CERTIFICATE IN GENERAL LEARNING AND PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

The Certificate in General Learning and Personal Development is a two-year Level 4 QQI major award for people with intellectual disabilities delivered in an inclusive third level setting.

This course operates in partnership with the LCETB and local community agencies and is devoted to the academic learning, personal growth and career development prospects of the student. The full development of each student's potential, dignity and selfworth is embraced.

PROGRAMME AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

- To promote lifelong learning for individuals with intellectual disabilities;
- To promote inclusion in the third level environment;
- · To develop skills for modern society;
- To develop social skills through peer interaction;
- · To fulfil personal educational interests;
- · To enhance individual employability;
- To develop full citizenship and selfdetermination;
- To broaden horizons for individuals with intellectual disabilities; and
- To fulfil the personal educational interests of individuals with intellectual disabilities.



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- 18 years of age on enrolment
- Identified as having an intellectual disability from birth or early years
- Commitment to ongoing learning and personal development
- Three or more Level 3 QQI Minor Awards (including Literacy/ Communication and, preferably, Numeracy), or equivalent

Course Fee: €1,500 per annum



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PROGRAMME APPROACH TO CERTIFICATE IN GENERAL LEARNING AND PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

The Certificate in General Learning and Personal Development at Mary Immaculate College involves eight modules, which will be delivered over the course of two academic years. Please note that some of the modules offered may change. The course structure and QQI certificates available are as follows:

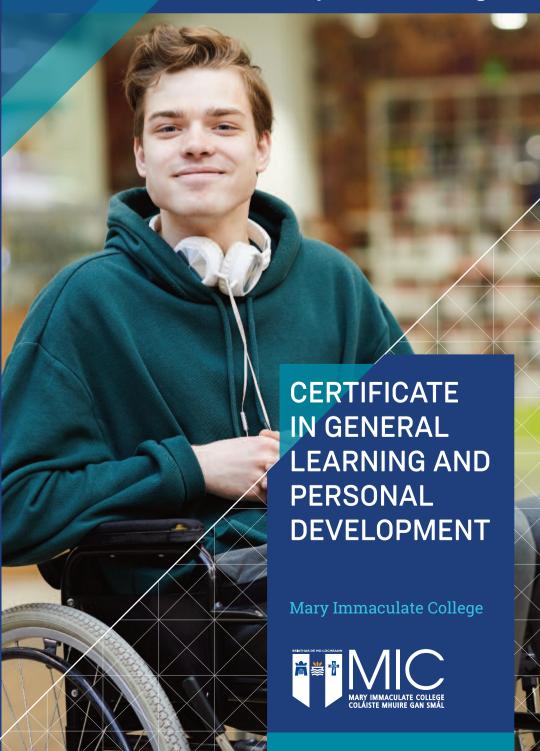
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CORE VALUES OF THE PROGRAMME

- A belief in the capacity of individuals with intellectual disabilities to selfactualise;
- A respect for the contributions of individuals with intellectual disabilities; and
- A belief in equality of opportunity for individuals with intellectual disabilities.





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