





Irish Road Trip: The South Coast

W.A.L.T: compare life in
other Irish counties to
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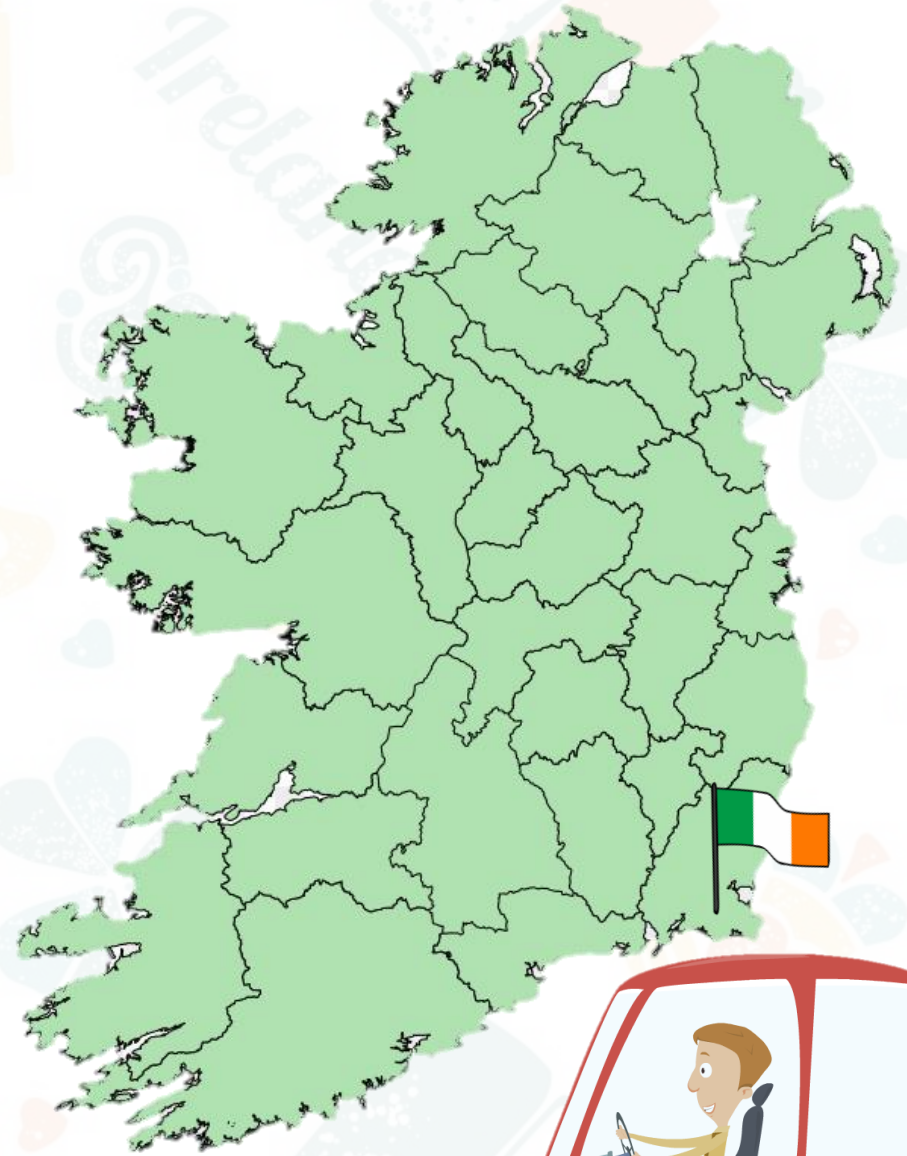
If you were going on
a road trip, what
5 things would
you pack?



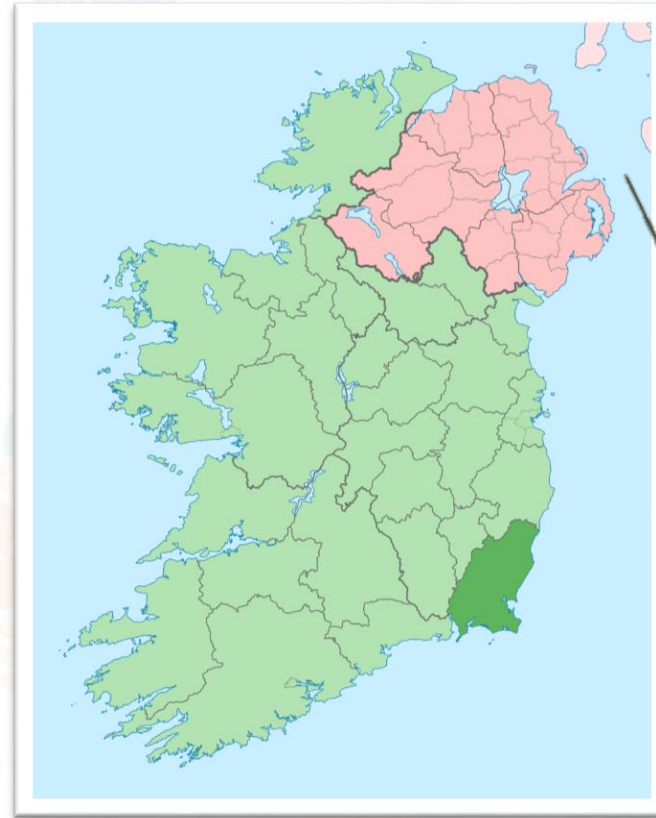
How many counties of
Ireland do you think
you could name
in 60 seconds?

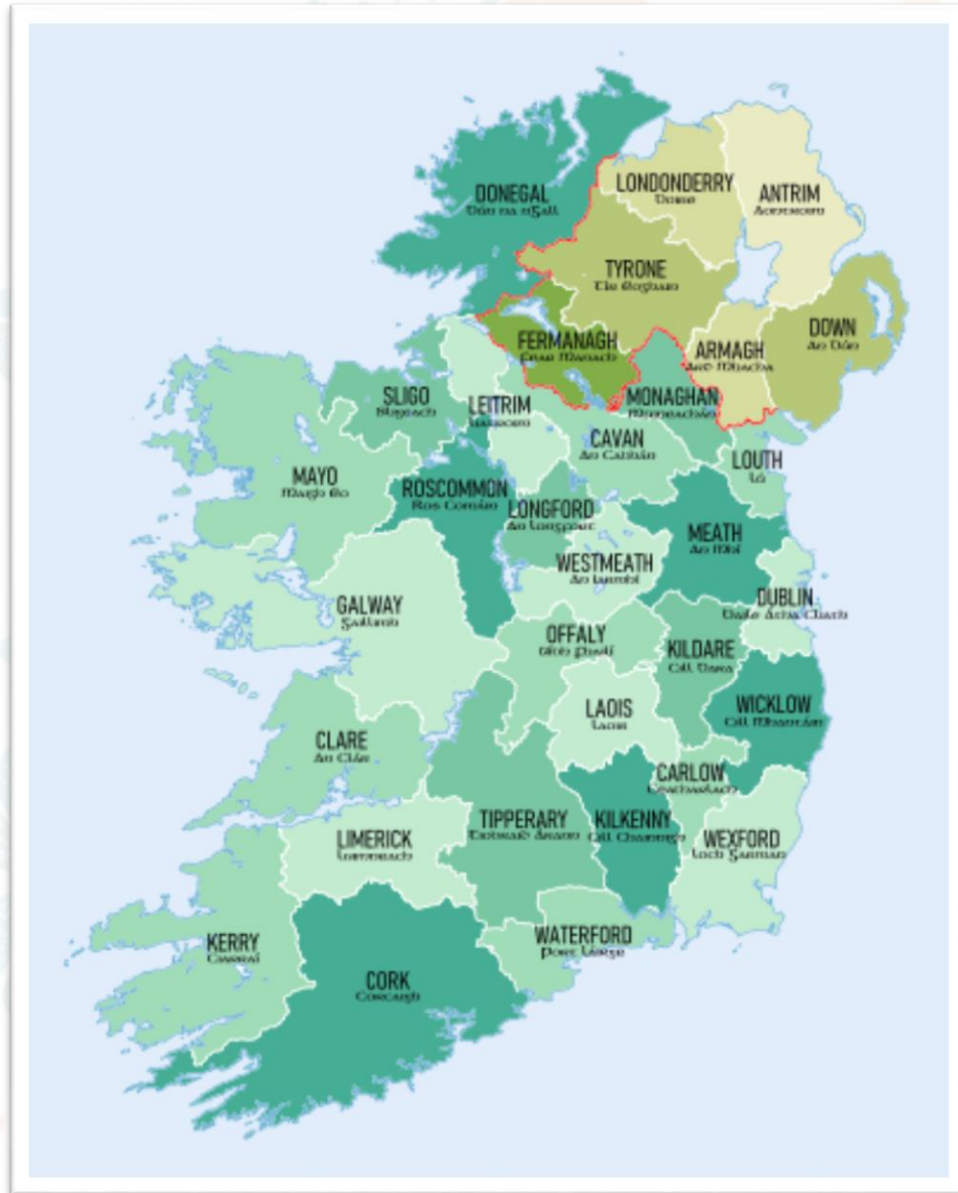


We're going to hop in our car and head to the first stop on our Irish road trip. Does anyone know what county we are heading to?



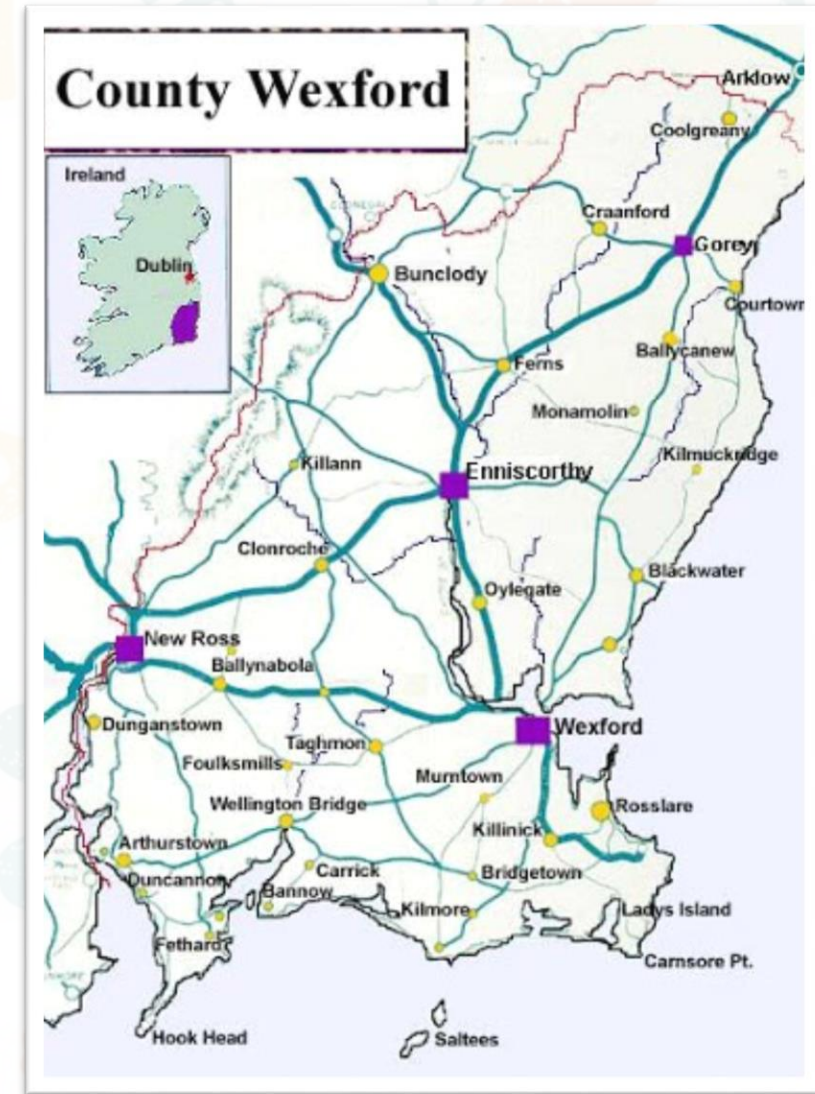
We're heading to County Wexford! What do you already know about Wexford?
Think, Pair, Share.



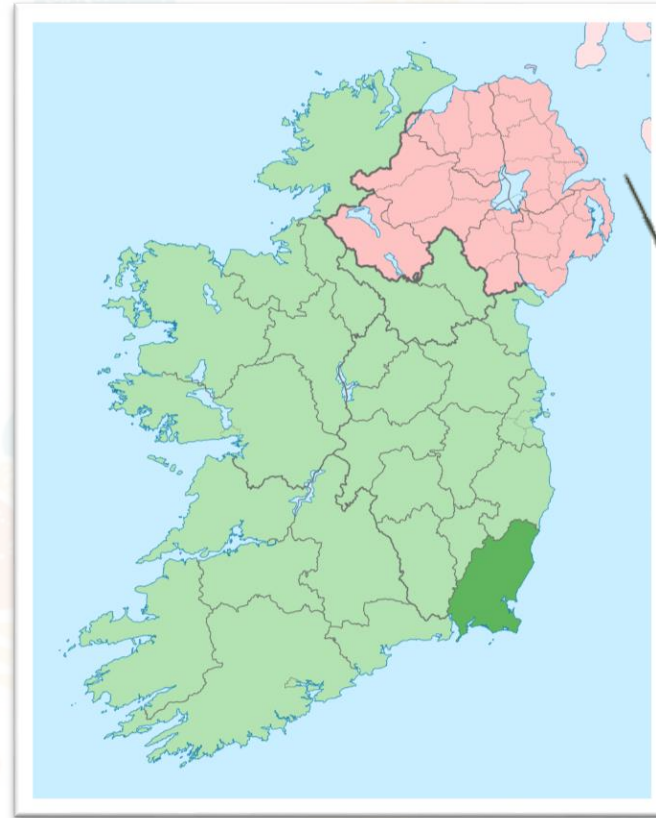


County Wexford is a coastal county in the South-East of Ireland. It is in the province of Leinster. Wexford borders Wicklow, Kilkenny, Carlow and Waterford.

Most people live in Wexford town. However there are other big towns like Gorey, Enniscorthy and New Ross. You might have heard of some of the smaller villages too like: Courtown, Kilmucridge and Ballymoney



Do you know anything that Wexford is famous for?
Think, Pair, Share.



Wexford is famous for its strawberry and potato farms. If you are driving around in the summer, you will probably see a strawberry stand at the side of the road. They sell fresh berries and potatoes to passers-by.



Wexford is also well known for its nickname 'The Sunny South East'. Usually, Wexford has more hours of sun than the other parts of Ireland. It also gets very little frosty and snowy weather because it is beside the coast.



Do you know anything that
we could do or visit while
we are in Wexford?
Think, Pair, Share.



Tourism is really important for Wexford. Every summer, lots of people come to visit the county. There is a big ferry port in Rosslare, that connects Ireland to France by sea. You can drive your car onto the ferry and drive it back off when you reach France.



There is lots to see and do in Wexford for tourists.
Have you ever heard of any of these attractions?



Hook
Lighthouse



Saltee
Islands



The Dunbrody
Famine Ship

Activity Time - Postcard Designers

We are just about to leave Wexford after spending a few days there. Design a postcard to send to someone back home from Wexford.



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What I'm Looking For:

- You postcard should have pictures of things associated with Wexford on the front.
- You should tell us what you have seen, eaten and done in Wexford on the back.
- The address of the person you are sending it to should go on the address line.
- You will need to stick a stamp on the postcard too.

The image shows a blank postcard template. It features a large rectangular area at the top for a picture. Below this is a horizontal line for an address. The bottom half of the postcard is divided into two sections: a larger section on the left for writing a message and a smaller section on the right for a stamp. The entire template is enclosed in a black border.