



## **\*\*Important Information for Students Affected by the Closure of Limerick International Study Centre (LISC) also trading as Lanlearn\*\***

ICOS regrets to hear of the closure of LISC/Lanlearn and the impact it is having on students. We are working with authorities to support students who have been affected by the closure of the school. Below are responses to important questions that students may have.

### **I was studying at LISC before it closed. Will I lose my money?**

No, O'Driscoll O'Neil, the insurance provider of Learner Protection for LISC, has informed ICOS that it will make alternative arrangements for all registered students to study in other English language schools in Limerick. For more information on your Learner Protection rights please contact Chris Anako - [CAnako@odon.com](mailto:CAnako@odon.com).

### **I have just arrived to Ireland and have not started my course. Will I be protected?**

If you paid for your course already then you should be covered by Learner Protection. However, you will need to contact O'Driscoll O'Neil (see above) to find out what you are entitled to.

### **I wanted to renew my visa and paid for a course at LISC, however the school closed before I started and I have not renewed my visa yet. What will happen?**

If you paid for your course before January 26 you will be able to renew your visa at immigration. If you paid for your course after that date, you will need to wait until you have enrolled at a new school before registering with immigration.

### **I paid for a course but have not arrived in Ireland yet. What should I do?**

If you have paid for a course, but have not arrived yet, please contact [support@icosirl.ie](mailto:support@icosirl.ie).