

Local Authority Executive Traineeship Programme 2026



Earn • Learn • Succeed in Local Government

Start your career with Laois County Council while earning a salary and gaining a degree

Get Qualified While You Work

Year 1: Certificate in Local Government

Year 2: Diploma in Local Government

Years 3-5: BA (Hons) in Public Management



Who can apply?

- 6th year leaving cert students (2025/2026 academic year)
- Resident in County Laois

What Will You Do?

Work across key County Council services:

- Planning
- Housing
- Roads
- Community Services
- Governance

Pay & Benefits

Starting salary: €31,619

35-hour working week

Ongoing mentoring,
training & career
development

Apply Now

Closing Date: 30 June 2026 at 1.00pm

Apply online:

<https://laoiscoco.submit.com/>

Further Information

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