

Trim Town ITINERARY

For the Culturally Curious

Itinerary Overview

Day 1



01:00 PM: Arrive at your accommodation and enjoy lunch at one of the many cafés in Trim.

03:00 PM: Discover the Trim Porchfields & Historic River Walk. Visit the Newtown Monuments.

04:00 PM: Grab a coffee at Marcies.

07:30 PM: Visit one of our lovely restaurants for dinner and enjoy live music in one of the pubs afterwards.

Day 2

09:00 AM: Breakfast at your accommodation.

10:00 AM: Visit Trim Castle & take the tour.

11:30 AM: Discover Trim Medieval Armoury.

01:00 PM: Lunch in one of our cafés or delis.

02:30 PM: Take a tour with a local guide and discover the varied history of the town.

06:30 PM Dinner at one of our local restaurants

08:00 PM Take in a trad session in one of the local pubs.



Day 3



09:00 AM: Breakfast at your accommodation.

10:00 AM: Visit Trim Visitor centre.

01:00 PM: Enjoy lunch in one of our lovely cafés.

02:30 PM: Discover the lovely retail and craft shops in Trim Town.

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Arrival



Lunch

There are some great spots in Trim for a tasty lunch – whether you're after a casual café, classic pub fare, or a sit-down mid-day meal.

We recommend Boann Cafe and Bistro, Kenny & Co, PlatterbyLu, Brogan's Bar, Boyneista Café, Castle Arch Hotel, Stonewall Café, Evy's Café, Castle Takeaway, Monto's Restaurant, Harvest Home Bakery, Coffee Works, Rosemary Bistro and Knightsbrook Hotel.



Trim River Walk

Take the Trim Porchfields Walk, and discover Newtown monuments. The Newtown Monuments are a remarkable collection of medieval ruins set on the banks of the River Boyne – including a large cathedral, two monasteries and a small church dating back to the early 1200s. Once part of a thriving ecclesiastical settlement founded by Bishop Simon de Rochfort, the site offers a fascinating glimpse into Ireland's Norman-era history and is free to explore

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Coffee at Marcies

This is a lovely little spot where you can grab a great coffee to warm you up or refuel, and in the warmer months their ice cream is a real treat. Marcie Regans also overlooks The Priory of St John the Baptist. The Priory is also free to visit and provides more information on Trim's past.

Dinner In Trim

There are some great spots in Trim for dinner and a chat about the amazing heritage town — whether you're after a casual bite, classic pub fare, or a sit-down meal, there is something for everyone! We recommend [Boann Cafe and Bistro](#), [Brogan's Bar](#), [Med Street Food](#), [Castle Arch Hotel](#), [Khan Spices](#), [The Stockhouse Restaurant](#), [Flambé Restaurant](#), [Castle Takeaway](#), [Monto's Restaurant](#), and [Knightsbrook Hotel](#).



Trim Pub Scene

A night out in Trim can provide a cultural experience all on its own. Lively pubs offer the perfect blend of culture and warmth. It's an ideal setting to unwind, enjoy great music, and learn more about this historic town. We recommend [McCormack's Bar](#), [the Judge and Jury](#), [The Bounty Bar](#), [The James Griffin Pub](#), [Kiely's Bar](#), [Lynch's Sports Bar](#) and [The Old Stand](#).

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Breakfast



If you are enjoying self-catering accommodation during your stay in Trim, there are plenty of lovely spots for a great breakfast. We recommend the [Castle Arch Hotel](#), [Boann Café and Bistro](#), [Stonewall Coffee](#), [Rosemary Bistro](#), [Coffee Works](#), [Kenny & Co](#), [PlatterbyLu](#), [Harvest Home Bakery](#), [Evy's Café](#) and [Monto's Restaurant](#). You will find a great selection of local produce in our local [Super Valu](#) on Haggard Street also!

Trim Castle

[Trim Castle](#) is Ireland's largest and best-preserved Anglo-Norman castle. Built in the late 12th century by Hugh de Lacy, its massive stone keep, curtain walls, and towers offer a striking glimpse into medieval power and design. A guided tour brings the castle's history to life, leading visitors through the impressive keep, great hall, and battlements. The tour also offers panoramic views over Trim town and the surrounding countryside.



Trim Medieval Armoury

Trim Medieval Armoury offers a fascinating glimpse into the weapons and defences of the Middle Ages in Trim. Located next door to Trim Castle, the collection showcases authentic medieval arms, armour, and replicas, with expert guides explaining how they were used in battle and daily life. An engaging experience that brings medieval warfare and craftsmanship vividly to life. Find out more [here](#).

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Guided Tour

Discover the rich history of this medieval town as expert local guides lead you through charming streets and past iconic landmarks — from Trim Castle and the ancient town walls to riverside paths and hidden heritage gems. Along the way you'll hear fascinating stories, learn about Norman life, and see why Trim is one of Ireland's most captivating historic towns. We recommend [Medieval Trim Walking Tours](#), [Boyne Valley Tours](#) and [Custom Irish Tours](#).



Traditional Music Session

A traditional Irish music session in Trim makes for a lively night out. Enjoy the warm, inviting atmosphere of a local pub as talented musicians fill the room with fiddles, flutes, and bodhráns. Sharing music, laughter, and perhaps a toast or two, visitors can soak up the authentic Irish spirit while creating a memorable evening together. The best places to catch a trad session in Trim include Brogan's Bar, James Griffin, McCormack's Pub and Lynch's Bar.



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Trim Visitor Centre



After breakfast in your accommodation, make your way to the visitor centre. Located beside Trim Castle in the historic old Town Hall, it's the perfect place to pick up meaningful mementos, local gifts and souvenirs to remember your visit. Friendly staff are always on hand to help with last-minute tips, maps and recommendations – a lovely way to round off your trip to Trim and the Boyne Valley.

Discover our craft shops

No trip to Trim is complete without exploring local creativity and charm. Wander through boutique stores filled with handmade jewellery, artisan gifts, unique artworks, and traditional Irish crafts. It's the perfect opportunity to pick up meaningful souvenirs, support local makers, and enjoy browsing together in the heart of this historic town. The perfect way to end your trip to Trim!

