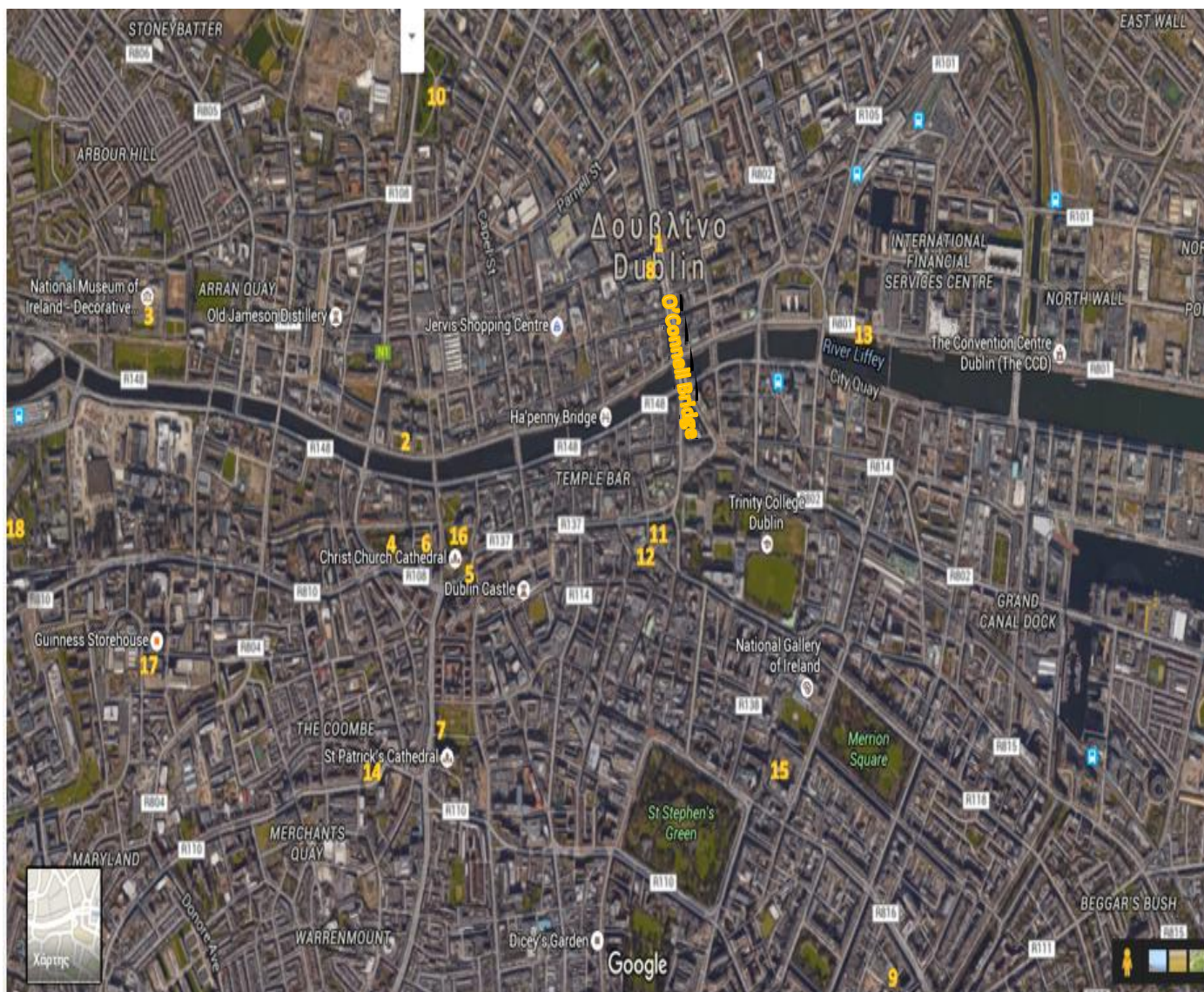


DUBLIN. Sightseeing survey at google maps, as listed s/n



Θεσσαλονίκη και πτήση για το Δουβλίνο που είναι ιδανικός προορισμός για ολόκληρη την οικογένεια. Μπορείτε να πάτε στον Ζωολογικό κήπο του Δουβλίνου, στο πάρκο Στίβενς Γκριν για να ταΐσουν τις πάπιες ή στο πάρκο Φοίνιξ για πικνίκ. Οι pubs είναι ένα σημαντικό κομμάτι της ιρλανδικής κουλτούρας και όπου κι αν πάτε θα έχετε πολλές επιλογές. Στην ιρλανδική πρωτεύουσα, ο γραπτός λόγος είναι τόσο σημαντικός, όσο και... ένα μεγάλο ποτήρι μπύρα Guinness. Η σύνδεση μεταξύ των pubs και της λογοτεχνίας (η Ιρλανδία θεωρείται το μεγάλο άντρο της λογοτεχνίας και έχει «σαρώσει» τα βραβεία, αλλά και τα Νόμπελ Λογοτεχνίας), είναι πολύ ισχυρή. Η διαδρομή Dublin Literary Pub Crawl (<http://www.dublinpubcrawl.com>), είναι ίσως η πιο διάσημη στο Δουβλίνο και ξεκινά από την Duke Street κάθε βράδυ. Καλύπτει μια απόσταση μικρότερη από 1 χλμ. συνολικά και διαρκεί περίπου 2.30 ώρες. Σε αυτήν, περιλαμβάνονται παραστάσεις για τον James Joyce και άλλους διάσημους λογοτέχνες. Η διαδρομή σταματά σε 8 pubs και πάντα κάνει μια παράκαμψη μέσω του Trinity College. Φυσικά, θα ήταν παράλειψη να μην αναφέρουμε την αγάπη των Ιρλανδών για τη μπίρα και να μη δοκιμάσουμε τις τοπικές γεύσεις. **Η Guinness είναι η πιο διάσημη ιρλανδική μπίρα, γνωστή για βαθύ μαύρο χρώμα της και τον πυκνό αφρό της. Επισκεφθείτε το ζυθοποιείο της στο Δουβλίνο,** ένα από τα μεγαλύτερα τουριστικά αξιοθέατα στην Ιρλανδία με πάνω από 4 εκατομμύρια επισκέπτες από το 2000, όταν η άνοιξε για πρώτη φορά.



DUBLIN. Sightseeing survey

1. The Spire



0.9 Km from O'Connell Bridge

The Spire of Dublin is a striking 120 metre high landmark in the heart of Dublin City, which was unveiled in 2002.

2. The Four Courts



0.5 Km from O'Connell

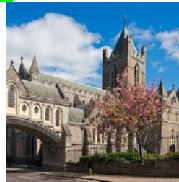
Building work on this Georgian building began in 1776 based on designs of architect Thomas Cooley. On the death of Cooley in 1784, work continued, to an enhanced design by the renowned architect James Gandon. .

3. National Museum- Decorative Arts and History



1.4 Km from Irish Museum of Modern Art (s/n18)

4. Christ Church Cathedral



Christ Church is Dublin's oldest building, a leading visitor attraction and a place of pilgrimage for almost 1,000 years. Renowned for its beauty and architecture, it is home to a famous 12th Century crypt, one of the oldest in Britain and Ireland.

5. Dublin Castle



0.1 Km from O'Connell Bridge

Dublin Castle is the heart of historic Dublin and is where the city gets its name from the Black Pool - 'Dubh Linn' which was on the site of the present Castle garden. The Castle houses the magnificent State Apartments part of the Viceregal court.

6. St. Werburgh's Church



Located near Christ Church in Dublin City, St. Werburgh's is a religious building thought to date from the 12th century. Over the years, it has witnessed many historical events, including the swearing in of the Viceroys of Ireland.

7. St Doulagh's Church



Located in Kinsealy, 20 minutes from Dublin City Centre, St Doulagh's Church occupies the site of a 7th century monastic settlement established by its namesake. The present structure dates from 1864, though it contains part of a medieval church.

8. General Post Office



Dublin's General Post Office is situated prominently in the middle of O'Connell Street. It is the headquarters for An Post, the Irish Postal Service, and the foundation stone was laid in 1814.



9. Patrick Kavanagh

There are plaques dedicated to the Irish Poet Patrick Kavanagh, at Raglan Road and on Pembroke Road in Dublin. There is also a monument, in the form of a public seat, dedicated to him on the banks of the Grand Canal at Baggot Street Bridge.



10. Kings Inns

The Honorable Society of King's Inns, founded in 1541, is Ireland's oldest legal institution and oldest School of Law. King's Inns is also one of Ireland's most interesting social venues.



11. Saint Andrews Church

This building is now a major tourist information centre, ie. it no longer serves as a church. If you want free travel literature or to book a day-trip anywhere on the island or book a reservation in any type of accommodation, then this is the place to head for. The staff are helpful and knowledgeable. A great place to go to if you're looking for ideas what to do in Dublin or anywhere else in Ireland, South or North. Tons of free travel and events literature including maps and free offers etc. All visitors to Dublin should make it a priority place to visit.



12. Molly Malone

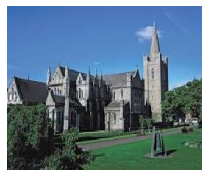
The Molly Malone statue is located in Suffolk Street, a short distance from Trinity College. Molly Malone was a semi historical, semi-legendary figure who was commemorated in the song 'Cockles and Mussels', a Dublin anthem.



13. Famine Memorial

1.2 Km from O'Connell Bridge

On Custom House Quay, in the Dublin City Docklands, you will see the Famine statues. These haunting figures commemorate the most profound disaster in Irish history, when Ireland lost more than one million citizens to starvation



14. St Patrick's Cathedral

0.6 Km from O'Connell Bridge

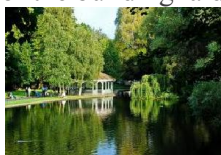
St Patrick's Cathedral is one of Dublin's most popular attractions. Built between 1220 and 1260 the Cathedral is one of the few buildings left from the medieval city of Dublin. Jonathan Swift who is one of around 700 burials on site of St Patrick's.

15. Government Buildings



1 Km from O'Connell Bridge

The quadrangle of Government Buildings on Upper Merrion Street in Dublin City Centre was built by the British administration in Ireland, with the foundation stone for the building laid by King Edward VII in 1904.



Next to St. Stephen's Green (nice park for walk and picnic)

16. Dublin City Hall



0 Km from O'Connell Bridge

Dublin's City Hall, built by the Guild of Merchants and originally known as the Royal Exchange is a magnificent example of the Georgian architecture for which Dublin is world-renowned

17. Guinness



18. Irish Museum of Modern Art



3.1 Km from O'Connell Bridge and 1.4 Km from Nat. Museum Décor. & Art (s/n 3)

Phoenix Park



3 Km from O'Connell Bridge (NW, out of map)

Dublin's Phoenix Park is one of the largest and most magnificent city parks in Europe. A lively and entertaining exhibition on the history and wildlife of the Phoenix Park is on display in the Visitor Centre. **Nothing special.**

Drimnagh Castle



6.3 Km from O'Connell Bridge (SW, out of map)

Drimnagh Castle was, until 1954, one of the oldest continually inhabited castles in Ireland and is an example of an old feudal stronghold. It is located in the South West of Dublin City and can be hired for public events.

Lusk Round Tower



21.3 Km from O'Connell Bridge (NE, out of map)

Lusk Round Tower is all that remains of a monastery founded in the ninth century by St Macculin. The attached tower house is of 16th century origin.

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