a fifteen minute walk from Sligo rail and bus station and is served by local bus route S1. The N15 is also easily accessible. Benefits of studying at Sligo CFE

- Excellent range of courses
- Internationally recognised qualifications
- Apply directly to SligoCFE (Non CAO Application & free to Apply)
- Minimum entry requirements
- PLC Maintenance Grants available
- Superb resources and facilities
- Stepping stone to employment or further/higher education
- Friendly, inclusive environment
- Committed and experienced staff

Learners at Sligo CFE include

- School leavers
- Mature learners
- Graduates
- International learners
- Second-chance learners
- Recently unemployed
- Learners seeking employment
- Learners seeking to progress to Third Level

Quality and Qualifications Ireland (QQI)

All awards at Sligo CFE are recognised at either Level 5 or 6 on the National Framework of Qualifications. All learners enrolling on courses at Sligo CFE who successfully complete their course of study will receive NFQ Certificates now awarded by QQI.



GENERAL INFORMATION

Other Awarding Bodies

Some SligoCFE courses are accredited by other national and international awarding bodies including: Safepass, PHECC, ITEC and City & Guilds (International Therapy Examination Council)

Guidance and Counselling

This service is available to all learners throughout the year on an individual basis. The Guidance Counsellor is available to discuss all aspects of course work and to assist in future career and course decisions. All counselling and support is offered on a confidential basis.

Students with Disabilities and Special Educational Needs

SligoCFE is committed to providing the best possible learning environment for all our students. We make provision, wherever possible, to facilitate access and participation in the academic courses and student life of SligoCFE. We strive to create an inclusive community where all students are afforded the same opportunities to learn, socialise, participate and progress.

We have a range of supports that put you, the student, at the centre of your academic journey. Supports are provided to allow you to tap into your own abilities and to ensure you reach your academic potential

Learner Code of Conduct

Learners are expected to conduct themselves in a manner appropriate to Further Education. Sligo CFE regulations are broadly based on practices found in the workplace, in terms of attendance, punctuality, treatment of fellow learners and members of staff, work input, study habits, attitude and completion of course work. This includes health and safety awareness and practice.

Learner Facilities

- Lecture Rooms
- Six fully equipped Computer Suites
- Wi-Fi throughout the college
- ISEC Student Cards
- Photocopying Service
- Wheelchair Access
- Science Laboratory
- Construction Workshops
- PLC drop in centre for colour printing
- A dedicated Nursing Room
- Dedicated Design/Architectural Drawing Studio
- Industry Standard Equipment

Work Experience

Work experience is an integral part of all SligoCFE Courses. Learners are encouraged to select work placements that match their career needs. Learners often secure offers of employment following work placement.

Annual Graduation Ceremony

- A highlight of the Sligo CFE Calendar, usually in Early May
- All learners who have completed their course are welcome to attend



FEES

As Sligo CFE is funded by the European Social Fund, there are no tuition fees for EU Nationals. The following course and other Fees apply:

- Students Services Fee (typically €250) to cover such things as photocopying, equipment, licenses etc. However some courses charge additional fees where the cost of materials for that course is higher
- QQI Examination Fee of €50. Some courses have additional examination fees if they are accredited by bodies other than QQI, e.g. City & Guilds or ITEC
- PLC Government Levy of €200. This is an annual levy and learners on PLC courses of more than one year's duration must pay this levy for each year of that course. Details of exemptions for payment of this levy to learners, is shown in the table below
- Learners should budget for extra costs for example textbooks, registration with professional bodies, media consumables and field trips etc. which may be incurred
- The fee payment and refund policy is available at www.sligocfe.ie

| Exemptions: | Medical Card | Grant | BTEA | VTOS |
|----------------------|--------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Student Services Fee | - | - | - | - |
| PLC Government Fee | Exempt | Exempt | Exempt | Exempt |
| QQI Exam Fee | Exempt | - | - | Exempt |

Sources of Financial Support

PLC Maintenance Grant

All applications for grants must be made online to SUSI (Student Universal Support Ireland). Applicants who wish to apply for a PLC Maintenance Grant should first check their eligibility at www.susi.ie.

Back to Education Allowance (BTEA)

This scheme is run by the Department of Social Protection and allows people in receipt of certain social welfare payments to retain those payments whilst participating in full-time further education courses. Further details about the BTEA Scheme are available from Social Welfare: www.welfare.ie or www.studentsfinance.ie

HEA Fund for Learners with Disabilities

The "Fund for Learners with Disabilities" allocates funding to further and higher education colleges for the provision of services and supports to full-time students with disabilities. Applications to the fund are made on behalf of an eligible learner by Sligo CFE.

SLIGO COLLEGE OF FURTHER EDUCATION COURSES & FEES 2021 – 2022

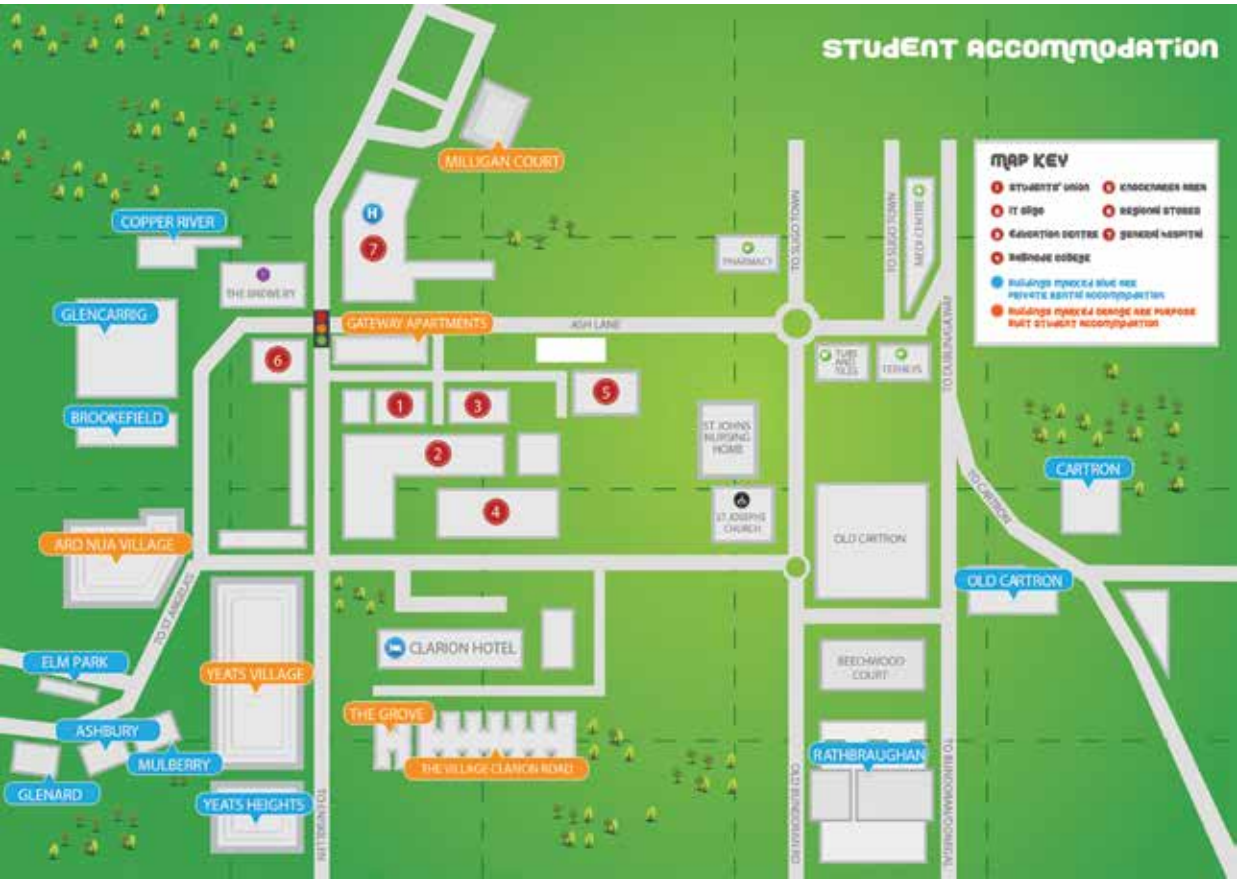
| Please Note (1) Fees are approximate & are subject to change. Refer below for Fee Exemptions & Explanation of Fees. (2) Fees can be paid online at www.sligocfe.ie (3) SligoCFE accepts the following forms of payment: Credit/Debit card, cheque, postal order or bank draft. NO CASH | Paid on Registration | | | Additional Fees Paid on Registration | Paid on Registration (If Applicable) | Total |
|--|----------------------|----------------------|----------|--|---|-------|
| | Course Code | Student Services Fee | Exam Fee | Some courses require extra materials or specialist equipment | PLC Government Levy if applicable See Table Below | |
| Business & Computing | | | | | | |
| Business Administration | 5M2468 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Legal Studies | 5M3789 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Business Level 6 | 6M4985 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Software Development | 5M0529 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Tourism Studies and Event Management | 5M5011 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Tourism with Business Level 6 | 6M5012 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Creative Digital Media | 5M5048 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €600 |
| Health, Care & Social Studies | | | | | | |
| Applied Social Studies | 5M2181 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Childcare and Pre-School Education | 5M2009 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Childcare Level 6 | 6M2007 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Pre-University Nursing | 5M4349 | €250 | €50 | €400 | €200 | €900 |
| Healthcare Assistant | 5M4339 | €250 | €50 | €400 | €200 | €900 |
| Community Development Level 6 | 6M3674 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Complementary Therapies (Physiotherapy Assistant) | 5M4468 | €250 | €50 | €450 | €200 | €950 |

FEES

| Please Note (1) Fees are approximate & are subject to change. Refer below for Fee Exemptions & Explanation of Fees. (2) Fees can be paid online at www.sligocfe.ie (3) SligoCFE accepts the following forms of payment: Credit/Debit card, cheque, postal order or bank draft. NO CASH | | Paid on Registration | | Additional Fees Paid on Registration | Paid on Registration (If Applicable) | Total |
|--|---------------|----------------------|----------|--|--|-------|
| | Course Code | Student Services Fee | Exam Fee | Some courses require extra materials or specialist equipment | PLC Government Levy if applicable See Table Below | |
| Design | | | | | | |
| Building Technology & Design | 5M1940 | €250 | €50 | €50 | €200 | €550 |
| Art & Design (Portfolio Preparation) | 5M1984 | €250 | €50 | €100 | €200 | €600 |
| Interior Architecture & Design | 5M5054 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Design | 5M2208 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Furniture Making & Design | 5M2012 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Science/Engineering & Services | | | | | | |
| Engineering Technology | 5M2061 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Occupational Health & Safety | 5M5010 | €250 | €50 | €50 | €200 | €550 |
| Construction Technology with Renewable Energy | 5M5010 | €250 | €50 | €50 | €200 | €550 |
| Animal Care Level 5 (Veterinary Assistant) | 5M2768 | €250 | €50 | €150 | €200 | €650 |
| Animal Care Level 6 | 6M5153 | €250 | €50 | €150 | €200 | €650 |
| Security Studies | 5M2110 | €250 | €50 | - | €200 | €500 |
| Nutrition, Health & Food Science | 5M5267 | €250 | €50 | €150 | €200 | €650 |
| Hairdressing & Beauty | | | | | | |
| Hairdressing with Makeup Applications (Junior Trades) | 5M3351 | €250 | €50 | €400 | €200 | €900 |
| Hairdressing (C&G - Yr2 / Senior Trades) | City & Guilds | €250 | €50 | €600 | €200 | €1100 |
| Make-up Artistry | 5M5265 | €250 | €50 | €650 | €200 | €1150 |

STUDENT ACCOMMODATION

Finding accommodation can sometimes be a major headache for students. To ensure that you enjoy your experience it's crucial that you make the right decision and choose the accommodation that suits you best. There is a wide range of student accommodation available in Sligo Town and within close proximity to the college. Self-catering apartments, shared student houses and Digs are also available. Please see the attached map for more information or visit www.sligo.ac.ie/student_accommodation_map and follow the links on the page.



ACCESS TO POST PRIMARY TEACHING (APT) PROJECT

SligoCFE has partnered with St. Angela's college, Sligo (NUIG), to offer students on certain courses a direct route to teacher Education Programmes in the following areas;

AS001 – Home Economics & Biology Second Level Teaching

AS002 – Home Economics & Religious Education Second Level Teaching

AS003 – Home Economics & Irish Second Level Teaching

Students from SligoCFE who undertake the following programmes are eligible to apply

- Social Studies – 5M2181
- Nutrition, Health & Food Science – 5M5267
- Childcare & Pre-School Education – 5M2009
- Childcare Level 6 – 6M2007

The Access to Post-Primary Teaching (APT) Project is a three-year joint initiative between the National University of Ireland Galway and St. Angela's College Sligo, which aims to recruit and educate individuals from under-represented groups who are interested in becoming post-primary school teachers. The APT Project is actively reaching out to students who are interested in becoming secondary school teachers, and who are currently completing an approved course of study at SligoCFE.

Student Supports

The APT Project provides a number of pre-entry and post-entry supports for successful QQI-FET entrants.

Post-entry supports for successful QQI-FET entrants include:

- €1000 equipment bursary on entry to Year 1
- €500 School Placement grant for each of the five years of study
- Personal and Academic Liaison (PAL) will be assigned to each student. This is a member of academic staff who will support the student during their studies
- Academic writing and subject specific support throughout their course of study.

Participation

In order to participate in the APT Project, individuals will need to:

- Be eligible for free-fees
- Be currently registered on an approved QQI-FET Level 5/6 course at SligoCFE
- Complete a variety of In-reach activities (based at St. Angela's College) and Out-reach activities (based at your FE provider) throughout the academic year.
- Achieve a QQI-FET major award with 8 distinctions in the year prior to entering St. Angela's
- Be a first-time entrant to Higher Education (i.e. not already have obtained a Bachelor's degree, or higher)
- Meet financial requirements for the SUSI Maintenance Grant, or be in receipt of a Back to Education Allowance.



FOR MORE INFORMATION

For further information on the APT Program, please contact Dr. Andrea Lynch (andrea.lynch@nuigalway.ie) [0871129868] or visit www.stangelas.nuigalway.ie/departments/details

ERASMUS+ WITH SLIGOCFE

The Erasmus+ Programme offers SligoCFE students the opportunity to apply to work abroad (usually for a three week period). Placements will be arranged with employers in the host country with support from SligoCFE. You can experience living in another culture, enjoy travelling, improve language skills, gain a Europass Qualification, add this experience to your CV and get that valuable job. Students will have the opportunity to complete placements in their vocational area in;

- Kempten (Germany),
- Fougères (France),
- Adeje (Tenerife),
- Barcelona (Spain)
- Malaga (Spain)
- Brussels (Belgium)
- Hamelin (Germany)

Placements normally take place during the academic year September-May. If your application to work aboard is successful, you will qualify for a grant towards the cost of the mobility programme including travel, accommodation and living expenses. The amount varies from year to year depending on how many students are participating in the programme. The grant is not means-tested and does not affect students' entitlements to other grants, such as SUSI, Back to Education, etc. The grant amount can vary depending on the host country and the duration of mobility. In addition, you will receive language and cultural preparation prior to departure.

Why should you go on an Erasmus Programme – The Benefits of Erasmus

Experience staying in a country you consider living in the future

Many people have an idea of what it might be like living somewhere else. However, you will never know how you would adapt unless you try it yourself. About 40% of ex-exchange students moved to another country after graduating, and about 93% of exchange students imagine themselves living abroad in the future. So, before committing permanently to living and working in a different country, you can start by going there on Erasmus and see it for yourself.

Taking an internship abroad increases employability

This is one of the main reasons and one of the biggest benefits of Erasmus exchange program. It is proven that an exchange program boosts your CV and helps you stand out in the job market. About 64% of employers consider an international experience to be important for recruitment. Furthermore, an exchange program will provide you soft skills like adaptability, taking initiative and proactivity, which are crucial for future jobs.

Figure out what you want to do with your life



ERASMUS+ WITH SLIGOCFE

Even after starting their academic studies, many students are still unsure what path to choose in the future. One of the benefits of Erasmus is that some situations you may go through or even the work experience you take abroad could give you hints of what you really would like to do with your life. Maybe going on Erasmus will give you business ideas that you can pursue in the future. About 1 in 10 Erasmus trainees have started their own company, and 3 out of 4 plan on doing it in the near future.

Travel around

One of the most popular reasons to go on Erasmus is that you will have the opportunity to get to know new places. Whether you travel in a group or alone, going to different places will show you how big and amazing the world we live in is.

You learn to trust yourself

When you are in an unfamiliar place, far from your comfort zone, you have no option but to learn how to deal with unexpected situations. In these cases, you will have to believe in your capacity to face and solve any problems you might encounter. Despite being quite uncomfortable and sometimes frustrating, you will have more self-confidence and know what to do in the future.

Learning to stick to a budget and balance your finances

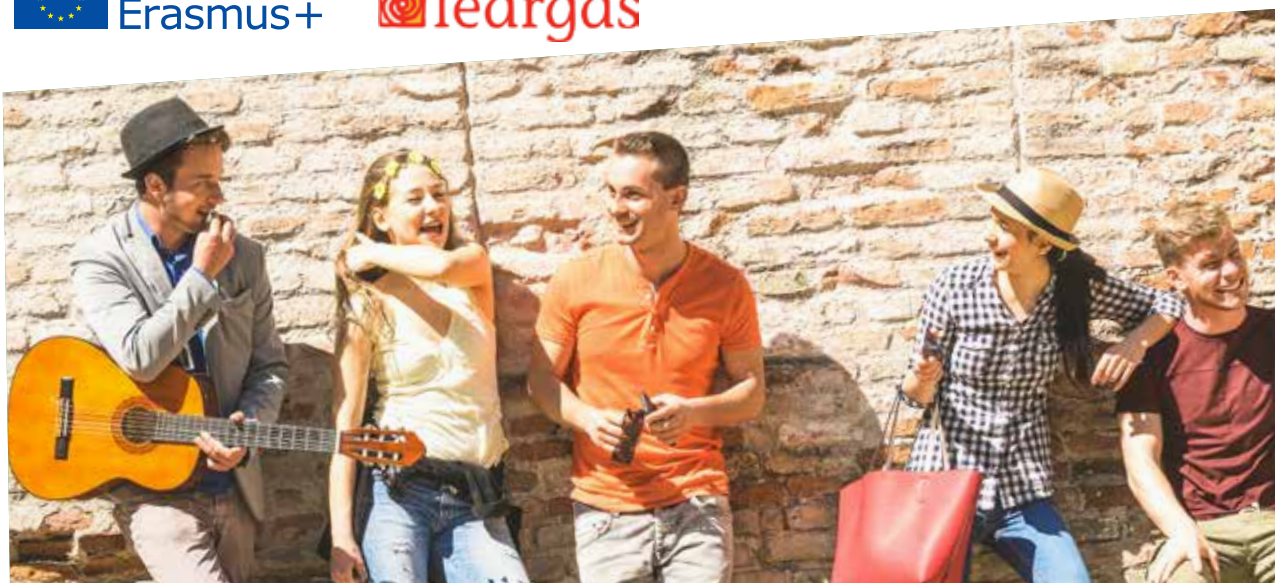
You will be in charge of everything during your stay abroad: shopping for groceries, accommodation and transportation, just to name a few. Although it might be hard at first to cope with everything, you will soon be independent and start doing it like a pro. This experience will definitely prepare you for the future if you plan on living on your own later on.

Gain international and intercultural competencies, as well as cultural awareness

When you start living in a multicultural environment, you will learn a lot from other cultures. Dealing with people from all over the world on a daily basis will eliminate some of the myths about other countries and hopefully any preconceptions you had about different cultures. Dealing with several cultures could help you to be more tolerant and understanding. One of the benefits of Erasmus is exactly that: learn how to be open-minded towards other people.

Make friends that could last you a lifetime

You will get to know people in the same situation as you will be: alone in the unknown and out of their comfort zone. People in such situations tend to rely on each other and join forces to face adversities together. You will create strong bonds with your Erasmus family, and most likely find friendships for life.



Business & Computing



Sharon Dabrowa - Social Studies

I was immediately put at ease when I sat down for an interview for the Applied Social Studies course. It's daunting for any mature student to start a new course. I didn't know what to expect for legal studies but was pleasantly surprised when we had a day trip to Dublin in November for a tour of the law courts. Then two weeks work experience and an opportunity to go abroad. I had the best time in Exeter and studied business start-up and influencers with about forty other students. The trip to Exeter was one of the most enjoyable aspects of the course, besides all the friends that I've made. Overall, I found the teachers are friendly and supportive which gave me a great platform to progress into IT Sligo.



COURSES

- **Business Administration 5M2468**
- **Business Level 6 6M4985**
- **Legal Studies 5M3789**
- **Software Development 5M0529**
- **Creative Digital Media – 5M5048**
- **Tourism and Event Management 5M5011**
- **Tourism with Business Level 6 6M5012**

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

This one year full-time course provides students with the practical skills and knowledge necessary for the dynamic world of business. It is designed to help students develop the essential skills and techniques which form the basis for a career in industry, commerce or the public service. The course comprises both theoretical and practical modules, and students will gain an understanding of both manual and integrated bookkeeping.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Business Administration Skills 5N1610
- Customer Service 5N0972
- Database Methods 5N0783
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Spreadsheet Methods 5N1977
- Word Processing 5N1358
- Book Keeping 5N1354
- Maths 5N1833 (Optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Business Administration (5M2468)

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Career opportunities in the following areas become accessible through the progression routes from this course to third-level colleges. Requirements for progression may change or new progression paths become available. Modules may also need to change to facilitate learner needs.

- Office and Business Administration
- Business
- Accounting
- Marketing
- Tourism

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Graduates may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme can apply to complete their work experience abroad.



DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



LEGAL STUDIES

This one-year full-time course facilitates the learner to demonstrate a broad range of knowledge of the purpose, context and operation of the Irish legal system. This course is designed to help students develop the essential skills and techniques, which form the basis for a career in business, commerce, public service or the legal industry. The course comprises both theoretical and practical modules.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- **Business Law 5N2091**
- Legal Practice and Procedures 5N1394
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Spreadsheet Methods 5N1977
- Business Administration Skills 5N1610
- Word Processing 5N1358
- Customer Service 5N0972
- Maths 5N1833 (Optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Legal Studies (5M3789)

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Career opportunities in the following areas become accessible through the progression routes from this course to third-level colleges. Requirements for progression may change or new progression paths become available. Modules may also need to change to facilitate learner needs.

- Office and Business Administration
- Business
- Accounting
- Marketing
- Tourism
- Legal Profession

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

- Graduates may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme can apply to complete their work experience abroad.



DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Phone: 071-9145480
E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie
Web: www.sligocfe.ie



BUSINESS LEVEL 6

This one year full-time course provides students with the necessary skills for direct entry into a wide range of employment including Banking, Insurance, Commercial, and Service industries, HSE, Public Service and Local Government. Students must have completed a linked QQI Level 5 course. Students will have the opportunity to advance to management and administrative positions within these organisations.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- It is preferable for candidates to have a relevant QQI Level 5 qualification (or equivalent) in a business related area or relevant life experience.
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Business Management 6N4310
- Customer Service 6N0697
- Communications 6N1950
- Work Experience 6N1946
- Spreadsheets 6N4089
- Word Processing 6N4977
- Internet 5N1611
- Web Authoring 6N2532

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Award in Advanced Certificate in Business (6M4985)

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates will be equipped with the necessary skills to work in an enterprise as a manager. The skills acquired will be easily transferrable to any business discipline.

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Graduates may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme. Graduates from this course may also apply for advanced entry straight into second year on a number of business related courses at GMIT.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme can apply to complete their work experience abroad.



DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May. [Three Days per week, Monday to Wednesday].

| FEES | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie

SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT

This one year full-time course aims to enable the learner to design, develop and test software components and systems in a workplace environment, working as a team member under supervision, while contributing to the workflow for the finished product and leading to employment in a range of sectors. This course is designed to provide students with skills and training that will enable them to pursue a career in the computer industry and in particular, in the areas of computer programming and software development.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Software Architecture 5N17803
- Fundamentals of Object Oriented Programming 5N17785
- Maths for Information Technology 5N18396
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Spreadsheet Methods 5N1977
- Web Authoring 5N1910
- Database Methods 5N0783
- Maths 5N1883 [Optional]

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Software Development (5M0529)

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates of this course may gain employment in the following areas;

- Software Development
- Computer Programming
- System Maintenance and Design
- Technical Support
- Business Computing

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Graduates may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme can apply to complete their work experience abroad.



DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Phone: 071-9145480
E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie
Web: www.sligocfe.ie



DIGITAL CREATIVE MEDIA

This one-year full-time course focuses on Digital Media, Game Design, Web Design, Digital Image Processing, Interactive Media Development, UX & UI Design, Digital marketing, Animation and 3D Graphics. Students use these core skills to design and develop, creative and interactive digital media projects. The course introduces students to the following industry standard software: Adobe Creative Suite including Photoshop, After Effects, XD and Premiere for video editing, Unity for game design and Cinema 4D/Blender for 3D. Students also explore third party plug-ins and open-source software. Students have access to the new Digi-Hub containing iMacs, VR glasses, portable green screens and other technology.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate
- Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Games Analysis Design 5N1651
- Image Processing 5N1292
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Web Authoring 5N1910
- Maths 5N1883 (Optional)
- Computer Illustrated Graphics 5N1929
- Communications 5N0690
- Computer 3D Modelling & Animation 5N1603
- Digital Marketing 5N1364

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Creative Media (5M5048)

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates of this course may gain employment in the following areas:

- UX/UI Designer
- Digital Marketing
- Web Developer
- 3D & Game Designer
- Graphic Designer
- Animator

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Graduates may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme have the opportunity to apply to complete their work experience in Barcelona, Brussels or Malaga.

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



TOURISM AND EVENT MANAGEMENT

This one year full-time course provides students with the practical skills and knowledge necessary for the dynamic world of Tourism and Event Management. This course is designed to help students develop the essential skills and techniques which form the basis for a career in tourism, business or the hospitality industry. The course comprises both theoretical and practical modules, and students will gain an understanding of business and marketing.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Spreadsheet Methods 5N1977
- Tourism Information & Administration 5N0636
- Tourism Principles & Practice 5N2078
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Web Authoring 5N1910
- Marketing Practice 5N1400
- Event Production 5N1374
- Maths 5N1833 (Optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Tourism with Business (5M5011)

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates from this course can gain employment in a wide variety of business and tourism related industries including;

- Office and Business Administration
- Marketing
- Bord Fáilte
- Hotel Management

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Graduates may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme can apply to complete their work experience abroad.



DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



TOURISM WITH BUSINESS LEVEL 6

This one year full-time course provides students with the necessary skills for direct entry into a wide range of employment including Banking, Insurance, Commercial, and Service industries, HSE, Public Service and Local Government. Students must have completed a linked QQI Level 5 course. Students will have the opportunity to advance to management and administrative positions within these organisations. This course is designed to help students develop the essential skills and techniques which form the basis for a career in industry, tourism, commerce or the public service.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- It is preferable for candidates to have a relevant QQI Level 5 qualification (or equivalent) in a business related area or relevant life experience.
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Tourism Policy & Practice 6N2106
- Business Management 6N4310
- Customer Service 6N0697
- Communications 6N1950
- Work Experience 6N1946
- Word Processing 6N4977
- The Internet 5N1611
- Web Authoring 6N2532

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Award in Tourism with Business (6M5012)

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates from this course may gain employment in marketing, advertising and business as a manager. The skills acquired will be easily transferrable to any business discipline.

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Graduates may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme. Graduates from this course may also apply for advanced entry straight into second year on a number of business related courses at GMIT.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme can apply to complete their work experience abroad.



Erasmus+

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May. [Three Days per week, Monday to Wednesday].

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



Health, Care & Social Studies



Eva Heneghan - Nursing

I studied Pre-University Nursing at SligoCFE. My time at SligoCFE was nothing but a positive experience. I learned so much in such a short space of time. I completed two weeks of work experience in Sligo University hospital. This work experience made me realise that I was definitely going to pursue a career in Nursing. I also received a once in a life-time opportunity when I was completed my second round of work experience abroad. I spent my second work experience in France for two weeks and I loved every minute of it. I am now a more confident person and I got to experience a different culture and healthcare system. I am now very eager to work abroad as a Nurse when I become qualified.

I moved away from home to study at SligoCFE. Since moving, I have made new friends for life. If I encountered any problems during my time there, my tutors have always been on-hand to provide support. If you are interested in completing a Nursing Studies course, I would highly recommend applying to SligoCFE. The quality of teaching and the skills that I received have been excellent and will stand to me for the rest of my life.

COURSES

- Applied Social Studies 5M2181
- Childcare & Pre School Education 5M2009
- Childcare Level 6 - 6M2007
- Community Development 6M3674
- Complementary Therapies (Physiotherapy Assistant) 5M4468
- Healthcare Assistant 5M4339
- Pre-University Nursing 5M4349

APPLIED SOCIAL STUDIES

Applied Social Studies will introduce you to the theory and practice of the key areas of social studies and social care. This is the ideal starting point if you wish to progress to further studies or gain employment in a variety of community, health and educational organisations. The course is designed to enable students explore the theory and practice of the key areas of social studies by addressing a wide range of social issues. It also enables students evaluate the need for care in society and develop an understanding of care provision in the public, private and voluntary sectors.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Social Studies 5N1370
- Psychology 5N0754
- Intercultural Studies 5N0765
- Communications – 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Legal Practice & Procedures 5N1394
- Health & Safety 5N1794
- Creative Arts 5N1769
- Maths 5N1833 (Optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Applied Social Studies (5M2181)

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme. Students on this course are eligible for the access to Post Primary (APT) programme in St. Angela's / NUIG. A limited number of places on their teaching courses are offered based on QQI PLC results.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the course may gain employment in a wide variety of organisations such as;

- Residential centres
- Refuge hostels
- Family support services
- Educational organisations
- Community support projects

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



CHILDCARE & PRE-SCHOOL EDUCATION

Childcare & Pre-School Education will introduce you to the theory and practice of the key areas of childcare. This is the ideal starting point if you wish to progress to further studies or gain employment in a variety of childcare settings. The course is designed to enable students explore Childhood Care and Education with a view to re-skilling / up-skilling and exploring concepts and subject areas that may interest the learner in future programmes or employment. It will also facilitate the learner to acquire the knowledge, skill & competence to work independently and under supervision in a range of ECCE settings and or to progress to higher education and training.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied, or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Child Development 5N1764
- Child Health & Wellbeing 5N1765
- Creative Arts for Early Childhood 5N1769
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Early Childhood Education & Play 5N1773
- Early Care and Education Practice 5N1770
- Nutrition 5N2006
- Maths 5N1833 [Optional]

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Early Childhood Care & Education [5M2009]

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the course may gain employment in a wide variety of organisations such as;

- Community Childcare
- Montessori
- Private Childcare
- Crèches

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Graduates may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme. Students on this course are eligible for the access to Post Primary (APT) programme in St. Angela's / NUIG. A limited number of places on their teaching courses are offered based on QQI PLC results.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme have the opportunity to apply for a three-week work experience placement in Kempton, Germany or Fougères, France.

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



Erasmus+

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



CHILDCARE LEVEL 6

This course is essential for any student wishing to further their career in Childcare to a supervisory level. All ECCE room leaders must have a minimum QQI Level 6 Major Award in Early Childhood Care and Education. This course equips learners with an interactive skills based learning experience, while providing the necessary training ECCE room leaders require.

Collaborative practices form an integral feature of this course. Many practical activities are completed collaboratively with digital media technology, enabling all learners to help prepare future generations become digital citizens.

SligoCFE has established unique academic links with Sligo Institute of Technology to offer the opportunity to successful candidates to progress to degree level.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied, or equivalent.
- It is preferable for candidates to have a relevant QQI Level 5 qualification (or equivalent) in the childcare area, or relevant life experience.
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome.

COURSE CONTENT

- Child Development 6N1942
- Early Childhood Curriculum 6N1944
- Childhood Social Legal and Health Studies 6N1945
- Child Psychology 6N2023
- Communications 6N1950
- Work Experience 6N1946
- Early Childhood Arts & Culture 6N1936
- Internet 5N1611

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Award in Early Childhood Care & Education (6M2007)

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme have the opportunity to apply for a three-week work experience placement in Kempten, Germany or Fougères, France.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the course may gain employment in a wide variety of organisations such as community childcare, Montessori and crèches

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May. [Three Days per week, Monday to Wednesday].

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



Erasmus+

FOR MORE INFORMATION
 Phone: 071-9145480
 E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie
 Web: www.sligocfe.ie



NURSING STUDIES

Students on this one-year programme will gain practical experience in healthcare clinical settings which, combined with an insight into theories relating to the nursing profession, will enable them to deliver high standards of care. Furthermore, this course will facilitate progression to third-level Nursing and Healthcare programmes. The course is designed to combine aspects of nursing theory and practical aspects of clinical nursing experience. Students are afforded the opportunity to explore and gain entry to the different programmes leading to registration with the Nursing & Midwifery Board of Ireland and Northern Ireland, English & Scottish Nursing & Midwifery Boards.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied, or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Anatomy & Physiology 5N0749
- Human Growth & Development 5N1279
- Care Support 5N0758
- Care Skills 5N2770
- Communications 5N0690
- Nursing Theory & Practice 5N3425
- Nutrition 5N2006
- Work Experience 5N1356
- First Aid Response
- People Manual Handling
- Certification in Children First Training
- CAO/UCAS Preparation
- Maths 5N1833 [Optional]
- Safety & Health at Work – 5N1794

HOW THE COURSE IS TAUGHT

SligoCFE has developed a style of teaching to meet the demands of a diverse community of learners.

- Learners develop skills of analysis, critical thinking, problem solving and reflective practice
- We make extensive use of advanced multimedia and internet based technologies to bring subject matter to life and to ensure effective learning.
- Regulated Clinical Placements (Work Experience)
- Vital learning supports are tailored to the needs of the individual learners
- Career guidance assistance re UCAS & CAO

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Nursing Studies [5M4349]

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme. This course is linked to the majority of Nursing Colleges in Ireland. The number of places available are restricted. Check with the Admissions office of individual institutions for further details.

This course is considered for entry to Nursing Colleges in the U.K. Several of these colleges visit SligoCFE each year.

Students may also have the opportunity to progress to a variety of health-related fields e.g. Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy, Radiotherapy, Psychology & Paramedics.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme have the opportunity to apply for a three-week work experience placement in France or Spain.

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| ADDITIONAL COURSE FEES: | €400 |
| TOTAL: | €900 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



Erasmus+

HEALTHCARE ASSISTANT

A Healthcare Assistant supports existing staff in a hospital or care setting in the practical care and general welfare of clients. They play a vital role in the care team. Career opportunities are excellent, as many care settings require prospective employees to hold relevant certification such as this one. The course will allow you to develop the necessary skills and training to enable you to seek employment in the healthcare sector. This course is compulsory in order to gain employment as a care assistant.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Care Support 5N0758
- Safety & Health at Work 5N1794
- Care Skills 5N2770
- Communications – 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Anatomy & Physiology 5N0749
- Human Growth & Development 5N1279
- Care of the Older Person 5N2706
- Nursing Theory & Practice 5N4325
- Occupational First Aid 5N1207
- People Manual Handling
- Maths 5N1833 (Optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Healthcare Support (5M4339)

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Hospitals
- Day Care Centres
- Residential Homes
- Home Care Assistants
- Nursing Homes

PLEASE NOTE

- At registration students will be requested to complete documentation in order to successfully pass a Garda vetting process before they commence work experience.

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme have the opportunity to apply for a three-week work experience placement in France or Spain.

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| ADDITIONAL COURSE FEES: | €400 |
| TOTAL: | €900 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



Erasmus+

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



COMPLEMENTARY THERAPIES (PHYSIOTHERAPY ASSISTANT)

This course is designed to equip students with a range of practical skills and theoretical knowledge required to work under supervision in the Complementary Therapy and Physiotherapy Assistant industry. Students may progress to further education in this specialist area or in the health sciences. Students receive hands-on experience in treatments which encourage general health and well-being in an applied learning environment.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Anatomy & Physiology 5N0749
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Body Massage & Figure Analysis 5N3465
- Reflexology 5N5371
- Customer Service 5N0972
- Physiotherapy Assistant Practice 5N3770
- Physiotherapy Assistant Theory 5N3771
- Sports First Aid
- Nutrition 5N2006
- Anatomy & Physiology - ITEC
- Professional Conduct & Business Awareness - ITEC
- Massage - ITEC
- Reflexology - ITEC

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

The most up-to-date information on Higher Education Links is located at the CAO website.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates may pursue employment in the following areas:

- Physiotherapist Assistant
- Leisure Centres
- Health Spas
- Salons
- Sports Clubs
- Care Settings for various client groups

DURATION

This is a full-time one year course and runs from September to May. (Monday to Thursday).

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme have the opportunity to apply for a three-week work experience placement in Tenerife or Malaga.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| ADDITIONAL COURSE FEES: | €450 |
| TOTAL: | €950 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Community development seeks to empower communities and works across a range of services including counselling, information and advice, advocacy and support. This course will facilitate the learner to demonstrate knowledge of a range of perspectives of Community Development and of policies, procedures and best practice guidelines that support the delivery of effective community work. It is designed to equip learners with the range of skills and knowledge to implement and deliver community development programmes that adhere to the key community development principles of empowerment, participation and collective decision-making.

This course is aimed at those who wish to develop competencies and skills that will enable them to enter careers in development and social inclusion work. This is the ideal starting point if you wish to progress to further studies or gain employment in a variety of community, health and educational organisations.

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO

- Enable students to explore the theory and practice of the key areas of community development by addressing a wide range of community and social issues.
- Enable students to evaluate the need for community development in society and develop an understanding of community organisations and voluntary sectors.
- To enable the learner to acquire the knowledge, skill and competence to work as an autonomous practitioner and or take responsibility for the work of others in leading and coordinating the provision of quality community development.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied, or equivalent.
- It is preferable for candidates to have a relevant QQI Level 5 qualification (or equivalent) in a social / community related area or relevant life experience.
- Interview.
- Mature applicants welcome.

COURSE CONTENT

- Action Research 6N3665
- Community Development Practice 6N3667
- Community Development Theory 6N3668
- Conflict Management 6N2775
- Work Experience 6N1946
- Leadership 6N2191
- Group Work Theory & Practice 6N3669
- Social Analysis 6N3666

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Advanced Certificate in Community Development 6M3674

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Students who successfully complete the course may gain employment in a wide variety of organisations such as residential centres, family support services, educational organisations & community support projects.

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May. (Three Days per week, Monday to Wednesday).

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480


E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie

Design



Mary Bridget Gallagher - Art and Design



My year in SligoCFE studying Art and Design was the perfect step after the Leaving Certificate. The focus of the course is on helping the students to develop their creativity and produce a good quality portfolio. I learned so many new skills in the past year and all the teachers are so encouraging. It is clear they really want to help me grow as an artist! Through the course, I spent three weeks in Tenerife on work experience, helping create floats for the annual Tenerife Carnival. It was very hands on and an amazing opportunity. This course has opened my eyes to what "Art" is all about and I would thoroughly recommend it to anyone thinking about a career in art. My goal is to be a visual artist and thanks to SligoCFE I now know that I can achieve it.

COURSES

- Building Technology & Design 5M1940
- Art and Design 5M1984
- Interior Architecture and Design 5M5054
- Design 5M2208
- Furniture Making and Design 5M2012

BUILDING TECHNOLOGY & DESIGN

This course is relevant to students wishing to pursue a career in Architectural Technology / Building Design / Building Management. Preparation of students for suitability tests and the preparation of portfolios for Architecture Courses are strong features of the course. This course is designed to develop the necessary skills and techniques of Computer Aided Draughting, Building Construction and Design.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Computer Aided Draughting (2D) 5N1604
- Design Skills 5N0784
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Architectural Drawing 5N1558
- Building Construction 5N1570
- Safety & Health at Work 5N1794
- Drawing 5N1862
- Renewable Energy Systems 5N4975
- Mathematics 5N1833 (optional)
- Safepass course

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Graduates may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Career opportunities in the following areas become accessible through the progression routes from this course to third-level colleges. Requirements for progression may change or new progression paths become available. Modules may also need to change to facilitate learner needs.

- Architectural Technology
- Construction Architectural Technology
- Civil Engineering
- Quantity Surveying
- Industrial Engineering
- Construction Studies.

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Computer Aided Design (5M1940)

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| SAFEPASS COURSE: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €550 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Phone: 071-9145480
E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie
Web: www.sligocfe.ie



ART & DESIGN

This course involves practical studio and location work. It enables students to develop drawing and observational skills and to explore creativity and personal expression through a broad range of creative processes including Sculpture, Mixed Media, Printmaking, Painting and Drawing. All projects are broad enough to allow students to develop a portfolio suitable to their particular interests – Fine Art, Design, Animation etc. Visits to various art gallery's throughout Ireland take place during the college term to inform, develop and stimulate the students' knowledge of the arts. Work experience takes place throughout the year. It involves two weeks of work placement, artist's talks and weekly tutorials.

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO

- Prepare participants for entry to Higher Education colleges.
- Develop and complete a portfolio of Art & design.
- Prepare learners to acquire a comprehensive range of skills in art, crafts & design.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Design Skills 5N0784
- Drawing 5N1862
- Sculpture 5N1918
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Painting 5N1302
- Print Making 5N1373
- Combined Materials 5N0764

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Art, Craft and Design [5M1984].

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

DURATION

This is full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme have the opportunity to apply for a three-week work experience placement in Tenerife.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| COURSE MATERIALS: | €100 |
| TOTAL: | €600 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



INTERIOR ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN

This course aims to equip students with the knowledge, skills and understanding required to work effectively in the area of Interior Design. The course aims to develop technician level skills in Interior Design and provides learners with the key skills to undertake residential and commercial interior design projects. This course offers a broad training relevant to employment in a large number of areas that require knowledge, awareness and skills in the design and furnishing of interior spaces.

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO

- Develop design solutions to match briefs for clients
- Allow the student to develop skills in the use of a variety of materials from timber to furnishings.
- Allow the individual learner design his/her own pieces, interiors and mood boards
- Prepare learners for third level courses in Design and Architecture.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Design Skills 5N0784
- Drawing 5N1862
- Safety & Health at Work 5N1794
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Colour & Light 5N1919
- Architectural Drawing 5N1558
- Veenering & Marquetry 5N1365
- Computer Aided Draughting (2D) 5N1604
- Maths 5N1833 (Optional)⁴

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Interior Design (5M5054).

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates from this course can pursue career opportunities through the progression routes to third level colleges in;

- Architectural Technology
- Civil Engineering
- Interior Design
- Engineering
- Construction Studies

DURATION

This is full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



DESIGN

This very practical course has been designed to develop the creative craft skills of learners who want to design, manufacture and produce their own creative designs. It is aimed at learners who have a flair for arts and crafts, but also want to gain the knowledge, skills and competencies to start their own business and sell the products they produce.

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO

- Prepare participants for entry to Higher Education colleges.
- Develop and complete a portfolio of design based project work.
- Prepare learners to acquire a comprehensive range of skills in creative crafts & Interior design.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Design Skills 5N0784
- Drawing 5N1862
- Safety & Health at Work 5N1794
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Colour & Light 5N1919
- Architectural Drawing 5N1558
- Veenering & Marquetry 5N1365
- Computer Aided Draughting (2D) 5N1604
- Maths 5N1833 (optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Interior Design (5M5054).

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

DURATION

This is full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



FURNITURE MAKING AND DESIGN

This course aims to equip students with the knowledge, skills and understanding required to work effectively in the areas of design, carpentry, joinery and the construction industry. You will learn to design and make original pieces of furniture for use in the home or public buildings. You will experience the satisfaction of turning your own ideas into reality through the use of wood and other materials.

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO

- Develop the design and woodworking skills required to work in the furniture industry.
- Allow the learner progress from a basic level of woodworking skills to a thorough knowledge of the hand and machinery skills required to produce a variety of pieces of furniture.
- Allow the individual to design and make his/her own pieces of furniture using an extensive range of furniture tools. The learner will work with the highest grades of solid timbers e.g. Elm, Oak, Walnut, Cherry etc.
- Prepare learners for apprenticeships or third level courses in furniture, design or construction..

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Design Skills 5N0784
- Drawing 5N1862
- Furniture Making 5N1275
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Wood Turning 5N1360
- Architectural Drawing 5N1558
- Veenering & Marquetry 5N1365
- Computer Aided Draughting (2D) 5N1604
- Maths 5N1833 (optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Furniture Design (5M2012).

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme eg GMIT Letterfrack.

APPRENTICESHIPS

Students can progress on to a variety of woodwork related apprenticeships

DURATION

This is full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



FOR MORE INFORMATION
 Phone: 071-9145480
 E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie
 Web: www.sligocfe.ie

Science, Engineering & Services

Meghan McHugh - Mature Student. Year 2019-2020

At all stages, the dedicated teaching staff were very supportive to students and the modules offered were of a very high standard.



The optional maths module for this course is also very relevant, leading to many more opportunities for third-level education courses.

During the course of the year, I sought advice from our career guidance counsellor as to the different career paths I might choose. I also spoke regularly to our teachers and carried out my own research. I can safely speak for many of us who decided upon this particular course in Nutrition, Health and Food Science, when I say that it has greatly influenced our views on the particular academic path to pursue going into third level education.

If you're uncertain about which course or which career to pursue, if you're not sure about science and would like to be certain, this is the course for you.

COURSES

- **Engineering Technology - 5M2061**
- **Occupational Health & Safety - 5M5010**
- **Construction Technology with Renewable Energy Systems - 5M5010**
- **Animal Care Level 5 (Veterinary Assistant) - 5M2768**
- **Animal Care Level 6 - 6M5153**
- **Security Studies 5M2110**
- **Nutrition, Health & Food Science - 5M5267**

ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

This course may be of interest to students who are considering pursuing a degree in Engineering. It is also of particular relevance to those who require a science subject or Mathematics to progress to further study.

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO

- Prepare participants for entry to Higher Education Colleges e.g. IT Sligo
- Gain practical competence in good work practices including adherence to health and safety in an engineering workshop environment.
- Common measuring and inspection techniques used in the engineering industry.
- The properties of engineering materials and be aware of common machining methods.
- The use of a range of tools and equipment (e.g. milling machine, lathe, drilling machine as well a variety of other measuring and hand tools).

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Safety & Health at Work 5N1974
- Computer Aided Draughting (2D) 5N1604
- Motor Vehicle Theory 5N2144
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Materials Science 5N1637
- Engineering Workshop Theory 5N2136
- Engineering Workshop Processes 5N1608
- Maths 5N1833

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Engineering Technology (5M2061).

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme have the opportunity to apply for a three-week work experience placement in Kempten, Germany.

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

DURATION

This is full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



Erasmus+

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Phone: 071-9145480
E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie
Web: www.sligocfe.ie



OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY

This course may be of interest to students who are considering pursuing a degree in Construction Technology which emphasis placed on Occupational Health & Safety. The course is designed to prepare participants for entry to Higher Education Colleges, gain practical competence in good work practices including adherence to health and safety procedures in the workplace and allow the learner to develop the ability to exercise initiative in construction technology.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Building Construction 5N1570
- Safety & Health at Work 5N1974
- Anatomy & Physiology 5N0749
- Renewable Energy Systems 5N4975
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Materials Science 5N1637
- Computer Applications 4N1112
- Information Technology Skills 4N1125
- Safepass Course
- Maths 5N1833 (Optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Construction Technology (5M5010).

HOW THE COURSE IS TAUGHT

- SligoCFE has developed a style of teaching to meet the needs of a diverse community of learners. Whenever possible, we use a Learn-by-Doing approach to make the learning experience more realistic and enjoyable. We provide learning supports that are tailored to meet the needs of individual learners..

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Graduates can obtain employment in both the construction and the renewable energy fields completing roles in wind energy, solar power and energy efficiency.

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

- Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.
- The most up-to-date information on Higher Education Links is located at the CAO website.

DURATION

This is full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| SAFEPASS COURSE: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €550 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



CONSTRUCTION TECHNOLOGY WITH RENEWABLE ENERGY SYSTEMS

This course may be of interest to students who are considering pursuing a degree in Construction Technology which emphasis placed on Renewable Energy. It is also of particular relevance to those who have an interest in Health and Safety or for those who wish to progress to further study. The course is designed to prepare participants for entry to Higher Education Colleges, gain practical competence in good work practices including adherence to health and safety procedures in the workplace and allow the learner to develop the ability to exercise initiative in construction technology.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Building Construction 5N1570
- Safety & Health at Work 5N1974
- Anatomy & Physiology 5N0749
- Renewable Energy Systems 5N4975
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Materials Science 5N1637
- Computer Applications 4N1112
- Information Technology Skills 4N1125
- Safepass Course
- Maths 5N1833 (Optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Construction Technology (5M5010).

HOW THE COURSE IS TAUGHT

- SligoCFE has developed a style of teaching to meet the needs of a diverse community of learners. Whenever possible, we use a Learn-by-Doing approach to make the learning experience more realistic and enjoyable. We provide learning supports that are tailored to meet the needs of individual learners.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Graduates can obtain employment in both the construction and the renewable energy fields completing roles in wind energy, solar power and energy efficiency.

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme eg GMIT Letterfrack.

DURATION

This is full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| SAFEPASS COURSE: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €550 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



ANIMAL CARE LEVEL 5 (VETERINARY ASSISTANT)

This course may be of interest to students who are considering pursuing a degree in Veterinary Nursing and animal care. It is also of particular relevance to those who have an interest in setting up their own Animal Grooming business or for those who wish to progress to further study. The course is designed to prepare participants for entry to Higher Education Colleges and to gain practical competence in good work practices including an adherence to health and safety procedures in the workplace and animal welfare.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Animal Welfare 5N0753
- Animal Anatomy & Physiology 5N0750
- Safety & Health at Work 5N1974
- Customer Service 5N0972
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Animal Grooming 5N0752
- Biology 5N2746
- Maths 5N1833 (Optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Animal Care (5M2768).

HOW THE COURSE IS TAUGHT

- SligoCFE has developed a style of teaching to meet the needs of a diverse community of learners.
- Whenever possible, we use a Learn-by-Doing approach to make the learning experience more realistic and enjoyable.
- We provide learning supports that are tailored to meet the needs of individual learners.
- Regular field trips and the handling of a wide variety of animals are key features of this course..

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates may seek employment in: veterinary clinics, dog grooming parlours, pet shops, catteries/dog kennels, animal welfare organisations, agricultural, science industries, farms (including petting farms), zoos, wildlife parks, and self-employment.

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

- Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.
- Graduates may also progress to the Level 6 QQI Advanced Certificate in Animal Care in SligoCFE.

DURATION

This is full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| ADDITIONAL COURSE FEES: | €150 |
| TOTAL: | €650 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



ANIMAL CARE LEVEL 6

This course is designed to equip learners with the knowledge and the skills to work in a variety of areas within the Animal Health Care sector, or to progress to Higher Education through the Higher Education Links Scheme. Learners will study core areas of Animal Health Care and are enabled to put theory into practice through experiential learning. Regular field trips and the handling of a wide variety of animals are key features of this course.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Level 5 QQI Award in Animal Care (Veterinary Assistant)
- Interview
- Mature applicants with relevant experience welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Animal Science & Health 6N5565
- Animal Behaviour 6N5568
- Humans, Animals & Society 6N5569
- Large Animal Husbandry 6N5567
- Work Experience 6N1946
- Animal Grooming 6N6226
- Grooming Science 6N6227
- Leadership 6N2191

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 6 Award in Animal Care (6M5153).

HOW THE COURSE IS TAUGHT

- SligoCFE has developed a style of teaching to meet the needs of a diverse community of learners.
- Whenever possible, we use a Learn-by-Doing approach to make the learning experience more realistic and enjoyable.
- We provide learning supports that are tailored to meet the needs of individual learners.
- Regular field trips and the handling of a wide variety of animals are key features of this course.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates may seek employment in: veterinary clinics, dog grooming parlours, pet shops, catteries/dog kennels, animal welfare organisations, agricultural, science industries, farms (including petting farms), zoos, wildlife parks, and self-employment.

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

DURATION

This is full-time one-year course and runs from September to May (Three Days per week, Monday to Wednesday).

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| ADDITIONAL COURSE FEES: | €150 |
| TOTAL: | €650 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



SECURITY STUDIES

This course allows students to acquire the necessary knowledge and skills to pursue a career in private security, the uniformed services and the following related areas: Garda Síochána, Defence Forces, Prison Services and Fire Services. This course is designed to provide participants wishing to make a career in the private security industry or the uniformed services with a thorough grounding in the legal and practical dimensions of security.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied, or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome
- This course requires participants to be Garda vetted. Continued participation on the course and work placement is dependent on the successful completion of this process

COURSE CONTENT

- Security Industry Procedures 5N1785
- Legal Practice and Procedures 5N1394
- Safety and Health at Work 5N1794
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Information Communication Systems 5N1952
- Communications 5N0690
- Event Production 5N1374
- Door Security Procedures 4N1114
- Guarding Skills 4N1118
- Maths 5N1833 (Optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Security Studies (5M2110). This qualification is recognised by the Security Institute of Ireland and the PSA.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Garda Síochána
- Retail Security
- Defence Forces
- Fire Services
- Prison Services
- Security Guarding

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

- Students who successfully complete this course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.
- Students are eligible to apply to PSA for license for Door Security and Static Guarding. This licence may be used for gaining employment abroad.

DURATION

This is full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| TOTAL: | €500 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



NUTRITION, HEALTH & FOOD SCIENCE

This Nutrition, Health & Food Science course is aimed at students who want to develop their knowledge of Nutrition, Health Promotion & Food Science. The applied nature of this programme focuses on the relationship between food and health and the study of food from a scientific view. This course provides successful students with the knowledge, competency and entry requirements necessary to access Science based programmes at Universities and Third level colleges. The course also provides students with the necessary skills to gain employment in the food industry. The course is designed to prepare participants for specialised degree programmes in Higher Education Colleges: e.g. IT Sligo & St. Angela's College. Enable the learner to acquire the knowledge, skills and competence to independently and under supervision analyse, quantify and report on the physical, chemical and biochemical nature of foods and the principles of Nutrition, Health Promotion & Food Technology. This course also provides students with a route to Home Economics Teacher training in St. Angela's College through the APT programme.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied, or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Nutrition & Health Promotion 5N2006
- Human Anatomy & Physiology 5N0749
- Microbiology 5N0737
- Food Processing 5N5245
- Food Chemistry 5N2748
- Food Safety & HACCP 5N5266
- Communications 5N0690
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Maths 5N1833 (Optional)

CERTIFICATION

QQI Level 5 Award in Food Science (5M5267).

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Career opportunities in the following areas become accessible through the progression routes from this course to third-level colleges.

- Nutrition & Health Promotion
- Home Economics Teaching
- Health Science & Physiology
- Medical Biotechnology
- Pharmaceutical Science
- Agri-Food Science
- Food & Business Management
- Culinary Arts

PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Students who successfully complete the course may gain entry to Third Level Institutes and Colleges through the QQI Higher Education Links Scheme.

DURATION

This is full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| ADDITIONAL COURSE FEES: | €150 |
| TOTAL: | €650 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



Hairdressing and Beauty



Karolina Keogh - Hairdressing

I came to SligoCFE as a mature student and mother of a newborn, seeking a change of career. I was initially apprehensive about coming back to full-time education but it turned out to be a great decision to attend SligoCFE. The second year at the college has a Senior Trades and the internationally recognised City & Guilds qualification, which is great for opening doors for employment opportunities. The PLC teachers were amazing, led by our coordinators Peter and Gemma. Their professionalism in teaching and passing on their valuable knowledge is to the highest standard. I absolutely loved the course and enjoyed every minute at SligoCFE. The only regret I have is that I did not do it sooner!



COURSES

- **Hairdressing with Makeup Applications 5M3351**
- **Hairdressing Year2 (City and Guilds and Senior Trades)**
- **Makeup Artistry - 5M5265**

HAIRDRESSING WITH MAKEUP APPLICATIONS

This is a one year course which consists of intensive training in the skills and education required for the Hairdressing Industry with the option to continue for a further year to a higher level of hairdressing in SligoCFE. Training is provided in the fully-equipped College hairdressing salon. Our work experience programme offers students the opportunity to further develop their skills in selected and approved hairdressing salons. This course is designed to equip the learner with the knowledge and practical skills required for a career as a trainee hairdresser. It is the perfect induction to the basics in hairdressing and can open a world of opportunities.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied or equivalent
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Creative Styling 5N3349
- Safety & Health at Work 5N1794
- Customer Service 5N0972
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Makeup Applications 5N5306
- Hairdressing Science 5N3346
- Hairdressing Theory and Practice 5N3345

CERTIFICATION

- QQI Level 5 Award in Hairdressing (5M3351)
- DES Junior Trades Certificate (Level 5).

CORE SKILLS

- Shampooing & Conditioning
- Setting & Blow Styling
- Basic Colour & Permanent Waving
- Basic Cutting Techniques
- Reception & Client Consultation
- Up-Styling
- Working with wigs and hair pieces
- Hair extensions
- Makeup application for beauty, fashion and cosmetic retail industry

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

SligoCFE is a major provider of courses for the Hairdressing Industry, including training for apprentices for Junior Trades, Senior Trades and City & Guilds International Diploma. Upon successful completion of this course, students may gain placement as a Senior First Year Apprentice in a high-profile hairdressing salon or progress to Year 2 Hairdressing in SligoCFE.

ADDITIONAL COSTS

Professional Hairdressing Kit - Approximate cost is €150. Two uniforms are also required - Salon tunics (one crested with SligoCFE logo) available from Jako suppliers Sligo. (Approx. €60 for both).

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May.

| FEES | |
|---|------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| ADDITIONAL COURSE FEES: | €400 |
| TOTAL: | €900 |
| *A Makeup Kit is included as part of the student Fees | |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



HAIRDRESSING YEAR 2 (CITY & GUILDS AND SENIOR TRADES)

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO

Learners will be expected to attain the highest standards in practical day to day procedures in the hairdressing field. Learners will study and practice all areas of hairdressing including consulting, hair and scalp diagnosing, blow-dry and setting, cutting, colouring, styling and dressing hair for clients, as well as hair science and theory.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Interview
- FETAC/QQI Level 5 Certificate in Hairdressing [5M3351]
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Working within the hair industry
- Health and Safety
- Client consultation
- Shampoo and condition the hair & scalp
- Promote products and services
- Cut women's hair
- Colour and lighten hair
- Perm and neutralise
- The art of dressing hair
- Scalp massage
- Salon reception duties
- Create an image

CERTIFICATION

- YEAR 2: City & Guilds International Diploma in women's hairdressing.
- Senior Trades Certificate - State Examinations Commission.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Successful completion of the City & Guilds Diploma could lead you to a career as a hair stylist, colour or perm technician, or to work as a sales representative for hairdressing products. In addition, students may progress to further studies in the field.

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme have the opportunity to apply for a three-week work experience placement in Tenerife.

DURATION

This is a full-time one-year course and runs from September to May. The course runs three days a week (Mon to Wed) and students are encouraged to work two days a week in a salon to supplement their learning.

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| ADDITIONAL COURSE FEES: | €600 |
| TOTAL: | €1100 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



MAKEUP ARTISTRY

This course is designed to equip students with a range of practical skills and theoretical knowledge required to work in the beauty industry. Students will gain hands-on experience in beauty and theatrical makeup settings. Students who complete this course may gain employment in a range of different settings including TV, Theatre, their own beauty salon as well as many hospitality settings.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Applied, or equivalent.
- Interview
- Mature applicants welcome

COURSE CONTENT

- Customer Service 5N0972
- Work Experience 5N1356
- Skin and Eye Treatments 5N3467
- Special Makeup Effects 5N4634
- Postiche 5N4633
- Theatrical Makeup 5N4632
- Fashion and Media 5N4627

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Graduates may pursue employment in the following areas:
 - Theatre
 - Health and Beauty Spas
 - Hotels
 - Salons
 - Television and Film

OPTIONAL ADD-ON COURSES

- Manicure / Pedicure
- Waxing
- Spray Tanning
- Henna
- Gel Polish • Up-Styling

ERASMUS+

Participants on this programme have the opportunity to apply for a three-week work experience placement in Tenerife.

DURATION

This is a full-time one year course and runs from September to May. (Monday to Thursday).

| FEES | |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| STUDENT SERVICES FEE: | €250 |
| DES PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION: | €200 |
| QQI EXAMINATION FEES: | €50 |
| ADDITIONAL COURSE FEES: | €650 |
| TOTAL: | €1150 |

* some exemptions apply - Please see page 3



FOR MORE INFORMATION

Phone: 071-9145480

E-mail: sligocfe@msletb.ie

Web: www.sligocfe.ie



USEFUL NUMBERS

Doctors

| | | |
|------------------------|----------------------------|---------|
| Dr. M. Connolly | 1 High St. | 9170130 |
| Dr. J. Dorman | The Mall | 9142254 |
| Dr. L. Gallagher | | |
| Health Centre, | Barrack St. | 9162355 |
| Dr. F. Hayes | 1 Wine St. | 9170522 |
| Dr. D. Heraughty | Mall Family Practice | 9142767 |
| Dr. S. McCormack | Mall Family Practice | 9142767 |
| Dr. M. McHugh | 36 Market St. | 9143461 |
| Dr. D. Moran | Stephen St. | 9142886 |
| Dr. J. O'Donnell | Health Centre, Barrack St. | 9162355 |
| Dr. R. Quinn | Mall Family Practice | 9142767 |
| Dr. C. Tansey | 46 Wine St. | 9151288 |
| Dr. D. Walsh | Mall Family Practice | 9142767 |
| Dr. R. Westby | Weston House, Union St. | 9162494 |
| SLIGO GENERAL HOSPITAL | | 9173000 |

Dentists

| | | |
|----------------------|-----------------|---------|
| Dr. B.P. Byrne | 1 Wine St. | 9167673 |
| Clearys | Cork Hse. | 9143927 |
| Dr. M. Doherty | Pearse Rd | 9170770 |
| Dr. B. Flanagan | Wine St. | 9160953 |
| Dr. D. Kennedy | Stephens St. | 9145101 |
| Dr. Klocker | Lissadell | 9163888 |
| Dr. J. Lanagan | Market St. | 9142934 |
| Dr. T. MacHale | Wine St. | 9162622 |
| Dr. S. Mahon | Wine St. | 9162488 |
| Dr. P. O'Connor | Wine St. | 9162622 |
| Dr. B. Redahan | Cork Hse. | 9143927 |
| Emergency Dentist | Markievicz Hse. | 9155100 |

Physiotherapist

| | | |
|------------------|------------------|-------------|
| Sharon Foley | Upper Pierce Rd. | 9171912 |
| Susan Bourke | Rosses Point | 9177547 |
| Collooney Physio | Collooney | 9167363 |
| Therese Devaney | 1 Wine St. | 086-8228174 |
| Mary Mulvany | Upper Pierce Rd. | 9171912 |

Optician

| | | |
|-----------------|----------------|---------|
| Mortgage Centre | Markievicz Rd. | 9142828 |
| Deirdre Cooke | Stephen St. | 9171069 |
| Mc Partland | Castle St. | 9138775 |
| Options | Ballast Qy. | 9141332 |

Chiropody

| | | |
|-------------------|----------------|---------|
| P. Paul Kilgallon | 4 Wine St. | 9162260 |
| Wilson Thorpe | 36 Market St. | 9170615 |
| Fiona Gilroy | Union St. | 9141600 |
| Hugh Mc Tiernan | Markiveicz Rd. | 9169240 |

Social Services

| | | |
|-----------------|--|---------|
| Social Worker | | 9143838 |
| Social Services | | 9145682 |

Crime Victims helpline 1850 211407 | Sligo Branch of the Samaritans 9142011

Sligo Branch Of Cura (crisis pregnancy) 9143659 | Sligo Citizens Information Centre 9151133

Sligo Garda Station 9157000 | Pastoral care 9305215 | Sligo Railway Station 9169888

OUT OF HOURS MEDICAL CARE

If you require urgent medical care outside office hours or over the weekend, you can call CARE DOC SLIGO on 0818 365399 between 6pm and 8am [charge for non-medical card holders].



Clarion Road, Sligo, F91 DY66
Telephone: (071) 9145480
Fax: (071) 9141084
Email: sligocfe@msletb.ie
Web: www.sligocfe.ie

Printfix.ie



EUROPEAN UNION

Investing in your future
European Social Fund



Ireland's European Structural and
Investment Funds Programmes
2014-2020

Co-funded by the Irish Government
and the European Union



etb

Bord Oideachais agus Oiliúna
Mhaigh Eo, Slighe agus Lárteora
Meo, Sligo and Leitrim
Education and Training Board



QQI AWARD