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Website Analytics

Should you consent to the storage of analytics cookies on your device, an anonymised version of your IP address is recorded, along with your country of origin, device and operating system used, time and date of visit, type of referral site (not the specific url), and pages viewed. This information helps us to monitor traffic and improve how our website works for you. Cork City Council uses a GDPR compliant web analytics platform called Matomo. Our website analytics are never shared with any third parties.

If you choose not to accept the analytics cookie, your visit is still recorded using a non-identifiable id. The visitor config_id is a randomly seeded, privacy-enabled, time-limited hash of a limited set of the visitor’s settings and attributes, which expires within 24 hours. However, the ‘Do Not Track’ instruction in your browser will be followed if you have it enabled and this record of your visit will not take place.

Third-Party Services

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You may be asked to enter personal information should you choose to engage with any of the following services.

- **Borrowbox** - eBook and eAudiobook service.
- **Libby** - eMagazine service.
- **Artistworks** - Online music learning education platform.
- **Freegal** - Freegal is a music streaming service, free of charge for members of Cork City Libraries.
- **Naxos** - Classical music streaming platform.
- **Flickr** - Flickr is an image hosting and video hosting service.
- **Lox Event Calendar** - Loxi is an online event calendar.
- **PressReader** - PressReader is an online newspapers and magazines service.
- **Wordpress** - Provider hosting Cork World Book Festival and Rory Gallagher Music Library sites.
- **AM Quartex** - Provider hosting Cork Past and Present site.
- **Spydus** - Provider hosting the national Library Management Service (LMS) and Catalogue.
- **Comics Plus** - Comics Plus is an eComic service.
- **LOTE** - Lote Online for Kids is an online database of digital books in World Languages.
- **Irish Newspaper Archive** - The INA is an online searchable database of Irish Newspapers.
- **Irish Times ePaper and Archive** - Irish Times ePaper service and archive.
- **CIFF Online Library** - Cork International Film Festival video library.
- **Encyclopaedia Britannica Online** - Online Encyclopaedia
- **Transparent Languages** - Online language learning platform with over 100 languages.
- **Universal Class** - Online educational courses.
• **The Oxford Dictionary of Family Names in Britain and Ireland** - Surname reference guide.
• **Koha** - Journal and paper index.
• **JSTOR** - Online archive of academic journals.
• **Read Learn Explore Library App** - Cork City Libraries app.
• **Tumblr** - Cork City Libraries blog.
• **OSI** - Ordnance Survey Ireland map containing the locations of city library locations.
• **PRINTERON** – Remote Printing Service.

**Media Display**

• **Vimeo** - the majority of embedded video content on this website is provided by Vimeo.com
• **YouTube** - used for live streaming and certain embedded content. YouTube cookies enable tracking of browsing history should you be logged in to your google account.
• **FlippingBook** - Used for the display of documents in a user-friendly 'flip book' style.
• **SoundCloud** - Podcast hosting Service.

**Social Media**

There is no directly embedded content from social media platforms on our website. We do provide links, but we are not responsible for their privacy practices.

The following social media sites may track your browsing behaviour for the purposes of targeted advertising should you be logged in to an account while visiting one of these sites.

• **Facebook**
• **Twitter**
• **Instagram**

**Mailing Lists**

• **Mailchimp**. Used for curating contact lists for newsletters and relevant solicited information.

**Accessibility**

Cork City Council uses Reciteme as an accessibility tool for this website.

• **Reciteme**

**Links to External Sites**

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