

## High School - Student Experience Report - November 2025

Student Name: **Botond István Patkós**

School: **Glenamaddy Community School**

Meeting Date: **20/11/25**

FL Student Coordinator: **Jenny**



**Sziias and Botond at the main entrance of the school**

## School Feedback

The feedback has been provided based on meetings between the FL coordinator and school staff.

	EXCELLENT	VERY GOOD	GOOD	IN PROGRESS
Integration in class		X		
Integration in school life		X		
English fluency - written	X			
English fluency - verbal	X			
Attitude and effort	X			

- An engaged and excellent pupil. Hard working and proactive in his communication. He is eager to learn and is doing his best to integrate into classes during his stay.

## Host Family Feedback

*"Botond has made a good effort to chat and integrate with the family. He likes soccer so has great conversations with my husband Tony about different games they are watching. He is a quiet child, but has made an effort to communicate and is always open to making conversation."*

Host mother, Stella.

## Student Feedback

Q. Rate your experience of your term in Ireland.

*Student Rating: 10/10*

Q. Please tell us a little more about your time with your host family?

I like my host family. I like how they are very friendly and helpful. I also love the food and I adore their cat, he is really funny. They have made me feel comfortable and welcomed.

Q. Are you happy with your school?

*Student Rating: 10/10*

Q. What is one of your favourite memories as an international student?

Playing football during the lunch break.

Q. What challenges have you overcome /are you overcoming?

Homesickness, I felt a little homesick in the first few days but after talking with my family and friends through calls I don't feel homesick anymore. I am adjusting to the experience.

Q. What advice would you give to someone who wants to study abroad?

Don't hesitate just go for it, it's going to be really fun.

Q. Use one word to describe your experience in Ireland.

Lovely

Q. How could we make your experience in Ireland better?

I honestly feel like I have the best experience I could ever get, so it can't be made better. I am already really happy with it.

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Botond said that the experience has been a challenge but also an opportunity for a new experience. He is doing well at embracing his time in Ireland and is making the most of his time in the programme. Botond is being proactive in his communication with the host family and in school. The school is very happy with his efforts and work.

Jenny

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