

# GALWAY ATLANTAQUARIA

Engage, Educate, and Inspire



## EDUCATION BROCHURE



2024-2025



Join our friendly and experienced staff on a journey of discovery and learning.

*Located on the seafront in Salthill, we are easily accessible with nearby parking (bus and car), lot's of local amenities, and various habitats to explore.*

## Discover Ireland's Largest Native Species Aquarium

Explore the vibrant diversity of life in our oceans, rivers, lakes, and canals.

## Engage, Educate, and Inspire

At Galway Atlantaquaria, we aim to educate, engage, and inspire visitors about marine and freshwater life. Our mission is to share our passion and knowledge through comprehensive discovery and learning programs. Whether online or in-person, our programs offer formal and informal learning opportunities in a fun and engaging way.

## Embark on a Voyage of Discovery



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## Education and Outreach Initiatives

Our education and outreach programs cater to visitors of all ages and abilities. From school tours and virtual classrooms to community events and corporate team-building, there is something for everyone.

### Specialized Themed Tours and Workshops

Our education team has developed a variety of specialized tours and workshops for primary, secondary, and third-level students.

[Find out more about our tailored educational experiences.](#)



## ABOUT OUR EDUCATION PACKAGES

Each educational package can start with a guided, interactive tour of the aquarium.

You can then add one or more of our engaging workshops. Many of these workshops can contribute to obtaining an **SFI Curious Minds class certificate**, which can be used as part of an SFI Curious Minds Award application by your school.

Curriculum areas which can be covered include Science, Maths, Geography, Biology, Animal Welfare and Care to name a few.

For a breakdown of our workshop themes and structure see: [Workshop Themes](#)



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## Online Classes and Virtual Tours

We offer online classes via Zoom tailored to your class's needs. Additionally, our Aquarium Virtual Tour includes six episodes, worksheets available in both English and Irish, and a 40-minute online Q&A session with our education team.

View The Episode Playlist on our [YouTube Channel](#)





## Explorers Education Programme

The Marine Institute's Explorers Education Programme engages with primary schools, teachers, children, and the education network, creating marine leaders and ocean champions in Ireland.

Funded by the Marine Institute, we deliver a range of marine-themed project modules, seashore safaris, aquarium tanks, and STEAM workshops in Co. Galway and Co. Clare.

Contact [Sibeal@nationalaquarium.ie](mailto:Sibeal@nationalaquarium.ie) or visit [explorers.ie](http://explorers.ie) for more information on how your school can participate.



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# Discover, learn, and get inspired at Galway Atlantaquaria!

From us all at Galway Atlantaquaria, we look forward to welcoming you to the aquarium soon.

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An aerial photograph of the Galway Atlantaquaria building, a large, modern structure with a curved roof and glass facade, situated on a rocky peninsula overlooking the sea. The building is surrounded by a parking lot filled with cars and a road with traffic. In the background, there are residential buildings and a green park area. The text 'GALWAY ATLANTAQUARIA' is overlaid in large, white, bold letters across the middle of the image.

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