Minister English: October – December 2021

October 2021

- ^ 4 Oct
 - 14:00 15:00 Minister to attend Technical Briefing of NDP
- ^ 5 Oct

07:30 – 07:45	Minister on Radio Kerry
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- 07:45 08:00 Minister on Midwest Radio
- 09:00 13:00 Visit to Fingal LEO
- 14:04 14:34 ON ROTA- Leaders Questions
- 14:34 15:04 ON ROTA Order of Business and Questions on Promised Legislation
- 15:00 15:30 Breast Cancer Awareness Month Photoshoot
- 15:00 15:30 Commencement Matters
- 21:00 21:48 Topical Issues
- ▲ 6 Oct
 - 09:12 10:00 Topical Issues
 - 10:00 10:15 Highland Radio (Donegal)
 - 10:30 11:00 Pre-Brief re UCD meeting
 - 12:00 12:34 ON ROTA- Leaders Questions
 - 12:34 13:04 ON ROTA Questions on Promised Legislation
 - 13:00 14:15 Meeting with UCD Centre for Space Research
 - 14:00 17:00 Pre-Budget Stakeholder Discussion
 - 17:00 19:00 Voting Block

^ 7 Oct

- 10:30 11:30 Commencement Matters
- 11:00 11:45 Meeting with Minister Browne re Atypical Workers
- 12:00 12:30 Leaders Questions
- 12:30 12:45 Phone call with Permits Official
- 12:34 13:04 Questions on Promised Legislation
- 13:00 13:45 Meeting with Forsa
- 17:30 18:00 Press Conference (Corp Tax)
- 18:00 18:30 Drivetime

11 Oct

- 12:30 13:00 Video Recordings
- 17:00 17:30 DETE Budget Briefing

▲ 12 Oct

- 12:30 13:00 No 4: Commencement Matter (Work permits that will make it easier for non-EU nationals to work in Ireland)
- 13:00 20:30 BUDGET
- 14:45 15:00 Pre-Press Conference Meeting
- 15:00 16:00 DETE Budget Press Conference
- 16:00 16:30 Pre-record Midlands 103fm Budget 2022
- After 20:00 VOTING BLOCK

▲ 13 Oct

- 09:15 09:45 Minister on LMFM Budget 2022 & Local Issues
- 10:30 11:00 IBEC Webinar
- 11:00 11:30 All Island Space Industry Event (Pre-record message)
- 12:00 12:34 Leaders Questions
- 12:30 21:30 Statements on Budget
- 13:04 13:34 Minister in Chamber for Statements
- 15:00 16:00 NSAI Virtual Standards Forum 2021
- 16:00 17:00 Update from Official on Review of EP List
- 17:00 17:30 Meet with IFA

▲ 14 Oct

13:44 – 18:00 Govt Business - Budget 2022 speeches (resumed)

▲ 20 Oct

- 09:00 10:00 Visit to County Council Chamber M:Tek Monaghan
- 10:00 − 11:00 Visit to Worktop Precision Ltd
- 11:00 12:00 Visit to George Quinn Ltd
- 12:00 12:34 ON ROTA- Leaders Questions
- 12:00 13:00 Minister to visit Monaghan Mushrooms
- 12:34 13:04 ON ROTA Questions on Promised Legislation

•	13:30 – 13:45	Interview with Northern Sound - Monaghan Visit & Reopening
	14:00 – 15:30	Cavan Digital Hub - Cavan LEO Visit

■ 15:45 – 16:20 Visit to Áine Handmade Chocolates

16:30 – 17:00 Visit to Arch- I Modular Solutions

■ 17:15 – 18:15 Meeting with Senator O'Reilly

21:00 – 21:30 Voting Block

▲ 21 Oct

10:15 – 10:45 Launch of Contactless Payment Keep Cup

■ 11:15 – 12:15 Deliveroo meeting

■ 12:00 – 12:30 Leaders Questions

12:34 – 13:04 Questions on Promised Legislation

■ 13:00 – 14:30 Dun Laoghaire/Rathdown LEO Visit

15:00 – 15:30 Visit to Media Cube, IADT. Institute of Art, Design + Technology

■ 15:30 – 15:50 Visit to Viva Green @IADT

■ 16:15 – 17:00 Meeting with board members of Sandyford Business District

18:00 – 18:30 Proposed new Regional Aid Map

26 Oct

09:15 – 09:35 Minister interview with Radio Kerry (Kerry Today) – Topics: Kerry LEO visit; Reopening Economy & Covid

10:00 – 14:30 Kerry LEO Visit

- 10:30 11:30 Danalto El
- 12:15 12:45 SBCI Photocall
- 13:30 15:00 EI & LEOs Centre of Excellence meeting
- 15:30 17:30 4th SME and State Bodies Group Meeting

28 Oct

- 06:45 07:00 Minister on Newstalk the Breakfast Business Programme re Employment Permits
- 07:30 07:45 Minister on Radio 1 Interview on Morning Ireland Employment Permits
- 09:30 09:45 Minister on LMFM-w re Employment Permits

29 Oct

- 09:30 10:00 EIB-Ireland Pre-brief
- 10:00 11:00 EIB-Ireland Financing Group
- 11:00 12:00 EIB-Ireland Bilateral

November 2021

- 10:30 12:55 Minister To Visit Dublin LEOs
- 12:55 14:30 Minister & LEO Staff to Visit Guinness Enterprise Centre
- 14:04 14:34 ON ROTA Leaders Questions
- 14:30 15:30 Minister to visit to ICE's new Social Enterprise Hub
- 14:34 15:04 ON ROTA Order of Business and Questions on Promised Legislation

- 16:00 16:30 Record video for NISO / NISG All Ireland Occupational Safety Awards Dinner
- 19:30 21:00 Oral PQ's

[♠] 3 Nov

- 10:15 11:00 AIBF's Entrepreneurs and Leaders Forum
- 12:00 12:34 ON ROTA- Leaders Questions
- 12:34 13:04 ON ROTA Questions on Promised Legislation
- 13:30 15:30 NACEC
- 15:45 16:30 Meeting with Klarna
- 16:30 17:30 Event Industry Alliance
- 21:30 21:45 Voting Block

4 Nov

- 10:30 11:00 Minister to visit LEO South Dublin -High Res Lighting Limited
- 11:15 13:45 Ministers to Visit County Hall LEO South Dublin
- 14:00 14:30 Minister to Visit The Artizan Pizza Company-South Dublin LEO's
- 15:00 15:45 Social & Local Alliance
- 17:00 17:45 Meet Aptiv (IDA Client) re Employment Permits

[♠] 5 Nov

- 09:30 14:30 Minister to Visit Meath LEOs
- 19:30 23:00 Meath Biz & Tourism Awards

•	09:00 - 09:45	Visit on Northside for Business Campus (REDF Project) and meet LEO clients
	09:45 – 11:15	Visit to Cork City Hall - LEOS
	11:15 – 12:45	Visit to Benchspace - Cork City LEO
•	13:00 – 14:20	Visit to The Business Growth Hub - Cork South LEOs
	15:00 – 15:30	Visit to LEO Client Calibrations
	15:45 – 16:15	Visit to Bensons Workwear
	17:00 – 18:00	Meet Leading Edge Group & Deputy Stanton

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^ 10 Nov

	09:30 - 13:00	Enterprise Week Event
•	14:15 – 15:00	Launch of Responding to Suicide - A Guide for Employers
	15:45 – 16:00	Record Speech for Sandyford Business district
	20:15 – 22:00	Voting Block

•	12:25 – 13:10	Visit to Local Enterprise Office, Cork North & West, Mallow Office
	13:30 – 14:15	Visit to Viska Systems
	14:35 – 15:20	Visit to LEO Client - Health & Safety Publishers
	15:40 – 16:15	Visit to LEO Client - Philips Bookshop
•	16:45 – 17:30	Meeting with Charleville Chamber of Commerce
	17:45 – 18:30	Meeting with Deputy Creed T.D

18:30 – 23:45 Retail Excellence Awards

16 Nov

- 13:00 13:45 Dealz Opening
- 14:30 15:00 Champion Green Photocall
- 15:04 15:34 Motion SEO (Construction Sector)
- 15:30 16:00 Covid Briefing
- 16:30 17:30 SME & Entrepreneurship Growth Plan
- 22:00 23:00 Topical Issues

17 Nov

- 09:30 09:45 LMFM Covid-19 Measures
- 10:15 11:45 Retail Meeting with Wider Retail, Grocery and Distribution sector
- 12:30 13:30 National Grocery Retail Awards (Recording)
- 15:45 16:30 Meeting with Back to Work Connect
- 21:00 22:00 Voting Block

- 10:45 13:45 Visit to WICKLOW LEO
- 12:04 12:34 ON ROTA Leaders Questions
- 12:34 13:04 ON ROTA Questions on Promised Legislation
- 14:15 14:45 Visit to Green Treats Ltd (Wicklow LEO)
- 14:45 16:30 Meeting with Minister Harris
- 18:00 19:00 Media prep

11:15 – 11:45 RTE Radio 1 The Gathering

23 Nov

- 11:00 12:30 Retail Ireland Council Meeting
- 12:00 12:30 Retail Ireland Board / Council
- 13:00 13:30 Meet with Officials on REDP
- 14:00 14:30 EGFSN Photocall for 'Skills for Zero Carbon'
- 15:00 16:00 Pre MMB
- 15:45 17:45 Ministerial Management Board
- 19:00 21:00 Zoom Public Meeting- Deputy Farrell TD

24 Nov

- 11:30 12:00 HSA Photocall
- 12:00 12:34 ON ROTA- Leaders Questions
- 12:34 13:04 ON ROTA Questions on Promised Legislation
- 13:04 21:30 Govt Business
- 14:00 15:00 Labour Market Advisory Council (DSP)
- 15:30 16:00 Pre-record Speech for 2021 National Start-up Awards
- 20:30 21:30 Voting Block

- 13:44 19:40 Govt Business
- 19:15 20:05 InterTrade Ireland Seedcorn Awards
- 20:28 21:43 PMB: Employment Permits (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2021 (Second Stage)

- 10:30 11:45 Primark ROI Investment Announcement
- 13:15 15:15 Visit to Devenish with the Tánaiste

→ 30 Nov

- 12:00 13:00 Commencement Matter
- 12:45 13:15 Pre-brief Select Committee
- 13:15 13:45 Pre-brief SEO Electrical
- 14:04 14:34 ON ROTA Leaders Questions
- 14:34 15:04 ON ROTA QPL- Motion re: Electrical Contracting Sectoral Employment Order
- 15:00 17:00 Select Committee Supplementary Estimate
- 22:30 23:18 Topical Issues

December 2021

1 Dec

- 09:30 10:00 JCETE SEO (Electrical)
- 10:00 12:00 Private Members' Business. (PBP-Solidarity Ventilation and Air Filtration)
- 12:45 13:45 Square Roundtable
- 14:15 16:00 Quarterly Retail Forum
- 16:50 01:20 Voting

2 Dec

- 12:45 13:15 Meeting with ICTU re EU Directive on Min Wage
- 13:30 20:00 Voting

[♠] 3 Dec

- 09:15 09:45 Interview on LMFM Covid, Hospitality, Business Supports
- 13:55 23:00 Govt Business Social Welfare Bill 2021.
- 14:00 15:00 El Strategy Meeting

▲ 8 Dec

- 12:04 12:34 ON ROTA Leaders Questions
- 12:34 13:04 ON ROTA QPL
- 15:00 16:30 Look for Local
- 16:00 00:30 Voting Block
- 19:00 20:00 DCCI IBDC Awards Ceremony

• 9 Dec

- 09:15 09:45 DCCI IBDC Photocall
- 10:30 12:00 Oral PQs DETE
- 12:04 12:34 ON ROTA Leaders Questions
- 12:34 13:04 ON ROTA QPL
- 12:45 13:00 Labour Market Advisory Council Pre-brief
- 13:00 15:00 Labour Market Advisory Council (DSP)
- 15:30 16:15 Meeting with .ie Digital Towns

10 Dec

09:15 – 09:35 Minister on LMFM re Business Supports - EWSS, CRSS, PUP & all other Business Supports

- **▲ 13 Dec**
 - 14:00 16:00 Leef sub-group on Employment and Enterprise
 - 16:30 17:30 Meeting with Board of Retail Excellence
- **▲ 14 Dec**
 - 18:00 21:00 Meeting with Tánaiste
- **15 Dec**
 - 14:00 14:30 WRC Photocall
 - 15:30 17:00 Meeting with Official re Work Permits Update
 - 17:30 21:30 VOTING
 - 18:00 20:00 Private Members Motion TRIPS
- ^ 16 Dec
 - 12:04 12:34 ON ROTA Leaders Questions
 - 12:34 13:04 ON ROTA QPL
 - 14:30 15:00 Space Video
 - 19:30 22:30 Meeting with Tánaiste
 - 22:30 23:00 Tonight Show VMTV All things Covid
 - 17 Dec
 - 09:15 09:45 LMFM All things Covid
- **20** Dec
 - 12:00 13:30 DSP Ministerial Management Board

- **21** Dec
 - 14:00 15:00 LEO Client companies + HPSU meeting
- **22** Dec
 - 14:30 15:15 Meeting with DCCI