



**Minister of State Malcolm Noonan
Diary Schedule
October 2021**

27 September 2021 - 3 October 2021

September 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

October 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Monday 27 September

- 09:00 - 09:30 Team Meeting (Constituency Office) ☉
- 10:00 - 10:30 Weekly meeting with Councillor Dollard ☉
- 14:30 - 14:50 Photo-call to mark the opening of the consultation on the draft River Basin Management Plan for Ireland 2022 - 2027 (Turvey Nature Reserve, Fingal)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Meeting with An Fóram Uisce and officials on RBMP (The Shoreline Hotel, Donabate)
- 18:00 - 18:30 Short PP ☉

Tuesday 28 September

- Dail Sitting 14:00 - 22:23
- 10:00 - 10:30 Weekly check in - Hannah Hamilton (Housing) ☉
- 10:30 - 10:40 GP staff check in (Virtual)
- 11:00 - 12:00 Weekly meeting with Adviser (Minister's Office) - Malcolm Noonan (Housing) ☉
- 12:00 - 12:30 PQ briefing session with officials and Ministers (Virtual)
- 12:30 - 13:30 Budget 2022 meeting with Minister McGrath (Minister McGrath's Meeting room, DPER, South Block)
- 14:10 - 14:55 Meeting with European Commissioner Sinkevičius and Minister Ryan
- 17:15 - 18:04 Minister Noonan needed for cover on HFA statements (LH)
- 20:04 - 21:34 Oral PQs - DHLGH (Dáil)

Wednesday 29 September

- Dail Sitting 09:12 - 21:30
- 08:45 - 12:45 Minister to speak at Community Wetlands Forum / Eurosite (Abbeyleix Manor Hotel, Abbeyleix, Laois)
- 15:30 - 17:00 Minister to close Seanad HFA statements (Seanad chamber)
- 17:00 - 19:00 PP Meeting ☉
- 21:00 - 21:30 Voting Block (LH)

Thursday 30 September

- Dail Sitting 09:00 - 21:53
- 11:00 - 12:00 Meeting with Irish Ambassador to Portugal (Avenida da Liberdade, Lisbon, Portugal)
- 12:00 - 13:30 Meeting with Ms. Sara Ribeiro, Lisbon City Council / Municipal Agency for Housing and Urban Development (Praça do Município, Lisbon, Portugal)
- 19:00 - 21:00 OSPAR Convention Ministerial Official Reception & Working Dinner (Palácio Seixas, Cascais, Portugal)

Friday 1 October

- 09:30 - 16:00 Minister to attend and speak at OSPAR Convention Ministerial meeting (Palácio da Cidadela, Cascais, Portugal)

Saturday 2 October

Sunday 3 October

4 October 2021 - 10 October 2021

October 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
					1	2
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

November 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

Monday 4 October

- 09:00 - 09:30 Team Meeting (Constituency Office) ☺
- 10:00 - 11:30 Visit to St. Mary's Church, Callan (Callan, Kilkenny)
- 14:00 - 18:00 Minister to meet with Australian Ambassador to Ireland (Kilkenny)
- 17:50 - 18:10 KCLR radio interview with Sue Nunn
- 18:10 - 18:30 Short PP (virtual) ☺

Tuesday 5 October

- Dail Sitting 14.00 - 21.48 (LH)
- 09:00 - 10:00 Weekly meeting with Adviser (Minister's Office) - Malcolm Noonan (Housing) ☺
- 10:00 - 11:00 Meeting between Minister Noonan and officials (Web-Ex) - Ashley Tonge (Housing)
- 11:00 - 12:00 Meeting with SoS and Oireachtas Members (Virtual)

Wednesday 6 October

- Dail Sitting 09:12 - approx. 22:00 (LH)
- 09:00 - 10:00 Meeting between Minister Noonan and officials to discuss biodiversity/water synergies (Web-Ex)
- 10:30 - 11:00 Minister to attend EU environmental council meeting with Minister Ryan (Luxembourg)
- 13:30 - 15:00 Minister Noonan to attend working lunch of EU Environmental Council (Luxembourg)
- 18:00 - 18:10 PP Meeting ☺

Thursday 7 October

- Dail Sitting 09:00 - 18:12 (LH)
- 09:15 - 10:00 Minister to launch Peatlands Gathering 2021 (Virtual)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Meeting with officials (Virtual)
- 12:00 - 12:34 Minister Noonan to cover Leader's Questions (LH)
- 12:34 - 13:04 Minister Noonan on Cover QPL (LH)
- 14:00 - 14:30 Pre-record for NMS Public Archaeology Conference (CH)
- 14:30 - 15:00 Pre record for COP 15
- 16:09 - 16:57 Minister Noonan to take Topical Issues (LH)

Friday 8 October

- 11:00 - 12:15 Meeting with Minister Brown and Cllr Murphy to view tail race on the River Slaney (Clohamon weir, Co. Wexford)
- 13:30 - 14:30 Minister to visit Raven reserve (The raven nature reserve, wexford)
- 15:30 - 16:30 Visit to Fethard Castle (R734, Fethard, Co. Wexford)
- 17:00 - 18:30 Minister to attend Launch of 'Much More Than Words' (Butler Gallery)

Saturday 9 October

Sunday 10 October

- 19:00 - 20:00 Harvest Thanksgiving (St Lachatain's, Freshford)

11 October 2021 - 17 October 2021

October 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
					1	2
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

November 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

Monday 11 October

- 09:00 - 09:30 Team Meeting (Constituency Office) ☉
- 10:00 - 10:30 Weekly meeting with Councillor Dollard ☉
- 11:00 - 11:45 Kilkenny Chamber meeting 3/3
- 14:00 - 15:00 Constituency visit by General Secretary of Green Party
- 18:00 - 18:30 Short PP ☉

Tuesday 12 October

- Dail Sitting 13:00-00:30
- 09:00 - 10:00 Weekly meeting with Adviser (Minister's Office) - Malcolm Noonan (Housing) ☉
- 10:00 - 10:30 Weekly check in - Hannah Hamilton (Housing) ☉
- 12:00 - 12:10 Minister to take Commencement matter (1) (Seanad)
- 12:15 - 13:00 PP only budget briefing (Zoom)
- 18:00 - 18:45 Budget press conference (Government Press Centre)
- 20:00 - 21:40 Voting Block - Financial Resolutions (Leinster House)

Wednesday 13 October

- Dail Sitting 10:30- 21:30
- 11:10 - 11:20 KCLR Interview re: Budget
- 12:00 - 12:34 Minister to cover Leaders Questions (LH)
- 13:55 - 15:50 Presentation of Credentials to President by newly appointed Ambassadors (Áras an Uachtarain)
- 17:00 - 19:00 PP Meeting ☉

Thursday 14 October

- Dail Sitting 10:30-18:48
- MINISTER ON FRONT BENCH COVER
- 10:30 - 11:30 Minister Noonan to take Seanad Commencement Matters (Seanad Chamber) ☉
- 12:00 - 12:34 Minister to cover Leaders Questions (LH)
- 12:34 - 13:04 Minister to cover QPL (LH)
- 13:47 - 13:55 Minister Noonan- Statement on Budget 2022
- 16:30 - 18:00 Minister on Front Bench Cover (LH)

Friday 15 October

- 09:00 - 10:15 Ministerial Management Board (Virtual) - Mary O'Keeffe (Housing)
- 11:00 - 11:30 KCLR Interview (Walters bar and grill, Bagnelstown)
- 14:00 - 15:00 Visit Drummin Bog Project (Drummond Hall, Drummond, Co Carlow R95 DH34)
- 17:45 - 19:00 Minister to speak at IAF screening of documentary shorts (Lighthouse Cinema)

Saturday 16 October

- 10:00 - 16:00 Minister to attend - Biodiversity Day Event (Clonegal, Huntington Castle)

Sunday 17 October

18 October 2021 - 24 October 2021

October 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
					1	2
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

November 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
	1	2	3	4	5	6
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

Monday 18 October

- 09:00 - 09:30 Team Meeting (Constituency Office) ☉
- 10:00 - 10:30 Weekly meeting with Councillor Dollard ☉
- 10:30 - 11:30 Briefing re Maritime Area Planning Bill 2021 (Webex)
- 15:30 - 16:15 Ministerial briefing on draft Nitrates Action Programme- (web ex)
- 18:00 - 18:30 Short PP ☉
- 18:30 - 19:30 Cabinet Committee on the Environment and Climate Change

Tuesday 19 October

- Dáil sitting 14:00- 22:53 (LH)
- 09:00 - 10:00 Weekly meeting with Adviser (Minister's Office) - Malcolm Noonan (Housing) ☉
- 10:00 - 10:30 Weekly check in - Hannah Hamilton (Housing) ☉
- 11:00 - 12:00 Meeting with Electoral Commission staff and officials (Minister's Office, Custom House)
- 14:00 - 15:00 Meeting with GP members to discuss gender imbalance amongst elected officials (Web-ex)
- 15:10 - 15:30 Minister taking final Commencement Matter (Seanad)
- 19:10 - 20:10 Minister to cover 2nd hour of SF PMB on Renters (Dáil)

Wednesday 20 October

- Dáil sitting 9:12- 21:30 (LH)
- 11:00 - 12:00 NPWS/Ministerial meeting (Web ex)
- 12:30 - 14:00 Minister to speak at Heritage Council Heritage Awards (Croke Park Hotel)
- 17:00 - 19:00 PP Meeting ☉
- 21:00 - 21:30 Voting Block

Thursday 21 October

- Dáil sitting 9:00-20:30 (LH)
- 10:00 - 11:30 Visit to Kilmainham Mill with Deputy Costello and officials (Kilmainham Mill)
- 12:00 - 12:34 Minister to cover LQs (Dáil)
- 12:34 - 13:04 Minister to cover QPL (Dáil)
- 13:30 - 14:30 Meeting with officials re Public Consultation Plan and Schedule (RBMP) (web-ex)
- 15:00 - 16:30 Meeting with Cllr Claire Byrne (Dublin)
- 20:35 - 21:23 Minister Noonan to take Topical Issue 1 and 2 (Dáil) ☉
- 22:00 - 23:00 Meetings with Cork City North Greens (web ex)

Friday 22 October

- 10:00 - 10:30 Carlow Chamber
- 10:30 - 10:45 Newstalk Pat Kenny Show- Irish Wildlife Crimes Unit
- 11:00 - 12:00 Meeting with (Community Gardens Ireland) (Teams)
- 17:45 - 18:20 Wolfwalkers: The Exhibition (Butler Gallery)
- 18:30 - 22:00 Community Radio Ireland Annual Conference in Kilkenny (Ormonde Hotel, Kilkenny City)

Saturday 23 October

- 12:00 - 15:00 Climate Assembly Éire (Young People's Climate Assembly) (Virtual)
- 16:00 - 18:00 Launch of short film entitled 'A Woman's Culm' commissioned as part of The Decade of Centenaries by Kilkenny County Council. (Coon Hall, Coon, Co. Kilkenny)

Sunday 24 October

25 October 2021 - 31 October 2021

October 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

November 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

Monday 25 October

☐ Bank Holiday

Tuesday 26 October

09:00 - 10:00 Weekly meeting with Adviser (Minister's Office) - Malcolm Noonan (Housing) ☉

10:00 - 10:30 Weekly check in - Hannah Hamilton (Housing) ☉

Wednesday 27 October

10:00 - 11:30 Photocall - HSF/BHIS launch (Tynan's Bar/Rothe House)

17:00 - 19:00 PP Meeting ☉

Thursday 28 October

Friday 29 October

11:00 - 12:30 Book Launch with John Whelan (Garden Terrace and Orangerie @Butler House)

12:30 - 13:30 Meeting re Nore Vision (Pembroke Hotel)

14:00 - 17:00 Young Irish Filmmakers (St Patrick's Road)

17:00 - 17:30 Minister at Community Radio Kilkenny City with Minister O'Gorman

18:00 - 19:00 Minister at Ossory Youth Services with Minister O'Gorman (Desert House, Kilkenny)

Saturday 30 October

Sunday 31 October