

TOBAR PROGRAMME

- A Career in Teaching -

The Irish education system needs and wants members of the Irish Traveller community to become teachers.

If you want to become a teacher, the Tobar programme can support you.

If you want to change peoples' lives and believe that education has the power to create a fairer society, teaching is the career for you.



Trinity College Dublin
Coláiste na Tríonóide, Baile Átha Cliath
The University of Dublin



The TOBAR programme is offered by Marino Institute of Education (MIE) in partnership with Trinity College Dublin (TCD).

We provide support before, during and after studying with us. This support is tailored to each individual student and is always confidential. Examples of support may include a tour of the campus on a bespoke Open Day, help with CAO application, DARE/HEAR/SUSI grant applications, finding your way around the campus, academic support such as grinds, weekly check-in with a tutor, financial assistance, etc.

We will be with you every step of the way!

The programme is open to:

- young people from the Traveller community ages 15-18 currently in secondary school who are preparing for the Leaving Certificate
- individuals who are in the final year of a level 8 undergraduate degree or who have already completed a degree who would like to become a **primary** or **secondary** school teacher



All communication with Tobar is confidential.

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Email tobar@mie.ie for further information or to arrange a visit to your school