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| **Programme** | **Duration** | **Examples of potential courses include\*** |
| **Art College Portfolio Preparation Level 5** | 1 Year | **NCAD** First Year Art & Design (Core Year)  Design or Fine Art & Education  Product Design  **DIT** Visual Communication  Fine Art  **IADT** Animation  Visual Communications  Design for Stage & Screen  Graduates have also secured places at third-level institutions in the UK (UCAS)**.**  **Class of 2018- 100% got 3rd level offers in one or more of the above courses** |
| **Fashion Design Level 5** | 1 Year | **NCAD** First Year Art & Design (Core Year)  **DIT** Visual Merchandising  **Limerick IT**  Fashion - BA in Design  Fashion and Textiles for Product and Costume - BA in Design  **Crawfords College of Art and Design, Cork** Art Textile  Graduates have also secured places at third-level institutions in the UK (UCAS)**.** |
| **Game Design Level 5** | 1 Year | **DCU** Multimedia  **UCD** Computational Social Science  **DIT/TU** Games Design  **Maynooth University** Computer Science/Multimedia, Mobile & Web Development  **IT Tallaght/TU** Creative Digital Media  **NCI** Computing  Data Science  Computing in Applications & Support |
| **Programme** | **Duration** | **Examples of potential courses include\*** |
| **Accounting Technician**  **QQI, ATI** | 1-2 years | **DCU** Accounting and Finance  **NCI** Accounting and Finance  **IT Blanchardstown/TU** Accounting and Finance  **IT Tallaght/TU**  Business in Accounting  Business in Financial  Services and Investment Analysis  Upon completion of Year 2, successful graduates have gained Advanced Entry to year 2 and 3 in ITs and NCI (NUI).  The Accounting Technician course is divided into two parts, each a qualification in its own right: Certificate for Accounting Technicians (1 year); Diploma for Accounting Technicians (2 years)  Qualifications gained:  Higher Accountancy professional qualification including Chartered Accountants Ireland  Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA)  Association of Tax Technicians  Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA)  Institute of Certified Public Accountants in Ireland (CPA)  Institute of Incorporated Public Accountants (IIPA) |
| **Business Practice and HR Level 5** | 1 Year | **DCU** Business Studies  Aviation Management  **DIT** Business Studies  Auctioneering  International Hospitality  **Maynooth University** Arts  European Studies  **IT Tallaght**  Accounting and Finance  Management  Marketing |
| **Programme** | **Duration** | **Examples of potential courses include\*** |
| **Office Administration with Reception Level 5** | 1 Year | **DIT/TU**  Business Studies  Business and Law  Business Management  Marketing  **IT Blanchardstown/TU** Business  Business and IT  International Business  **Maynooth University** Business Management  Marketing  Entrepreneurship |
| **Pre-University Science Level 5** | 1 Year | **Coláiste Íde** Health & Physical Activity Level 6  **TCD** Science  **DIT** Science  Bio-Science  [Medicinal Chemistry and Pharmaceutical Sciences](https://careersportal.ie/courses/coursedetail.php?course_id=17126)  [Chemical Sciences with Medicinal Chemistry](https://careersportal.ie/courses/coursedetail.php?course_id=17384)  Food Innovation  **DCU** Applied Physics  Science Common Entry  [Science Education](https://careersportal.ie/courses/coursedetail.php?course_id=290)  Genetics and Cell Biology  Chemical and Pharmaceutical Sciences  Sports Science and Health  **UCD** Science  Food Science  Graduates have also secured places at third-level institutions in the UK (UCAS)**.** |
| **Programme** | **Duration** | **Examples of potential courses include\*** |
| **Early Childhood Care & Education Level 5** | 1 year | **Coláiste Íde** Early Childhood Care & Education Level 6  **DCU** Early Childhood Education  **DIT/TU**  Early Childhood Education  **ITB** Early Childhood Care and Education  Applied Social Studies in Social Care  **DIT /TU** Social Care  **DCU** Post Primary Teacher Education  **Maynooth University** Arts Humanities |
| **Pre-University Physiotherapy Level 6** | 1 Year | **RCSI** Physiotherapy (Mature Students)  **DCU** Athletic Therapy and Training (mature Students)  **IT Tallaght/TU** Sports Science and Health  **Dundalk IT** Health and Physical Activity  **Carlow IT** Sports Rehabilitation and Athletic Therapy  **Advanced Entry Portobello College Dublin (Awarded by London Metropolitan University)** Sports Therapy-eligible for Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh Masters of Science in Physiotherapy  **Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh, Scotland** Physiotherapy  **Hanze University of Applied Sciences, Groningen, The Netherlands** Physiotherapy  **Fonty’s University of Applied Sciences, Eindhoven, The Netherlands** Physiotherapy  Graduates have also secured places at third-level institutions in the UK (UCAS)**.** |
| **Health & Physical Activity**  **Level 6** |  | **Garda Síochana College,** Templemore  **IT Tallaght** Sports Science  **Dundalk IT** Health & Physical Activity Advanced Entry  **DIT** Leisure Management .Successful Coláiste Íde graduates have gained Advanced Entry to year 2.  **IT Blanchardstown/TU** Sports Management & Coaching  **UCC** Sports Studies & Physical Education  **Hanze University** **of Applied Science**, The Netherlands  **Portobello Institute, Dublin** B.Sc Physical Education and Sports Science (Awarded by London Metropolitan University) |
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| **Programme** | **Duration** | **Examples of potential courses include\*** |
| **Computers Systems & Networks Level 5** | 1 Year | **DIT/TU**  Computer Science  [Networking Technologies](https://careersportal.ie/courses/coursedetail.php?course_id=17571)  **Maynooth University** [Robotics and Intelligent Devices](https://careersportal.ie/courses/coursedetail.php?course_id=18937)  [Computer Science / Multimedia, Mobile and Web Development](https://careersportal.ie/courses/coursedetail.php?course_id=18973)  **IADT** Creative Computing  **IT Tallaght/TU** [Advertising and Marketing Communications](https://careersportal.ie/courses/coursedetail.php?course_id=18709)   |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | |
| **Sport & Leisure Level 5** | 1 Year | **Coláiste Íde** Sport & Leisure Management  **Carlow IT** BA in Sports & Exercise  Physiology and Health Science  Sports Rehabilitation and Athletic Therapy  Sports Science  Strength and Conditioning  **IT Blanchardstown/TU**  Sports Management and Coaching  **UCC** Sports Studies & Physical Education  Qualifications on offer include ITEC Gym Instruction, First Aid and IWS Life guarding  **Career Opportunities:** Gym instructor  Lifeguard  Sports Coach  Aerobic Instruction |
| **Sport & Leisure Management Level 6** | 1 Year | **Carlow IT** BA in Sports & Exercise  Physiology and Health Science  Sports Rehabilitation and Athletic Therapy  Sports Science  Strength and Conditioning  **IT Blanchardstown/TU**  Sports Management and Coaching  **UCC**  Sports Studies & Physical Education  Qualifications gained: ITEC Diploma in Fitness Instructing  Life Guard Certificate (IWS)  QQI Level 6 Gym Instruction  NCF Qualification |
| **Programme** | **Duration** | **Examples of potential courses include\*** |
| **Soccer Level 5** | **1 Year** | **Coláiste Íde** Excercise and Health Fitness Management  Health and Physical Activity  **IT Blanchardstown/TU**  Sports Management and Coaching  **Carlow IT** BA in Sports & Exercise  Physiology and Health Science  Sports Rehabilitation and athletic therapy  Sports Science  Strength and Conditioning  **UCC** Sports Studies & Physical Education  Qualifications gained QQI level 5  FAI Accredited Qualification  Kick Start 1 & 2  USA Trip  Scholarships to US |
| **Personal Trainer & Group Fitness Instructor Level 6** | 1 Year | **IT Blanchardstown/TU**  Sports Management and Coaching  **Carlow IT** BA in Sports & Exercise  Physiology and Health Science  Sports Rehabilitation and athletic therapy  Sports Science  Strength and Conditioning  **UCC** Sports Studies & Physical Education |
| **Tourism, Travel and Airline Studies and Cabin Crew Level 5** | 1 Year | 90 % gained employment in the airline, cruise, ferry companies  **Coláiste Íde** Tourism, Travel and Airline Studies and Cabin Crew Level 6  **DCU** [Aviation Management/ Aviation Management with Pilot Studies](https://careersportal.ie/courses/coursedetail.php?course_id=17357)  **Maynooth** International Business  **DIT** International Hospitality Management  Event Management  Tourism Marketing  **IT Tallaght**  International Hospitality and Tourism |
| **Programme** | **Duration** | **Examples of potential courses include\*** |
| **Tourism, Travel and Airline Studies and Cabin Crew Level 6** | 1 Year | **DCU** [Aviation Management/ Aviation Management with Pilot Studies](https://careersportal.ie/courses/coursedetail.php?course_id=17357)  **Maynooth** International Business  **DIT** International Hospitality Management  Event Management  Tourism Marketing  **IT Tallaght**  International Hospitality and Tourism |
| **Professional Cookery Level 5** | 1 Year | Graduates secure employment in hotels and restaurants including those of 5 star standard.  **Coláiste Íde** Professional Cookery Level 6  **DIT** **/TU** Culinary Arts  Baking & Pastry Arts Management  Culinary Entrepreneurship  **IT Tallaght/TU** Culinary Arts  Botanical Cuisine |
| **Professional Cookery Level 6** | 1 Year | Graduates secure employment in hotels and restaurants including those of 5 star standard.  **DIT** **/TU** Culinary Arts  Baking & Pastry Arts Management  Culinary Entrepreneurship  **IT Tallaght/TU** Culinary Arts  Botanical Cuisine  Upon completion of Level 6, successful graduates have gained Advanced Entry to year 2 and 3 in Its |
| **Programme** | **Duration** | **Examples of potential courses include\*** |
| **Beauty Therapy Level 5** | 1 Year | 100 % of graduates secure employment in the beauty industry including hotel spas of 4 and 5 star standard  Career opportunities:  Salons  Spas  Cruise ships  Makeup artists  Beauty consultants  Nail bars  Beauty bloggers  Entrepreneur (qualifications allows students to open up their own salon, work from home or become a mobile therapist)  Qualifications gained: ITEC Diploma level 5 equivalence on the NFQ:  skin and eye (unit 9)  makeup (unit 10)  manicure (unit 11)  waxing (unit12)  business (unit 22)  QQI Level 5 Minor Award in Beauty Therapy (5M3471),  Additional courses provided with NSI:  gel/acrylic nails, nail art and shellac  spray tanning  lash extensions  lash lift |

**\*Places are not guaranteed in these institutions and are subject to students meeting certain criteria. Please consult the individual college websites for more information.**

**Note about Garda vetting**

**Mature Applicants –experience will be considered in lieu of formal qualifications**

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