

Sample Monthly Budget - Living Away from Home			
Expenses		Income	
Rent/Mortgage (Varies on property/sharing accommodation)	750	Grant Susi maintenance	336
Daily Transport to College (Public transport/petrol)	120	Allowance from Parents/Guardian for living €30/Wk	120
Transport at the weekends (Travel home/work/other)	80	Income part-time employment €70/week	280
Gas/ESB/Oil	50		
Groceries/Food	160	Rent allowance from Parents/Guardian	600
On/off campus meals	80		
Internet	10		
Phone/Mobile	20		
Medication	15		
College Materials i.e. printing etc	25		
College Books	15		
Childcare (This may apply)	N/a		
Car Tax (This may apply)	N/a		
Car Insurance (This may apply)	N/a		
Car Maintenance/NCT (This may apply)	N/a		
Medical Insurance (This may apply)	N/a		
TV License	14		
Bin Charges	10		
Extra-Curricular Activities i.e. Gym/Clubs&Socs/Sport	30		
Other: Clothes / Other University related Travel / Etc.	120		
Entertainment (Social Events)	80		
	1579		1336
Total Expenses September - May (9 mths) + plus Deposits	14211	Total Income September-May (9 mths)	12024

Please see page 2 for further information

Expenses to be taken into consideration at different times during the year

Gaelteacht Fees

Placement-Work Clothes / Extra travel / Possible rent during placement

Social - Other Events

Other Motor Costs

Christmas

Easter

Annual Holiday / Weekend breaks

Possible small saving for unexpected Costs

Loans - Bank / Credit Union / Other

Other Income May be noted

Scholarship/Bursary/Other Funding Award

Allowance from Partner/Spouse

Summer Work Savings

Loan Parent Allowance

Back to Education Allowance

Disability Allowance

Rent Allowance

Family Income Supplement

Carers Allowance

Health Board Payments

Charitable Support

Childcare Support

Maintenance Support

Other