Press release

Department of Education confirms 15,589 Ukrainian pupils currently enrolled in Irish schools

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The Department of Education can confirm that as of end May, 15,589 Ukrainian pupils had been enrolled in schools across Ireland. Out of that figure, 10,105 of these pupils had been accommodated in primary schools while 5,484 pupils had enrolled in post-primary schools.

Current data indicates an enrolment rate of 88% among Ukrainian children aged 5-18.

To assist with the transition of Ukrainian students and their families into Irish schools Regional Education and Language Teams (REALT) continue to operate, hosted by the 16 regional education and training boards around Ireland and staffed by regionally-based education support personnel.

These teams are ensuring that clear, accessible information flows are in place between schools, local education support services and national support structures in relation to people arriving from Ukraine.

Information for parents in Ukrainian and Russian on accessing school places is available on gov.ie/en/campaigns/bc537-irelands-response-to-the-situation-in-ukraine/)

The department will continue to publish figures on the enrolment of Ukrainian children each month.

Notes

Enrolments by county as of end May

County	Primary	Post-primary
Carlow	162	89
Cavan	238	106
Clare	583	344
Cork	1,092	533
Donegal	859	467
Dublin	1,203	687
Galway	626	325
Kerry	1,031	562
Kildare	162	95
Kilkenny	169	119
Laois	136	77
Leitrim	214	134
Limerick	330	207
Longford	78	58
Louth	263	175
Mayo	523	278
Meath	294	128
Monaghan	66	32

Offaly	125	43
Roscommon	183	62
Sligo	234	161
Tipperary	227	140
Waterford	277	171
Westmeath	210	95
Wexford	524	238
Wicklow	296	158
Total	10,105	5,484

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