

RESERVATION FORM

Space for this trip is limited, please make your reservations as soon as possible!

You may register by calling Debbie Wise at 252-233-6824 or complete this reservation form.

- Initial deposit due by January 12, 2023.
- Full payment due by February 10, 2023.
- Our travel providers require all guests to be fully vaccinated 30 days prior to travel.

If you do not have your passport, please apply as soon as possible. Passport services are available at LCC. Please call 252-527-6223, ext. 304 for assistance.

Legal Name (as it appears on passport)

(1) _____
First Middle Last

(2) _____
First Middle Last

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone (_____) _____

Cell Phone (_____) _____

Email _____

Birth Date _____

If you have your passport, please include a copy with your full payment.

Sharing a room with _____
(Please send two forms, one for each individual.)

Accept my check made payable to the LCC Foundation.

Charge my deposit to: Mastercard Visa

Card # _____ Exp _____

(Signature as it appears on credit card)

Yes, please email me information about future travel opportunities.

Yes No I am interested in the optional Study Tour Course.

**Please cut on dotted line and mail to:
Lenoir Community College Foundation
PO Box 188, Kinston, NC 28502-9946**

\$5,211 | **\$732**
PER PERSON | single supplement

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what's included:

dining highlights

- 11 Breakfasts
- 2 Lunches
- 5 Dinners

travel highlights

- Audio headsets for flexible sightseeing
- Luxury air-conditioned coach with wi-fi
- Hotel portorage of 1 bag per person
- An expert travel director and separate driver
- Hotel tips, restaurant tips for included meals, and local taxes
- A group airport transfer on the first and last day of your guided holiday
- Cherry-picked hotels, all tried and trusted
- Gratuities to travel director, coach drivers and local experts

trip glossary

- **Visit** – In-depth sightseeing with a local specialist or your travel director, includes fast track entry where applicable
- **View** – A brief stop to take in the sights and capture photos
- **See** – See the sights while driving by on the coach

On every trip you will make new friendships and explore sights that will touch your life long after you return home. Professional tour escorts will be with us throughout each trip.

The LCC Foundation Travel Program is offered to enhance educational and cultural enrichment of individuals in our area. We work to ensure each trip is an unparalleled travel value.

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Ireland

april 23–may 4, 2023

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day 1 – april 22 depart for dublin

day 2 – april 23

Arrive in Dublin (2 Nights)

Upon arrival in Dublin, you have one group transfer from the airport to your hotel. This afternoon, meet your travel director for a sightseeing tour with a local specialist. See the stately Georgian Squares, Trinity College and St. Patrick's Cathedral before enjoying a welcome dinner with drinks, good food, and great company as your travel director gives you a taste of what's to come. *Meal: Welcome Dinner | Hotel(s): Mespil/Sandymount or similar*



day 3 – april 24

Dublin

Today you'll have a leisurely morning, then head to the Jameson Distillery for a tasting. There is some free time before enjoying an evening of fine food and fun as Ireland's history unfolds with comedy, song, and dance. You'll be tapping your toes and joining in the show, all in the spirit of Irish humor. And you'll even be served an Irish coffee to round off your dinner. *Meal(s): Breakfast, Dinner*



day 4 – april 25

Journey to Colorful Belfast

Leaving the cosmopolitan streets of Dublin behind, we travel to Northern Ireland and the bustling city of Belfast. What better way to soak up the atmosphere of this lively city than to join a local specialist for a stroll through its hidden side streets? We'll have an included drink in a historic pub and continue to a local restaurant for a quintessentially traditional meal; fish and chips. Later, we meet our local specialist 'Cabbie' for an insider view of the city's living history during a journey through its vibrant streets in a real taxi. We spend the rest of the afternoon at leisure. *Meal(s): Breakfast, Lunch | Hotel(s): Park Inn/Maldron City or similar*



day 5 – april 26

Venture to the Giant's Causeway - Londonberry

Dive into culture during a visit to the award-winning Titanic Belfast Experience. Gain insights into the tragic story of the Titanic and its passengers who lost their lives in the icy Atlantic. We leave the city behind us, traveling along the beautiful Antrim coast road to the Giant's Causeway for a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience as we walk in the footsteps of Finn MacCool. Our visit will help to conserve this iconic natural landmark. Take some time to admire the natural spectacle of 40,000 interlocking basalt columns before continuing to Londonberry, our home for the next night. *Meal: Breakfast | Hotel(s): Everglades/City Hotel Derry or similar*



day 6 – april 27

Discover Londonberry's Past - Lough Eske Castle

Join your local specialist for a walk along the 17th-century walls and see the formerly turbulent Bogside neighborhood, with its street murals depicting the history of the 'Troubles'. Then continue on to your elegant castle stay at Lough Eske Castle. *Meal: Breakfast | Hotel: Lough Eske Castle*



day 7 – april 28

Onwards to Scenic Galway (2 Nights)

We journey through the lush countryside to Belleek, where we'll dive into culture and witness talented pottery craftsmen create the exquisite collectables that have graced homes since the mid-19th century. Arrive in Galway later, where we will stay for the next two nights. This evening join us on a drive to Galway Castle where you'll begin your evening of medieval entertainment. This will be accompanied by a delicious dinner where wine will flow, and you'll be treated to songs and the marvelous Irish art of storytelling. *Meal(s): Breakfast, Dinner | Hotel(s): Maldron Oranmore/Maldron Sandy Road or similar*



day 8 – april 29

Connemara Excursion

The rugged beauty of Connemara was captured in the film 'The Quiet Man' with John Wayne and Maureen O'Hara. Its laughs and mountains are yours to explore today during a scenic drive. We arrive at Kylemore Abbey later to visit the country's most romantic castle and ramble through the hidden nooks of its Victorian walled garden. Returning to Galway, we enjoy some free time to explore its imposing stone cathedral or stroll through Eyre Square, which John F. Kennedy visited in 1963. *Meal: Breakfast*



day 9 – april 30

Explore the Cliffs of Moher and Killarney

See the imposing UNESCO-listed Cliffs of Moher rising over 650 feet (200 m) above the pounding Atlantic and scan the horizon all the way to the Aran Islands to get the full view of the irresistible beauty of this special place. On this MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience, you'll have an opportunity to visit the 'Atlantic Edge' exhibition which will bring to life this extraordinary natural phenomenon in a way that only the wildlife of the area get to see. Enchanted by the wild landscapes, you'll continue along the Wild Atlantic Way to Connect With Locals and meet local horticulturalist, Oonagh, who'll teach you how to forage before our Be My Guest visit to the Barrtra Seafood restaurant (subject to availability). Your next MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience will reveal the importance of sustainable food experiences and you'll learn how everything on your plate has been bought locally, perhaps inspired to buy local produce when you return home. The spectacular views of this dramatic coastline continue before you'll board a ferry across the tranquil Shannon Estuary river. Then, continue through County Kerry to your hotel in Killarney, where you'll have an evening at leisure or join in the craic at an optional Irish ceilidh. *Meal(s): Breakfast, Lunch | Hotel(s): Killarney Towers/Hotel Killarney or similar*



day 10 – may 1

A Day on the Ring of Kerry

The soul-stirring landscapes of Iveragh Peninsula provide a mesmerising backdrop for our scenic coastal drive around the Ring of Kerry - an unimaginably beautiful natural setting. En route we will see Killorglin, famous for its annual 'Puck Fair', as well as Daniel O'Connell's Cahirciveen, the fishing village of Waterville, the Black Valley and Moll's Gap. Dinner is included this evening at a local restaurant. *Meal(s): Breakfast, Dinner*



day 11 – may 2

Off to Blarney, Waterford and KilKenny

Today you might acquire the 'gift of the gab,' bending over backwards to kiss the Blarney Stone before we travel to Waterford. Admire the delicate creations of fine crystal during a visit to the House of Waterford Crystal where we will dive into culture and witness a demonstration by master craftsmen. This evening, we arrive in Kilkenny with its imposing 12th-century castle, once the seat of the Butlers of Ormonde. *Meal: Breakfast | Hotel: Kilkenny or similar*



day 12 – may 3

Through County Wicklow's Countryside to Dublin

After a morning exploration of Kilkenny, we depart for New Ross where we'll see the monument to John F. Kennedy, who visited his ancestral family hometown in 1963. Dive into culture and gain insights into the tragic plight of Irish emigrants during the potato famine of the 1800s on our visit to the nearby three-masted Dumbrody Famine Ship. Journey through the lush Irish countryside of County Wicklow, the 'Garden of Ireland', and back to Dublin where you'll spend your final evening with travel companions sharing stories of your memorable journey through Ireland at a farewell dinner. *Meal(s): Breakfast, Farewell Dinner | Hotel(s): Sandymount/Ballsbridge or similar*



day 13 – may 4 depart dublin for usa