

Partner Pack – Ukraine Supports

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Dear Partners,

Since March, over 47,000 people from Ukraine having arrived here over 7,000 students are now enrolled in our schools.

Thank you for your continued support and willingness to assist.

As the new schools year is underway, we are focussing on making sure all families who arrived in recent weeks or who arrive from now on know how to and why they should access the education system in Ireland. We want to ensure this process is easy and inclusive.

In addition, for families that are changing accommodation, we aim to support them as they settle into a school in their new locality.

Please feel free to share the assets in this partner pack to help ensure wide dissemination of the information. We are keeping with the style of other communications outputs for government on this topic so it is recognisable and continues to signpost to gov.ie/Ukraine, where people can find a wide range of information they need, in Ukrainian, Russian and English.

Thank you again for your continued support. If you have any questions or ideas, please contact communications@education.gov.ie

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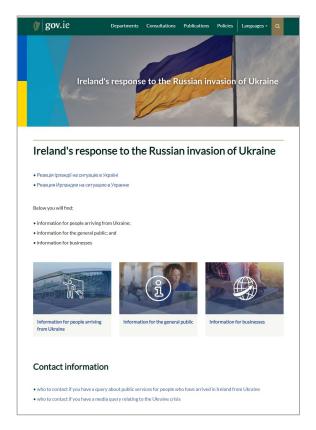


In this pack you will find:

- Details of gov.ie/Ukraine
- 2. Links to social media assets pointing to gov.ie/Ukraine
- 3. 'Shareable' information on the school system
- 4. Update on student and family experience videos



1. gov.ie/Ukraine



All education material on gov.ie/Ukraine has been updated to reflect the new school term. This material is available in Ukrainian and Russian.

Information on REALTs is available <u>here</u> and lists all regional teams and contact information.

Gov.ie/Ukraine is a central hub for all information for Ukrainian arrivals on accommodation, employment, education and social welfare.



2. Social posts

A. Animated video in

Ukrainian and Russian on social media, describing entitlement and access to education from early years to further and higher education.



B. Short static social tiles in Ukrainian and Russian, focusing on schools and how to register, signposting to gov.ie/Ukraine







3. School System

Working with the Inspectorate on infographics covering:

- Difference between early years education and junior infants/primary school – found <u>here</u>
- 2. Details on the Irish school system found here
- 3. Information on transitions from primary to post-primary and from junior cycle to senior cycle found here



4. ExperienceVideos

Editing is underway on videos filmed with students and parents who have arrived to Ireland from Ukraine and have enrolled in school.

These short videos focus on the student and parent's direct experience of the Irish system, what a school day is like, what support they have been given and share personal advice to new students and families.

Links to these will be shared shortly, and this partner pack updated.

You can find the first video from Millstreet Community School here.