

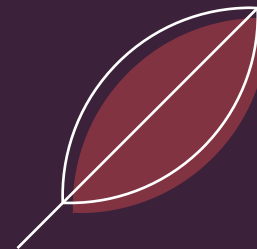


# CREATIVE IRELAND PROGRAMME

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*Kilkenny Creative Ireland Strategy*

*2023-2027*



# CREATIVE IRELAND ACTION AREAS TO 2027

Creative Youth

Creative Communities

Creativity, Health and Wellbeing

Creative Climate Action and Sustainability

Creative Industries

# HIGH LEVEL PRIORITIES FOR LOCAL AUTHORITIES

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Making counties great places to live, work, visit and invest in.

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Housing

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Climate action (including sustainable/ active travel) and biodiversity

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Local economic development

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Attracting inward investment

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Town Centre First (Challenges to retail economy) and our rural economy

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Changing population and demographics

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Post Covid renewal and resilient communities

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Digitalisation and ongoing transformation

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# REVIEW OF CI PROGRAMME 2017 -2022

## STRENGTHS

Collaboration

Inter-  
generational  
projects

Online content

Covid measures

Engagement  
with  
marginalized  
communities

Educational  
Content

# KNITTED TOGETHER



*Knitted Together Launch 2022 - Grandmother Monica Dunne and her grandchildren Lucy Hayes and Billy Hayes*



# WRITING HOME



*Writing Home 2021 - Award winning poet Colm Keegan and participants from Writing Home project.*

Kilkenny County Council were delighted to receive Gold for Best Education/ Training Initiative at the LAMA Awards 2022 with our *Writing Home* project.

# TEACH REX LIBRARY EVENT



*Teach Rex event, Cruinniú na nÓg 2019- Kilkenny County Council Library Service.*

# REVIEW OF CI PROGRAMME 2017 -2022

## POTENTIAL AREAS OF IMPROVEMENTS

Engagement  
with Creative  
and Cultural  
Sector

Tourism &  
Festivals

Creative  
Enterprise

Community and  
Voluntary Sector

Co-ordination of  
Resources

Creative Climate  
Actions



# PRIORITY OBJECTIVES



# STRATEGY CONTENT

Foreword (KCC)      Creative Ireland Overview (CI)

Culture and Creativity in Kilkenny (KCC)

The Creative Ireland Vision for Kilkenny (KCC)

How we Work – Principles and Values (CI)

The Strategic Priorities for Kilkenny (KCC)

Implementation (CI)

Mapping (KCC)

# PROCESS

Outline Vision and  
Strategic Objectives  
to SPC

Circulate Draft  
Strategy for comment  
to SPC members

Circulate Draft  
Strategy for comment  
to creative and  
cultural sector  
stakeholders

SPC to Approve Draft  
Strategy

Submit Final  
Amendments to CI

KCC to Approve Draft  
Strategy

# CREATIVE IRELAND 2027

