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DETAILED VERSION

Your detailed itinerary

The Classic Wild Atlantic Way

The Wild Atlantic Way Classic (County Galway, County Clare, County Kerry) July 10 days

2 traveller(s)

Prepared on November 1, 2026 · Personal document, prepared for you.

Your route

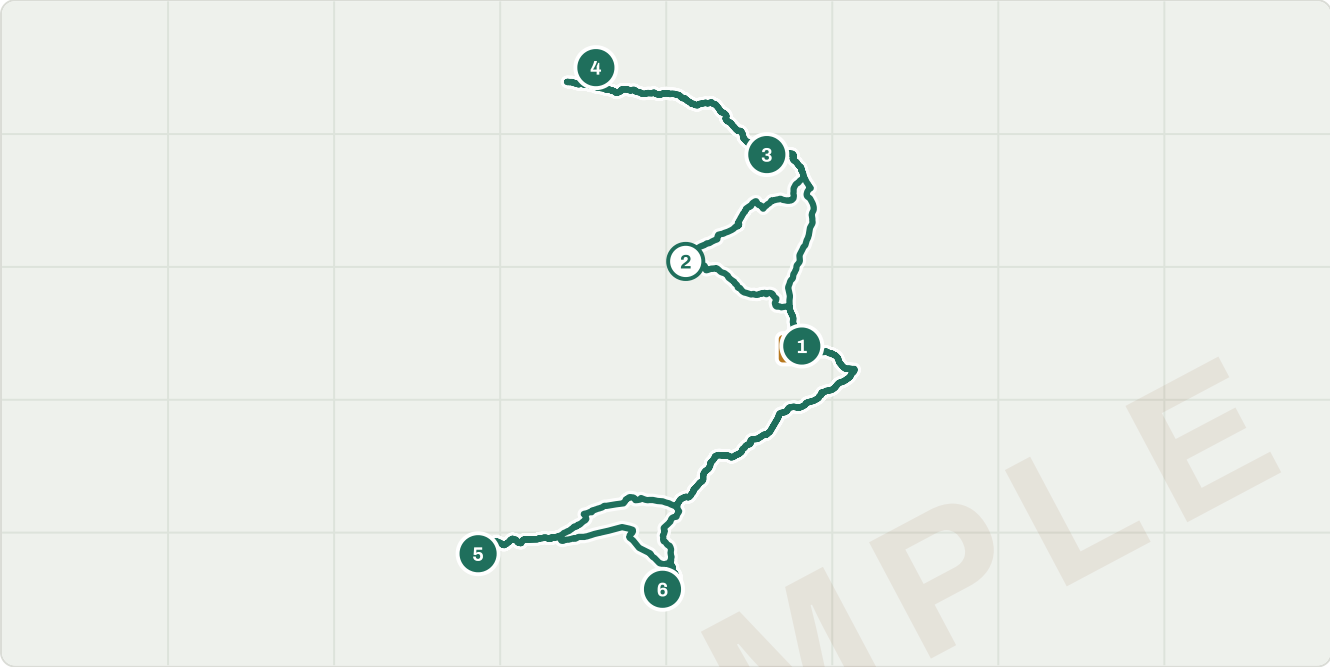
THE CLASSIC · RECOMMENDED

The Classic Wild Atlantic Way

Experience the absolute highlights of Ireland's west coast, from the dramatic Cliffs of Moher to the wild peaks of Connemara and the iconic Slea Head drive.

10 days 5 base(s) 9 night(s) Driving: 14 h 01 in all · 802 km

Estimated cost: 1,183 – 2,139 € for 2 person(s), on site · International flight on top: 80 – 260 €



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#	STAGE	WHERE TO SLEEP	NIGHTS	GETTING THERE
1	Shannon Gateway	Shannon	2	—
2	Cliffs of Moher	Doolin	—	road · 1 h 14 · 79 km
3	Galway Latin Quarter & Salthill	Galway	1	road · 1 h 01 · 81 km
4	Connemara National Park & Sky Road	Clifden	2	road · 1 h 08 · 78 km
5	Slea Head	Slea Head Farm / Café na Trá, 12 km from Dingle	2	road · 4 h 43 · 342 km
6	Killarney National Park & Lakes	Killarney	2	road · 1 h 52 · 96 km
↩	Return · Shannon			road · 2 h 38

EXAMPLE

Day by day

Each day: where you sleep, the drive, the activities with their duration and effort, the exact place with a map link, the stops on the way and photos.

EXAMPLE

Day 1

Night : Shannon · linking day · Shannon Gateway · Road : 10 min

1 Activities

Discover the historical exhibits at the Shannon Aviation Museum

Duration 2 h 30 · Effort : easy stroll · 2 Search on Google Maps

Explore the Shannon Town Park and its walking trails

Duration 1 h 30 · Effort : easy stroll · 2 Search on Google Maps



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Day 2

Night : Shannon · day trip · Cliffs of Moher · Road : 2 h 29

1 Activities

Cliffs of Moher Coastal Walk

Duration 4 h 30 · Effort : walking · 2 Search on Google Maps

The Cliffs of Moher are sea cliffs located at the southwestern edge of the Burren region in County Clare, Ireland. They run for about 14 kilometres (9 miles). (after Wikipedia)

If time allows

Doolin Cave & Great Stalactite · 2 h

Doolin Village Stroll · 2 h



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Day 3

Night : Galway · change of base · Galway Latin Quarter & Salthill · Road : 1 h 01

HOW TO READ THIS

1. the day's activities, their duration and effort
2. the exact place and its map link
3. the stops along the road

1 Activities

Latin Quarter Walking Tour

Duration 3 h · Effort : easy stroll · 2 Search on Google Maps

Salthill Promenade Stroll

Duration 3 h · Effort : easy stroll · Place : Salthill · 2 Open in Google Maps

3 Stops on the way

Doolin

A charming coastal village known for its traditional music heritage and colorful stone cottages.

45 min stop Open in Google Maps

If time allows

Traditional Irish Music Session at Crane Bar · 3 h

Corrib Princess River Cruise · 3 h



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Day 4

Night : Clifden · change of base · Connemara National Park & Sky Road · Road : 1 h 08

1 Activities

Connemara Heritage and History Centre

Duration 3 h · Effort : easy stroll · 2 Search on Google Maps

Coastal Cycling along Sky Road

Duration 4 h · Effort : walking · 2 Search on Google Maps

3 Stops on the way

Aughnanure Castle

A well-preserved 16th-century tower house situated on the banks of the Drimneen River, reflecting the defensive lifestyle of the O'Flaherty clan.

60 min stop · 1.9 km detour Open in Google Maps

Oughterard

A traditional village serving as the gateway to Connemara, offering a glimpse into the historical development of rural settlements in the region.

45 min stop · 1.5 km detour Open in Google Maps

Maam Cross

A historic crossroads that served as a vital hub for trade and travel in the remote Connemara landscape for centuries.

30 min stop · 0.3 km detour Open in Google Maps

Kylemore Abbey

A grand estate originally built as a private residence, showcasing the architectural legacy of the landed gentry in the Irish countryside.

90 min stop · 5.6 km detour Open in Google Maps

If time allows

Letterfrack Woods Walk · 2 h

Clifden Castle Walk · 2 h



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Day 5

Night : Clifden · day on site · Connemara National Park & Sky Road

1 Activities

Diamond Hill Upper Track Hike

Duration 4 h 30 · Effort : walking · Place : Diamond Hill [2] Open in Google Maps

Clifden Castle Walk

Duration 2 h · Effort : easy stroll [2] Search on Google Maps

If time allows

Connemara Heritage and History Centre · 3 h

Letterfrack Woods Walk · 2 h

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Day 6

Night : Slea Head Farm / Café na Trá, 12 km from Dingle · change of base · Slea Head · Road : 4 h 43

1 Activities

Slea Head Loop Cycling

Duration 5 h · Effort : walking · 2 Search on Google Maps

Slea Head is a promontory on the westernmost part of the Dingle Peninsula, in southwest County Kerry, Ireland. It can be reached by the R559 road, with the nearest villages being Ballyickeen and Coumeenoole. (after Wikipedia)

If time allows

Fungie Dolphin Boat Tour · 2 h

Dingle Distillery Tour · 2 h

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Day 7

Night : Slea Head Farm / Café na Trá, 12 km from Dingle · day on site · Slea Head

1 Activities

Dingle Distillery Tour

Duration 2 h · Effort : easy stroll · 2 Search on Google Maps

Fungie Dolphin Boat Tour

Duration 2 h · Effort : easy stroll · 2 Search on Google Maps

Mount Brandon Easy Foothills Hike

Duration 4 h · Effort : walking · Place : Mount Brandon · 2 Open in Google Maps

Mount Brandon or Brandon, at 952 metres (3,123 ft), is one of the ten highest peaks in Ireland, being the 8th–highest peak in Ireland on the Arderin list, and the 9th–highest on the Vandeleur-Lynam list. Brandon is the highest Irish mountain outside the MacGillycuddy's Reeks range and has the greatest prominence of any Irish peak except Carrauntoohil, Ireland's highest mountain. (after Wikipedia)

If time allows

Dingle Town Heritage Walk · 2 h 30

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Day 8

Night : Killarney · change of base · Killarney National Park & Lakes · Road : 1 h 52

1 Activities

Kayaking on Lough Leane

Duration 3 h 30 · Effort : walking · Place : Lough Leane · 2 Open in Google Maps

Muckross House & Gardens Stroll

Duration 3 h · Effort : easy stroll · Place : Muckross House · 2 Open in Google Maps

Muckross House is located on the small Muckross Peninsula between Muckross Lake and Lough Leane, two of the lakes of Killarney, 6 kilometres (3.7 mi) from the town of Killarney in County Kerry, Ireland. In 1932 it was presented by William Bowers Bourn and Arthur Rose Vincent to the Irish nation. (after Wikipedia)

3 Stops on the way

Inch Beach

A vast sandy spit perfect for a quick walk and stretching legs before the final stretch.

45 min stop · 2.5 km detour Open in Google Maps

Killorglin

A charming town on the River Laune, ideal for a coffee break and viewing the Puck Fair statue.

30 min stop · 3.3 km detour Open in Google Maps

Ross Castle

A 15th-century tower house located directly on the edge of Lough Leane, serving as a perfect gateway to the park.

60 min stop · 6.6 km detour Open in Google Maps

If time allows

Cycling the Demesne Trails · 3 h

Ross Castle Visit · 2 h



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Day 9

Night : Killarney · day on site · Killarney National Park & Lakes

1 Activities

Cycling the Demesne Trails

Duration 3 h · Effort : easy stroll · 2 Search on Google Maps

Gap of Dunloe Boat & Hike

Duration 5 h · Effort : walking · Place : Gap of Dunloe · 2 Open in Google Maps

The Gap of Dunloe (from Irish Dún Lóich, meaning 'Lóich's stronghold'), also recorded as Bearna an Choimín (meaning "gap of the commonage" or "gap of the little hollow"), is a narrow mountain pass running north–south in County Kerry, Ireland, that separates... (after Wikipedia)

If time allows

Muckross House & Gardens Stroll · 3 h

Ross Castle Visit · 2 h

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Day 10

Night : Shannon · linking day · Shannon Gateway · Road : 2 h 38

1 Activities

Visit the Skycourt Shopping Centre for local retail and dining

Duration 2 h · Effort : easy stroll · 2 Search on Google Maps

3 Stops on the way

Adare

A picturesque village famous for its traditional thatched-roof cottages and historic stone architecture.

60 min stop · 7.8 km detour Open in Google Maps

Bunratty Castle and Folk Park

An open-air museum featuring a restored medieval castle and a recreated 19th-century Irish village.

120 min stop · 5.9 km detour Open in Google Maps



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Points to watch

The season on your dates

July 2027: highs around 19 °C (up to 23 °C), one unfavourable day in 14.

To check before booking

! Ferry with limited departures — Tarbert → Killimer

! Seasonal risk or closure — Cliffs of Moher

Review notes

The review of the programme predates the latest recalculation of the route: its notes are not reproduced here.

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