

HOME-IN-LANGUAGE

MAYNOOTH POST PRIMARY SCHOOL

EOL PROJECT COORDINATOR: HELEN ENGLISH





1100 STUDENTS, AGED 12 – 18

OFFERS GENERAL EDUCATION AT BOTH LOWER & UPPER SECONDARY LEVEL

LOCATED 25KM WEST OF DUBLIN

ADJACENT TO MAYNOOTH UNIVERSITY, A NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF IRELAND

LANGUAGES OFFERED ARE IRISH, ENGLISH, GERMAN, FRENCH, SPANISH, JAPANESE

OFFERS A BROAD RANGE OF EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

WHAT IS *HOME-IN-LANGUAGE*

This is an after-school language club designed to support the home languages of students of international background. Its aims are:

- Affirm, value, develop language biographies of students
- Develop welcoming and inclusive attitudes to diversity and minorities
- Broaden language provision in whole school context
- Promote linguistic diversity
- Create autonomous and informed language learners
- Increase motivation and engagement amongst learners
- Encourage creativity and innovative approaches to language learning in less formal learning environments
- Develop plurilingual and intercultural education



WHO IS INVOLVED?



- Project Coordinator

- Students

- Parents/Grandparents as mentors

- University students as mentors

- Erasmus students as mentors

- Senior students as ambassadors/mentors



WHAT LANGUAGES ARE BEING SUPPORTED?

