CREST

Learner Class Overview

Practical creative media classes for adults.

- Adults aged 18 and over
- €40 per learner for a one-hour group class, with seven places
- €50 per in-person one-to-one session

What CREST is

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Creative Recording, Events & Studio Training.

- Learn by making a mix, podcast, video or broadcast.
- Explore DJ-ing, recording, events, studio skills and modern media literacy.
- Brian Burns leads the sessions.

Learning through making

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Start with an idea and try the tools.

- Choose a small creative project.
- Practise a workflow with support and review what you made.
- Two 12-week PACE pilots helped shape CREST’s practical approach.

What you can explore

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Try one medium or combine several in your project.

- DJ-ing, music selection and mixing.
- Recording, microphones, interfaces and podcasting.
- Audio and video editing, livestreaming and broadcasting.
- Event sound, signal flow and practical stage gear.

Modern media literacy

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Understand how media is made and shared.

- Check sources and recognise how editing can alter meaning.
- Credit creators and ask what you have permission to use.
- Consider consent and privacy before you record or publish.

The classroom

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A practical space to try the equipment.

- Brian provides the core demonstration setup.
- Shared-screen demos sit alongside hands-on practice.
- Ask whether headphones or a laptop would help for your class.

Class formats and prices

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Book directly and pay for your own place.

Group class	€40 per learner. One hour, seven learner places.
In-person one-to-one	€50 per session. Agree duration, topic and venue with Brian.

Lead facilitator

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Brian Burns.

- Musician, sound engineer and educator based in the Drogheda area.
- City & Guilds training and studies at Temple Bar Music Centre and Ballyfermot.
- Performs as BONESTORM and plays bass with The Stonecold Hobos.

A project to take forward

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Pick something you would like to make.

- Record a short interview or podcast segment.
- Build a mix around a mood or style.
- Edit a short video or plan a livestream with clear sources and credits.

Ask about a place

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Tell Brian what you would like to make.

- Say whether you prefer a one-hour group class or an in-person one-to-one.
- Check available dates, the venue and what to bring.
- Visit CREST learner enquiries or message @burnsey_bonestorm.