

The Kingsley's Guide to Cork City

Day 1: English Market

The English Market is a tourist destination and shopping experience in the heart of Cork City. Food historians and writers, as well as local, national and international media, highlight the English Market as a food emporium, a place where local and exotic exist. It is definitely a place to visit when coming to Cork!

Day 2: Cork City Gaol

Cork City Gaol, is a magnificent castle-like building which once housed 19th Century prisoners. Take a trip back in time and wander through the wings of the Gaol, accompanied by the shuffling feet of inmates and the jingle of the warders' keys.

Day 3: University College Cork & Fitzgerald Park

UCC's campus is full of many interesting buildings and features. From the Lewis Glucksman Gallery in the Lower Grounds to the Stone Corridor of the Main Quadrangle, UCC is a great place to spend a few hours.

Fitzgerald's Park offers a quiet retreat from the hustle and bustle of the city, with its beautiful tree lined avenues, brimming flower beds and rose garden to its many statues and sculptures and the large central fountain, this 18 acre park is a wonderful haven.

Day 4: Crawford Art Gallery

Crawford Art Gallery is a public Art Gallery and Museum. It was designated a 'National Cultural Institution' and it is dedicated to the visual arts, both historic and contemporary. The collection comprises 4,000 works, ranging from 18th Century Irish and European paintings and sculptures, through to contemporary video installations.



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