

Minister English : October – December 2022

October 2022

▲ 3 Oct

All Day Trade Mission & Visit to ESA ESRIN Facility

▲ 4 Oct

Trade Mission & Visit to ESA ESRIN Facility

■ 14:04 – 14:34 ALL MUST ATTEND - Leaders Questions

■ 14:34 – 15:04 ALL MUST ATTEND - QPL

■ 15:30 – 16:15 Meet Pilgrims Health

■ 16:15 – 17:00 Meet IBEC

▲ 5 Oct

■ 10:30 – 12:00 Visit Kildare Chamber

■ 12:45 – 13:30 Visit Kildare Chamber (Manufacturing visit)

■ 14:00 – 14:15 (Phonecall) Pre-brief on Retail Forum

■ 14:30 – 15:00 Attend 'Independent Radio Stations' (LMFM) briefing for Oireachtas Members

■ 15:00 – 17:30 Retail Forum

■ 20:30 – 21:00 Voting Block

▲ 7 Oct

■ 10:00 – 10:45 Meet ShopNearBuy

■ 19:00 – 22:00 Tipperary Chamber Awards

▲ 11 Oct

All Day Front Bench Cover

■ 11:45 – 12:45 Meet Boliden Tara Mines

■ 13:00 – 14:00 "Sod turning" at SPADE Enterprise Centre

■ 14:04 – 14:34 ALL MUST ATTEND - Leaders Questions

■ 14:30 – 15:30 Commencement Matters

■ 14:34 – 15:04 ALL MUST ATTEND - QPL

■ 15:30 – 16:15 Pre-Brief - Employ Permits Bill

▲ 12 Oct

■ 07:30 – 09:00 EI International Markets Week Business Breakfast

■ 12:04 – 12:34 ON ROTA- Leaders Questions

- 12:34 – 13:04 ON ROTA- QPL
 - 13:00 – 14:00 Meet with Mission Critical
 - 14:28 – 18:23 Employment Permits Bill
 - 20:30 – 21:00 Voting Block
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▲ 17 Oct

- 13:00 – 14:30 EIRSAT-1 Photocall
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▲ 18 Oct

- 13:30 – 14:00 DCCI Design Week Ireland Photocall
 - 14:04 – 14:34 ALL MUST ATTEND - Leaders Questions
 - 14:34 – 15:04 ALL MUST ATTEND - QPL
 - 15:30 – 16:00 Meet with DETE HR Manager
 - 16:00 – 16:30 Pre-brief re National Oversight Group for REPs
 - 18:00 – 19:00 Attend Bordbia 10th anniversary of Foodworks
 - 22:00 – 23:00 VMTV re Energy Costs, Vaping & Space Sector
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▲ 19 Oct

- 10:15 – 12:30 National Oversight Group for REPs
 - 13:00 – 13:45 Meet Business Post Labs
 - 16:00 – 17:00 Meet with DETE Officials
 - 20:30 – 21:00 Voting Block
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▲ 20 Oct

- 11:00 – 13:00 FYI: DSP MMB
 - 12:04 – 12:34 ON ROTA- Leaders Questions
 - 12:34 – 13:04 ON ROTA- QPL
 - 13:00 – 14:15 Visit to WRC Cork
 - 14:30 – 16:00 Retail Visits Cork
 - 16:00 – 17:30 Retail Q & A
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▲ 22 Oct

- 10:00 – 12:00 Meath Energy Expo
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▲ 25 Oct

- 12:30 – 13:30 Photocall to Launch Sport to Start-Up Programme
- 14:04 – 14:34 ALL MUST ATTEND - Leaders Questions
- 14:34 – 15:04 ALL MUST ATTEND - QPL

▲ 26 Oct

- 12:00 – 13:00 EU Single Permit Directive
- 12:04 – 12:34 ON ROTA- Leaders Questions
- 12:34 – 13:04 ON ROTA- QPL
- 13:30 – 14:30 QHubs National Steering Group Meeting
- 16:00 – 17:00 FYI: FG PP - Ukrainian Civil Society Forum
- 21:54 – 22:24 Voting Block

▲ 27 Oct

- All Day FRONT BENCH COVER
- 09:00 – 10:30 Oral PQ's
- 13:45 – 14:45 Meeting with RGDATA
- 14:45 – 15:00 Pre-Brief - Living Wage
- 15:00 – 17:00 Meeting with Retail Unit on the Living Wage
- 17:50 – 18:38 Topical Issues

November 2022

▲ 1 Nov

- ▨ All Day Dáil RECESS

▲ 2 Nov

- ▨ All Day Dáil RECESS
- 13:00 – 14:35 Donegal Leo Visit
- 14:35 – 16:00 Visit to MMG Welding (LEO)

▲ 3 Nov

- ▨ All Day Dáil RECESS
- 09:15 – 09:30 LMFM re Housing for all update & Housing for Ukrainians

▲ 4 Nov

- 11:15 – 12:00 Friday Forum with Pat Kenny Newstalk

▲ 7 Nov

- 11:00 – 11:30 SWAG Pre-Press Conf Brief (with Min Butler)
 - 17:30 – 18:30 Meet with Tánaiste
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▲ **8 Nov**

- 10:00 – 10:20 BURST Launch
 - 10:30 – 12:00 Senior Ministers Meeting
 - 12:45 – 13:15 News at ONE (RTE)
 - 14:00 – 15:00 Pre MMB with Tánaiste
 - 14:04 – 14:34 ALL MUST ATTEND - Leaders Questions
 - 14:34 – 15:04 ALL MUST ATTEND - QPL
 - 15:15 – 17:15 Ministerial Management Board
 - 16:30 – 16:45 Pre-brief on Credit Guarantee (Amend) Bill
 - 16:44 – 18:12 Credit Guarantee (Amend) Bill (2nd stage)
 - 21:42 – 22:30 Topical Issues
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▲ **9 Nov**

- 11:15 – 12:00 Meet with Senator Byrne & Kavanagh Bros
 - 16:00 – 16:45 White Paper Briefing with DETE Officials
 - 16:45 – 17:30 Meet DCCI
 - 17:34 – 18:35 Credit Guarantee (Amend) Bill (2nd Stage)
 - 20:30 – 21:00 Voting Block
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▲ **10 Nov**

- 09:15 – 09:30 LMFM - Michael Reade - Tech Sector
 - 12:00 – 13:15 I-LOFAR Onsite visit Birr
 - 14:00 – 15:30 Attend Graduation of Retail Ireland Apprenticeship in Retail Supervision
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▲ **11 Nov**

- 11:30 – 12:30 Meet with Employment Permits Unit
 - 12:30 – 13:00 Meet with DETE Officials re IBYE
 - 13:00 – 15:00 SFA Annual Lunch
 - 19:00 – 22:00 NISO Awards
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▲ **12 Nov**

- 19:00 – 23:30 Retail Excellence Awards
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▲ **14 Nov**

- 09:30 – 10:30 Photocall for Student Enterprise Program
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▲ **15 Nov**

- 10:30 – 12:30 SME Roundtable event BPFI & Photocall

- 13:00 – 14:00 Meet with Musgraves
 - 14:04 – 14:34 ALL MUST ATTEND - Leaders Questions
 - 14:34 – 15:04 ALL MUST ATTEND - QPL
 - 15:00 – 15:30 Commencement Matters
 - 15:00 – 16:30 Mid-East Steering Committee
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▲ 16 Nov

- 10:30 – 12:30 SME Taskforce Meeting
 - 12:30 – 16:00 FYI Tourism Jobs & Recovery – IHF Briefing
 - 13:00 – 13:15 Video for ERF Awards
 - 13:15 – 13:30 Video for National Start up Awards
 - 13:15 – 14:00 Meet with DETE Officials
 - 14:15 – 15:10 Minister to attend Future Makers Awards
 - 15:15 – 17:15 Determination of Employment Status
 - 17:50 – 19:50 Credit Guarantee (Amend) Bill (Cmte & Remaining)
 - 20:19 – 20:49 Voting Block
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▲ 17 Nov

- 10:30 – 10:45 South East Radio - Alan Corcoran, Topics - Budget Supports & DSP Announcement
 - 10:45 – 11:00 Ocean FM - NorthWest Today - Topics - Budget Supports & DSP Announcement
 - 17:00 – 17:30 RTE Drivetime - Living Wage & Russian Ambassador
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▲ 18 Nov

- 16:00 – 18:00 Front Bench Meeting
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▲ 19 Nov

- 11:15 – 12:30 RTE 1 Panel Discussion - 'Housing' (Note - 12pm to 12.30pm will be live)
 - 12:50 – 14:00 Katie Hannon Show (Peadar Toibin Aontú & Senator Rebecca Moynihan Labour on panel)
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▲ 21 Nov

- 17:00 – 17:30 Radio interview - Will Browne BCR
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▲ 22 Nov

- All Day [ESA Council - Paris](#)
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▲ **23 Nov**

- Start of Day – 15:00 ESA Council - Paris
 - 19:15 – 20:30 Credit Guarantee (Amend) Bill (2nd Stage)
 - 22:00 – 22:30 Voting Block
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▲ **24 Nov**

- 12:00 – 12:34 ON ROTA - LEADERS QUESTIONS
 - 12:34 – 13:04 ON ROTA - QPL
 - 13:50 – 15:15 DRCD National Hub Summit
 - 19:34 – 20:22 Topical Issues
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▲ **25 Nov**

- 20:00 – 21:30 Meath Business & Tourism Awards
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▲ **29 Nov**

- 09:30 – 11:30 Student Enterprise Challenge
 - 13:45 – 14:45 Meet Age-Friendly Irl with Tánaiste
 - 14:04 – 14:34 ALL MUST ATTEND - Leaders Questions
 - 14:34 – 15:04 ALL MUST ATTEND - QPL
 - 15:15 – 16:30 Credit Guarantee (Amend) Bill 2022 (2nd Stage)
 - 16:30 – 17:00 Pre-brief on Supplementary Estimates
 - 17:00 – 17:45 Meet Minister Heydon re Employ Permits
 - 18:45 – 19:15 Pre-brief on Permits Bill
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▲ **30 Nov**

- 09:30 – 10:30 Select Committee on Supplementary Estimates, JCETE
 - 10:30 – 12:30 Permit Bill (Cmte Stage)
 - 12:00 – 12:34 ON ROTA - LEADERS QUESTIONS
 - 12:34 – 13:04 ON ROTA - QPL
 - 12:45 – 13:00 Meet with Min Butler ahead of SWAG
 - 13:00 – 14:00 SWAG Future of Homecare with Min Butler
 - 14:15 – 15:00 Meeting with Redundancy Unit
 - 15:45 – 16:15 Credit Guarantee (Amend) Bill 2022 (Cmte & Remain Stages)
 - 17:15 – 17:30 Drivetime re Employment Permits for Homecarers & Children's Hospital overspend
 - 21:00 – 21:30 Voting Block
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December 2022

▲ 1 Dec

- 09:30 – 09:45 Radio Kerry - In Business (Pre-Record for Thursday) – Topic: Expansion of LEO Supports
- 10:30 – 11:30 Roundtable Mastercard & Enterprise Nation
- 12:00 – 13:00 Meeting with Minister Ivan McKee
- 13:15 – 13:30 Video re Skills for Better Business
- 13:45 – 15:30 ALL MUST ATTEND - Address by President of European Commission, Ms Ursula von der Leyen
- 15:45 – 16:30 Meeting with TPD Consulting

▲ 2 Dec

- All Day SPACE Compet (Formal) - Brussels

▲ 4 Dec

- 12:00 – 13:00 TWIP (Venue RTÉ TV Centre – in Studio)

▲ 5 Dec

- 09:30 – 11:30 Meeting of the Enterprise Forum

▲ 6 Dec

- 14:04 – 14:34 ALL MUST ATTEND - Leaders Questions
- 14:34 – 15:04 ALL MUST ATTEND - QPL
- 15:30 – 16:00 Meet FICI & Deputy Emer Higgins
- 16:15 – 17:00 Meet Deputy Joe Carey & Crewit
- 22:30 – 23:18 Topical Issues

▲ 7 Dec

- 09:12 – 10:00 Topical Issues
- 10:30 – 12:30 Retail Forum
- 12:30 – 13:30 Press Conference re White paper on Enterprise
- 13:15 – 14:15 TRAVEL TO AIRPORT

▲ 8 Dec

- All Day EPSCO Formal (Employment & Social Affairs)
- 07:30 – 19:30 EPP & EPSCO Ministerial Meeting

▲ **9 Dec**

■ 09:00 – 10:30 Regional Radio re TBESS Scheme

▲ **13 Dec**

■ 14:04 – 14:34 ALL MUST ATTEND - Leaders Questions

■ 14:34 – 15:04 ALL MUST ATTEND - QPL

■ 23:30 – 01:00 Oral PQ's

▲ **14 Dec**

■ 10:30 – 12:00 Visit UCD re Eirsat 1

■ 12:00 – 12:34 ON ROTA - LEADERS QUESTIONS

■ 12:34 – 13:04 ON ROTA - QPL

■ 15:00 – 17:00 6th SME & State Bodies Group Meeting

■ 20:30 – 21:00 Voting Block

▲ **15 Dec**

■ 10:30 – 14:00 IBYE Meeting

■ 15:00 – 17:30 Meet Senator Seery Kearney

▲ **16 Dec**

■ 11:30 – 12:00 The Gathering Panel for Claire Byrne Show

▲ **20 Dec – 31 Dec**

All Day Dáil Recess