

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



Distance between 1-10, 5.2 Km (+1.7 Km including 4a)

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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. General Post Office



70 m from 1

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.

3. The Four Courts



1,1 Km from 2

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. .

4. National Museum-Decorative Arts and History



850 m from 3

4a. Phoenix Park



850 m W from National Museum (4).

Dublin's Phoenix Park is one of the largest and magnificent city parks in Europe. A lively and nterertaining exhibition on the history and wildlife of the Phoenix Park is on display in the Visitor Centre .

Needs a lot of time to walk it around (out of map)

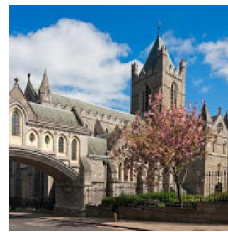
5. St. Audeon's Church



1,1 Km from 4

St Audoens church of the parish of St. Audoen. The church was built between 1841 and 1847. A central dome positioned over the crossing of the nave was the main external feature of the church until it collapsed in 1880 and was replaced with a flat roof. In 1898 the portico including the piazza to the front and railings was added by George Ashlin.

6. Christ Church Cathedral



220 m from 5

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.

7. St Patrick's Cathidral,close



500 m from 6

A beautiful cathedral from the outside and even more astonishing when you get inside. The beauty and history of this church covers the centuries back to 450 AD. A nominal admission of **6 Euros (only 5 E for seniors)**. The architecture is gorgeous. **You must see.** One of the most beautiful due to the colorful tiled floors. Very unusual and a nice contrast to the stone interior.

8. St. Werburgh's Church



650 m from 7

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.

9. Dublin Castle



200 m from 8

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.

10. Dublin City Hall



70 m from 9

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



Distance between 11-16 (return to Liffey river), 4.1 Km

11. St Patrick's Cathedral, close



800 m from 10

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



1,2 Km from 11

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. St. Stephen's Green



600 m from 12

Just before Government Buildings, a nice little plot of green in the middle of the city. A square shaped little park in the middle of the city. A place for shoppers to go and enjoy the sun in the summer. However it is often crowded and it is quite small and not really special. Have been to much bigger and more impressive parks. **You should cross through.**

14. Government Buildings



700 m from 13

A large Edwardian building enclosing a quadrangle on Merrion Street, in which several key offices of the Government of Ireland are located. It was originally shared between the Dublin Castle administration and the Royal College of Science for Ireland and started building it in 1904.

15. Patrick Kavanagh



950 m from 14

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.

16. Famine Memorial



2.1 Km from 15

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

Total distance between 1-16 (with return to Liffey river) 9.3 Km

More destinations

x.Kings Inns



But, Difficult access to visit

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.

I also suggest *(if you've rented a car)* a trip to

17. Guinness



2.8 Km W from O'Connell Bridge

18.Irish Museum of Modern Art



1 Km W from Guinness and 3.3 Km from O'Connell Bridge

19.Drimnagh Castle

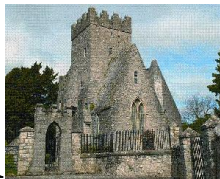


4.8 Km W from Irish Museum and 6.2 Km from O'Connell Bridge (out of map)

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.

Or to

20.St Doulagh's Church



9.8 Km NE from O'Connell Bridge (out of map) 53° 24' 53" N, 6° 10' 42" W

20 minutes from Dublin City Centre, 1.1 Km before Kinsealy (left side of the road) is St. Doulagh's Church which occupies the site of a 7th century monastic settlement founded by St. Doulagh. Built in the 12th century, the church has many characteristics of early Saxon churches and the original walls are three feet thick. The present structure dates from 1864, though it contains part of a medieval church.

<http://www.megalithicireland.com/St%20Doulagh's%20Dublin.html>

21.Lusk Round Tower



25 Km NE from O'Connell Bridge and 15.2 Km from St.Doulagh's Church (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, located at Lusk town