# Crescent College Comprehensive S.J.

# Adult Education Programme



# 2018 Spring Term Brochure

Classes start 22nd/23rd January

Enrolment evenings (6-8pm): 8th, 9th, 15th and 16th January

Note: payment by cash and cheques only

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# **MONDAY CLASSES** (start Mon 22nd Jan)

# **M1. BICYCLE MAINTENANCE (BEGINNERS)**

7:00-9:00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: James Keenehan

Learn how to mend a puncture, change a tube, adjust brakes, tune gears, grease and oil parts and carry out essential checks in this hands-on course. Workstand and all tools provided.

# M2. BRIDGE (BEGINNERS)

€110

8.30-10.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Rose Pratt

An introduction to the wonderful world of bridge, through play and demonstration.

# M3. BRIDGE (IMPROVERS)

€120

6.30-8.30pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Rose Pratt

Opportunity for those who already play bridge to improve their card play and bidding.

M4. CHOIR N/A

8:00-10:00pm; year round; full for Spring 2018

#### M5. ENGLISH AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE

€100

7.00-8.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Eithne Murphy

Gain confidence in spoken and written English in a friendly atmosphere. Covers form filling, creating a CV, grammar, dealing with everyday situations and communicating with child's school.

# M6. EMOTIONAL FREEDOM THERAPY (EFT)

€120

7.30-9.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Deborah Barry

A psychological version of acupuncture, without the needles, which releases stress by producing a balancing effect and replacing emotional distress with calm and peace.

#### **M7. FRENCH (BEGINNERS PLUS)**

€100

7.00-8.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Nelly Fouchet

This course in spoken French, given by a native speaker, is designed for those who have completed the beginners' course or who have some basic knowledge of the language.

# **M8. FRENCH (IMPROVERS)**

€110

8.00-9:30pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Nelly Fouchet

For people with some spoken French who would like to develop conversation and comprehension through role play, grammar tuition, listening comprehension and oral practice.

# M9. HANDS-ON PRACTICAL BAKING

€120

6.30-8.30pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Valerie O'Gorman

Learn to make chocolate cakes, Victoria sponges, biscuits, scones, apple tarts, muffins, cupcakes and other beautiful cakes and pastries with confidence during this practical baking course.

#### M10. IRISH (CONVERSATIONAL)

€100

7.00pm-8.00pm; 8 weeks Tutor: TBC

Is Feidir linn! Learn to speak Irish confidently. The class will be of particular benefit to parents and guardians in helping students with Irish homework.

# M11. MATHS FOR PARENTS/ADULTS

€110

7.30-9.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Niamh O'Shea

Covers topics on the school curriculum to enable you to help with maths homework, and provide ways to bring maths to life at home. Also suitable for adults looking to improve their own maths.

€120

# M12. SPANISH (BEGINNERS PLUS)

6.30-8.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Iziar Sarasola

Based on oral and written communication with lots of opportunity to practice for holidays, work etc. Follow on from beginners' course.

# M13. SPANISH (IMPROVERS PLUS)

€110

8.00-9.30pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Iziar Sarasola

For those who have completed an intermediate course or have a good foundation in Spanish.

#### M14. STRICTLY COME DANCING (BEGINNERS)

€120

7:30-8:30pm; 8 weeks; Tutors: Eileen & Frank Byrne

A ballroom dancing course which offers enjoyment and exercise.

# M15. TIN WHISTLE (ADVANCED)

€100

7:30-8:30pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Denis O'Toole

Enjoy learning tin whistle in a small adult group. Designed for those who have completed the introduction course.

## M16. WOODCARVING (CONTINUATION)

€120

7.00-9.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Barry McKie

This course is aimed at bringing you to an advanced level of carving.

## M17. WOODWORK €120

7.00-9.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: TBC

Learn basic carpentry skills while making a small item of furniture.

#### M18. YOGA - THE YOGA WAY

€100

8.00-9.15pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Martina Mullins

Develop greater flexibility, enjoy better sleep patterns and achieve relief while improving your overall wellbeing. Suitable for beginners and those who are a little out of practice.

# **TUESDAY CLASSES** (start Tue 23rd Jan)

# T1. BICYCLE MAINTENANCE (INTERMEDIATE)

€120

7:00-9:00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: James Keenehan

Learn to replace brake cables, gear cables and brake blocks, tune gears and repair buckled wheels. Bike fitting will also be covered. Tools provided.

#### T2. CREATIVE WRITING €110

7:00-9.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Ben Kesp

An introductory programme for aspiring writers who wish to develop skills, confidence and creativity in fiction, poetry or memoir writing through guided group and individual work.

#### T3. DIGITAL SKILLS FOR CITIZENS

FREE

7.00-9.00pm; 5 weeks; Tutor: Denis O'Toole

See special section on penultimate page for full details.

# T4. DOG GROOMING €90

7.00-9.00pm; 4 weeks; Tutor: Paul Hogan

Learn to groom your pet, maintain his coat between groomings and get tips on positive handling. Various breeds covered.

#### **T5. FLOWER ARRANGING**

€110

7.30-9.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Nuala Gaffney

Make a range of seasonal floral arrangements from simple bunches of springtime blooms to more elaborate Easter baskets.

€110

# **T6. GUITAR (CONTINUATION)**

€110

8.30-10:00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Jason Mitchell

Opportunity for those who have completed the beginners' course or its equivalent and have some basic knowledge of chords to improve their playing skills.

# **T7. HANDS-ON COOKING (BEGINNERS)**

€120

6:30-8:30pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Valerie O'Gorman

This hands-on masterclass for beginner cooks and those with basic cooking skills, covers Italian, Thai, Indian and fish dishes (gluten-free options available). Ingredients not included.

# **T8. MINDFULNESS, STRESS MANAGEMENT, LIFE COACHING**

€120

7.00-9.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Joe Delaney

Our '5 Steps to Success' coaching methodology will give you the skills and techniques to help you manage life's challenges, organise your thinking and behaviour and make life more enjoyable.

T9. PAINTING €120

7.30-9:30pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Marie Bartlett

Discover painting and develop your artistic side in a relaxed, helpful and supportive atmosphere.

# **T10. POTTERY/CERAMICS**

€120

7.00-9:00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Clare Butler

Learn the basics of handbuilding, modelling and glazing as you make functional and decorative ceramic vessels and sculptures.

T11. SEWING €110

7.30-9.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Mary Meskell

Improve your sewing skills and learn to read patterns and construct basic garments. You'll need to provide your own sewing machine.

# **T12. WOODCARVING (BEGINNERS)**

€120

7.00-9.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Barry McKie

Develop the basic skills of woodcarving and tool care in a relaxed and fun atmosphere. (Beginners tools can be provided).

T13. ZUMBA *€80* 

8.00-9.00pm; 8 weeks; Tutor: Jillian Furlong

Party yourself into shape with this fun, Latin-inspired, calorie-burning dance class.

# **OTHER COURSES** (book through website provided)

# **PLANT-BASED NUTRITION**

€229

Wednesday 6:30-9.30pm; 6 weeks; Tutor: Michael Roughan (The Master Herbalist)

Prepare healthy and delicious, mainly raw food recipes, learn about healthy clean eating and explore herbal medicine. Starts 24th Jan.

Booking: themasterherbalist.ie

# **GOURMET COOKING (BEGINNERS)**

€135

Thursday 7:00-9.30pm; 3 weeks; Delivered by: George Casey Catering

Covers basic knife skills, healthy options, basic baking, family meals and cooking for numbers. Starts 4th Jan.

Booking: georgecaseycatering.com/blog

# **GOURMET COOKING (INTERMEDIATE)**

€135

Friday 7:00-9.30pm; 3 weeks; Delivered by: George Casey Catering

Covers knife skills for fish and meat preparation, healthy options, professional planning tips and the art of risotto and pasta making. Starts 5th Jan.

Booking: georgecaseycatering.com/blog





# Digital Skills for Citizens Learn how to go Online Free Training!

Programme A: Productive Use of Digital Skills (6 hours; all topics compulsory):

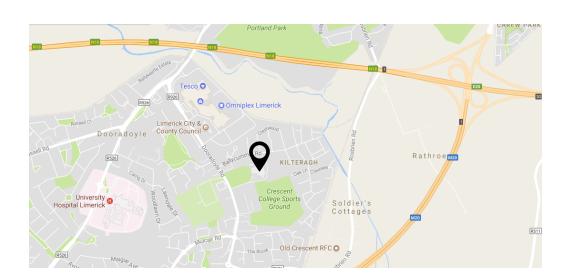
Introduction to the internet • Internet safety & security • Email • Search engines & websites • Online government services • Conducting everyday transactions • Online voice & video calls • Use of apps

Programme B: Lifestyle Choices (4 hours; opportunity to cover at least 2 of the following topics):

\*\*Specific government online services • Social media • Video, TV & radio • Shopping online •

\*\*Instructional videos on YouTube • Online banking, including security safeguards • Digital photography • Revision of one or more Programme A topic

WHERE TO FIND US



#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- Fees are payable in full on enrolment
- Fees are non-refundable except when classes do not form
- Crescent College Comprehensive does not accept responsibility for property damaged or mislaid on the premises
- The minimum age for courses is 16 years
- Smoking is not permitted on school premises and grounds surrounding it
- Concessions: 10% (phone office to avail of concession).

#### **HOW TO ENROL**

- 1. By Post: Cheques made payable to 'Crescent on-going Education'
- 2. In-school Enrolment Nights: Mon & Tue (8th, 9th, and 15th, 16th Jan, 6:00-8:00pm). Payment by cash and cheque only.

Complete and return with fee to: Adult Education Programme, Crescent College Comprehensive,

#### **ENROLMENT FORM**

#### **FACILITY HIRE**

We have an extensive range of facilities available for rental, including: Classrooms, Sport Hall and Computer Rooms.

For details contact: Ms Nuala McGann at 061-302354 or email nightclassesccc@eircom.net

#### **NEW COURSE IDEAS**

If you have a course you would like to see offered, we would be delighted to hear from you; email nightclassesccc@eircom.net with your suggestions.