



WRITING AT DUBLIN



WANT YOUR
WRITING TO TAKE
OFF?

OFFERINGS

ENGLISH 9: ADOLESCENCE
(RE)IMAGINED

ENGLISH 10: GLOBAL VOICES

ENGLISH 11: VISIONS OF AMERICA

CURRENT GLOBAL ISSUES

DYSTOPIAN LITERATURE

ENVIRONMENTAL LITERATURE

FAIRY TALES AND FOLKLORE

HARLEM RENAISSANCE

INTRODUCTION TO CREATIVE WRITING

INTRODUCTION TO FICTION WRITING

JAPANESE LITERATURE IN TRANSLATION

MODERN AND CONTEMPORARY IRISH
LITERATURE

NATIVE STUDIES

NEW PLAY LAB

POETRY WRITING

RESEARCH SEMINAR WITH THEME

SHAKESPEARE

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS

WRITING HISTORY

AP ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND
COMPOSITION

AP ENGLISH LITERATURE AND
COMPOSITION

AUTHOR, ARTICULATE, AND AWAKEN YOUR POTENTIAL

Do you have an unbridled imagination and a passion for storytelling? At Dublin we give you the tools to tell your story.

THE CRAFT OF REVISION

Knowing the rules is a start, but more than that is the understanding that it takes time to find your voice. At Dublin, we teach writing as craft, treating texts as models. Students study and experiment with “mentor texts”—using them as a guide to develop their unique style and voice. They learn that good writers rearrange, add, delete, and savor the revision process as a necessary part of both analytical and creative writing. Student efforts are supported through peer collaboration, review, and one-to-one writer’s conferences with teachers.

READING TO IMPROVE WRITING

Teenagers are nothing if not unique. What challenges and excites one student, bores, terrifies, or frustrates another. For this reason, when it comes the art of reading to improve writing, English teachers at Dublin rely on variety. As students read a variety of texts and stories as models of good writing, they are consistently asking questions and seeking clarification. What does it say? What does it mean? Why does it matter?

The result is that our students become savvy consumers of the written word. Whether they are drafting essays, illuminating their insights through poetry, finding their effective voice on social media, weaving written tales of fact or fancy, or blogging about the boarding school experience—our students leave Dublin with a solid foundation of writing skills as well as an evolved and unique style.

WRITING BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

The most rewarding moment for a student writer is to see their work published. This is why we provide opportunities for our more dedicated and skilled writers to take their writing beyond the classroom. The *Truth & Courage* newspaper gives students interested in journalism or creative writing a place to hone their craft and get their first byline. The year culminates with the publication of *Layman’s Way* literary magazine, featuring more in-depth student work. Students can also participate as tutors in the student-led Writing Center.





CREATIVE "I"

SCULPT AND ORCHESTRATE

YOUR BEST SELF

ARTS OFFERINGS

3D DESIGN
ACTING SHAKESPEARE
CERAMICS
CHOIR
CHOREOGRAPHY LAB
CONTEMPORARY DANCE ENSEMBLE
DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY
DISCOVERING MUSIC: AFRICAN
AMERICAN MUSIC
DISCOVERING MUSIC: THE MUSIC OF
LATIN AMERICA DRAWING/PAINTING
DUBLINERS CHORUS
FILM FESTIVAL
IMPROVISATION
INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE
MUSIC CREATION CLUB
MUSIC PERFORMANCE LAB
MUSIC PRODUCTION
MUSIC THEORY THROUGH SONGWRITING
NEW PLAY LAB
PORTFOLIO
RECORDING STUDIO
TAP AND THEATER DANCE
THEATER DESIGN AND PRODUCTION
VOCAL, PIANO, AND GUITAR STUDIES
WOODWORKING
WOODWORKING I: FOREST TO FINISH
WOODWORKING II: ADVANCED DESIGN
CONCEPTS
WOODWORKING III: INTO THE WOODS,
A SUSTAINABLE STRUCTURE
PROJECT

CREATE. INSPIRE. PERFORM. MOVE.

HOW WILL YOU EXPRESS YOURSELF?

At Dublin, we wholeheartedly believe that arts play an important role in the quality of one's life by enriching personal cultural experiences and fueling a more creative atmosphere on campus.

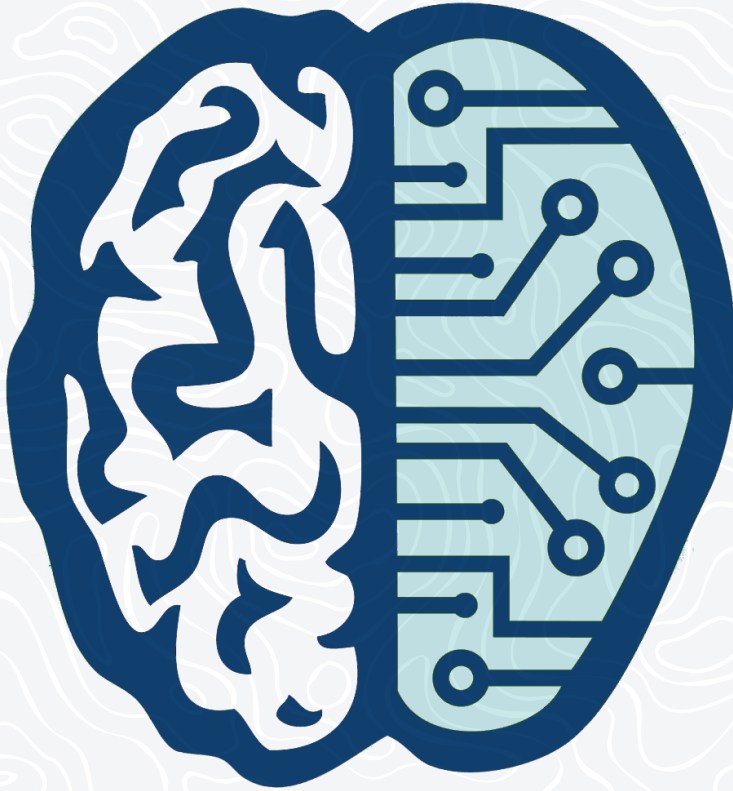
SKILL AND IMAGINATION

The Horgan Art Studio and Von Mertens Woodshop are purposefully designed, well-equipped, and much loved places on campus. We offer a full array of introductory to advanced classes in fine arts and woodworking. In addition, students in our selective art portfolio program value the time and space reserved for them to focus on their work in this bright and open space. And it shows—Dublin artists frequently win top awards at both state and national scholastic arts competitions and many go on to attend some of the nation's top art schools.

TAKE A BOW

The Fountain Arts Building is a versatile indoor/outdoor performance space with the ability to host black box and in-the-round productions. Music practice rooms and a recording studio are available for students in academic or extra-curricular music programs to build their talents. There are numerous opportunities to participate in live music, theater, and dance performances. Sound exciting? It is—and the Dublin community has a long history of being an incredibly supportive and enthusiastic audience.





TECHNOLOGY

ON THE **BRAIN?** US TOO

TECHNOLOGY COURSES

ASTRONOMY
ASTROPHOTOGRAPHY AND SCIENTIFIC IMAGING
ASTROPHYSICS AND COSMOLOGY
CIRCUITRY AND DESIGN
COMPUTER PROGRAMMING
COMPUTER AIDED DESIGN
ENGINEERING DESIGN
ENGINEERING & ROBOTICS
FABLAB PROJECTS
GAME DEVELOPMENT
IDESIGN
INNOVATION: SOURCES AND SOLUTIONS
INTRO TO HTML AND WEB DESIGN
INTRO TO C# PROGRAMMING
PROGRAMMING IN PYTHON
ROBOTICS
SOLAR ENERGY & ITS APPLICATION
TECHNOLOGY AND DESIGN
TECHNOLOGY AND ETHICS IN HISTORY
WEB DESIGN
AP COMPUTER SCIENCE PRINCIPLES
AP PHYSICS

GET YOUR GEARS TURNING

Dublin technology students describe the work they do as “awesome brain exercises” and enjoy the challenge of breaking a complex problem down into concrete, logical steps in order to find the best solution.

PROJECT-BASED LEARNING

Technology classes at Dublin are completely project-based, allowing students to immerse themselves in assignments that align with their interests. Problem-solving methods focus on “real world” processes by considering possible outcomes and end-user errors as a first step. While each student works independently on their own project, the classroom environment is highly collaborative which lends itself to group discussions about methods to enhance each project.

MORE THAN A CLASS

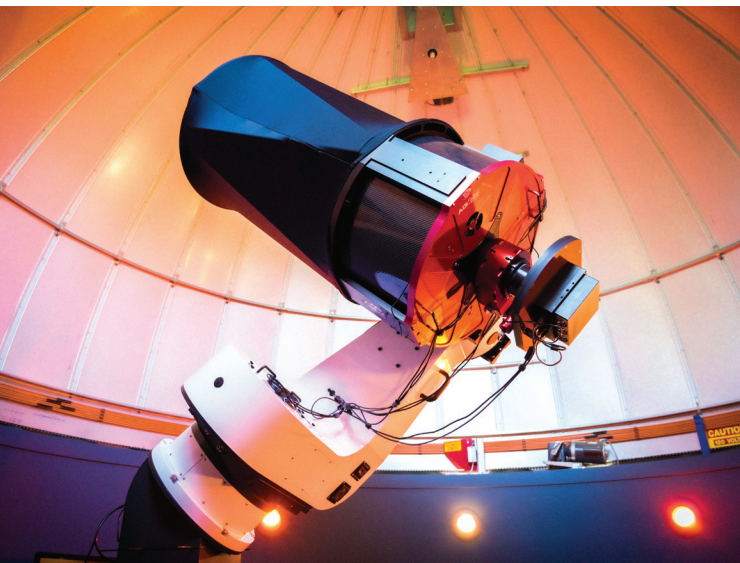
In our computer programming classes, the focus moves beyond problem-solving to abstraction when working on a particular challenge. Abstract thinking allows our programmers to look at the world and see ways in which things can be grouped together based on traits and behaviors and what things are fundamentally different. This in-depth, problem-solving approach is what makes our program unique. At Dublin, we consider computer programming an area where science, mathematics, art and philosophy all converge.

ASTRONOMY

Perched high atop the Dublin campus, the Perkin Observatory serves as a hub for astronomy and astrophysics education that is unparalleled in secondary education. Featuring a computer-controlled half-meter Corrected Dall-Kirkham astrograph equipped with research-grade imaging equipment, the observatory can be used during the daytime and at night and allows students to engage with the empirical scientific community.

MAKERSPACE

It's never been easier to turn your ideas into real-world solutions, and the Makerspace is a place where that happens every day! Whether your projects are academic, artistic, or innovative, learning to use 3D printing, laser cutting, and CNC engraving will enable you to bring life to your ideas. No prior experience necessary.





WEEKENDS AT DUBLIN



WHERE WILL THE
WEEKEND TAKE
YOU?

WEEKEND ACTIVITIES

BACHATA AND BBQ
BOARD GAMES
BOWLING
BUILD A BETTER BURGER
CAPTURE THE FLAG
CARAMEL APPLE MAKING
CASINO NIGHT
CRAFTS
DANCE PARTIES
DORM TRIPS
DUBLIN INSPIRES
FAST FOOD ALLY
HAUNTED CORN MAZE
HAYRIDE
HIDE-AND-GO-SEEK
MAKING THE PERFECT OMELET
MARIOKART PARTIES
MOVIE THEATRE TRIP
NERF WARS
OPEN OBSERVATORY NIGHT
OUTDOOR MOVIE
PING PONG TOURNAMENTS
RECORD LISTENING CLUB
SUNRISE/SUNSET HIKE
SLEDDING
SPA DAY
TAKEOUT PICK UP
TRIPS TO DOWNTOWN KEENE OR
PETERBOROUGH
TRIPS TO TARGET AND GROCERY STORE
VOLLEYBALL
WORKGANG
AND SO MUCH MORE!

RECHARGE, CONNECT, EXPLORE AND EXPERIENCE...

TGIF!

The weekend is here and the only question for many students is...“How can I possibly decide what to do?” At Dublin, both faculty and students work together to make weekends an exciting and unique part of the Dublin experience. As a result, we come up with some pretty clever ideas for ways to let off steam.

SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE...

Surrounded by the natural beauty that NH has to offer while also being close to metropolitan areas allows us to offer a range of off campus activities. From trips to Boston to visit world-renowned museums and attend sporting events, trips to Keene to see a movie, or trips to the White Mountains to hike, explore, or ski the back country—we have something for everyone! Campus activities can be just as entertaining—indoor soccer or three-on-three basketball games in the gym, board games or ping pong in the student center, capture the flag on upper field, or movies and s’mores on the quad. There’s an intention and intensity about weekends that keeps our students just as active and engaged as during the week.

OUR TRADITIONS

CAMPING TRIPS: It’s like orientation...but better. At the beginning of each school year, small groups of students and faculty spend three days camping together, intentionally starting the school year off with a shared and memorable common experience. From trips to New England state parks to more adventurous canoeing and hiking trips in the White Mountains, students make new friends and get to know teachers and fellow students they might not otherwise meet at the start of school.

REACH THE BEACH: Dublin assembles a team of brave students, faculty, and staff to run over 200 miles across the state of New Hampshire in under 36 hours. The event starts at the Bretton Woods ski area. From there, the course takes the teams through the White Mountains of New Hampshire, past fields, lakes, mountain top vistas, ultimately finishing on the Atlantic Ocean at Hampton Beach State Park NH.

WINTERFEST: Winterfest has its own energy that is pure and 100% Dublin. During the week, we have full participation of teachers and students representing their teams with pride, enthusiasm, outrageous costumes, and laughs! On Friday night, there is a crazy and raucous lip sync contest where you might see an unexpected rendition of a rap or rock song by our Head of School, your Geometry teacher, or the quiet kid in your World History class. Weekend events include ski races, sledding, curling, human bobsled races, and more creative ways to have fun outside!

