

County Sligo Heritage & Genealogy Centre

List of Services

1.) Single Record Search

We can search our database for a single baptism, marriage or death record. Depending on the length of time spent researching and the number of sources consulted, a single record search can cost between €8.00 euro and €20.00 euro. This fee is based on the time spent on research and not necessarily on the results.

If a record is located it will be sent to you by email or post for no extra charge. Please note that the minimum fee of €8.00 euro is payable in advance of the search being carried out.

2.) Location Search

A location search endeavours to identify the parish or townland where your ancestors came from, thereby enabling you to visit the area they once resided. As part of the location search, you are provided with various maps of the area outlining the area relevant to your search. A fixed fee of € 25.00 euro applies and is payable in advance. This fee is based on the time spent on research and not necessarily on the results.

3.) Single Generation Family Search

This search covers research for the marriage of a couple and for all children recorded baptised and born to this couple in our collection of pre- 1900 church records and all civil records available to us,

Depending on the length of time spent researching, and the number of records uncovered, a single generation family search can cost between €35.00 euro and €60.00 euro. This fee is based on the time spent on research and not necessarily on the results. Where records are located they will be sent to you by email or post for no extra charge. A minimum fee of €35.00 euro is payable in advance of the research being carried out.

4.) Multi-Generation Family Search

This is the most comprehensive research option that we provide. It covers in-depth research across multiple generations of a single family line, up to 1911, using all genealogical sources available to us for research here at our centre. To commission research under this option, a non-refundable deposit of €75.00 euro is required in advance. This fee is based on the time spent on research and not necessarily on the results.

In the event of a successful search, this fee will also include the provision of up to twelve record transcripts pertaining to your ancestors. If a significant number of additional records

are uncovered in the course of this research, we will provide you with a quotation for the costs of obtaining these. A discount rate will apply as a fee has already been paid.

Please note that we will only recommend this research option, when there is a reasonable chance of success. This can only be done after an assessment of the information you submit in the attached application form.

5.) Research Consultation Service

If you are visiting the centre and need some assistance with your own research, then a personal consultation with an experienced researcher can be arranged in advance. The researcher will assist you with all the professional advice they can, from their experience dealing with family history research.

This service is by appointment only and is subject to availability. The fee for this service is €30.00 per hour.