

MAGICAL MACKERS



Activities

- **Face painting / Arm painting** – Optional (+€10 per party)
- **Magic show**
- **Puppets** (recommended for under 6's)
- **Party games**
- **Parachute games**
- **Bubble disco**
- **Balloon twisting** – Optional (+€5 per party)



General Guidelines

- **Face painting** and **balloon twisting** are one-on-one activities, so they limit how many kids can be entertained at once.
- For large groups, **leave out face painting and balloons** to keep all kids engaged.
- We offer **quicker options** for big crowds:
 - Cheek or arm designs for face paint
 - Balloon swords/wands instead of custom shapes



Duration & Kid Capacity

1 Hour

- **With face painting** → up to **8 kids**
- **With balloons only** → up to **17 kids**

- **Without face paint or balloons** → up to **50 kids**

💡 Over 50 kids? Ask us about our **Corporate Package**.

1.5 Hours

- **Face painting + balloons** → up to **17 kids**
- **One activity only (face paint or balloons)** → up to **25 kids**
- **No face paint/balloons** → not ideal for more than 25 kids. Book 1 hour instead.

🎵 If your group loves dancing, we can swap games or magic for an **extended 30-min bubble disco!**

💡 *For Communion parties: 1 hour is ideal (face painting & balloons excluded).*

2 Hours

- **Face painting + balloons** → up to **25 kids**
- **18–25 kids** → All activities included
- **Under 18 kids** → 1.5 hours is better value
- **Over 25 kids with face painting?** → Add a second entertainer at a discount



Pricing

Time	Standard	Communion	+ Face Paint	+ Balloons
1 hour	€195	€230	€10	€5
1.5 hour	€215	€265	€10	€5
2 hours	€270	€305	Included	Included

Other Notes:

- Trainee entertainer: **€20 discount** (no extra charge for face paint or balloons)
- Magician/Character add-on: **+€15**
- **Travel fee:** Applies beyond Swords / outside Dublin
- **Parking** must be free and directly at the venue



Set Up & Requirements

- We bring a **large suitcase** with everything needed.
- **Parking must be available** at the venue (no blocking behind the entertainer's car).
- We'll need:
 - Table, chair & cup of water (for face painting)
 - Clear floor space (for games & dancing)
 - Plug socket access (for music/magic gear)



Food Timing Tips

- Best to **serve food after entertainment** to avoid choking hazards and distractions.
- If you need to serve food near the end before your entertainer leaves -
 - We'll hand out balloon animals while the kids eat.



Main vs Trainee Entertainer

Main Entertainers:

- More experienced
- Great for peace of mind

Trainee Entertainers:

- Already done many parties
- Excellent feedback from parents
- Same fun, just less experience — **€20 discount and no charge for face painting and balloons!**



Both bring the fun! Choose what fits your vibe and budget best.



Toddlers (Ages 1–3)

- Parties aren't recommended for **under 2s**, unless older kids (3+) are also present.
- Toddlers may not sit for the magic show.
- Great visual activities for toddlers:
 - Bunny puppet 🐰
 - Bubbles
 - Music & dancing
 - Parachute games

⚠️ Toddlers must be **supervised at all times** and kept away from equipment (e.g., bubble juice, electric cords, props).

Older Kids (Ages 6+)

- We recommend the **Disco Rockstar** theme!
- Puppets are skipped; instead, we focus on:
 - More magic
 - High-energy games
 - Bubble disco 🎉

🎵 **Music requests welcome!** Let us know your child's favourite songs for a sing-along!

✨ Our Magical Mackers package is best for kids **up to age 8**.
For more mature kids, ask about:

- **JD Magicians** (our sister company)
- **Adult/Kid Combo** package

Payment & Cancellation

- A **deposit is required** to secure your booking.
- Remaining balance is paid **in cash on the day** (no cheques, please).
- **Have payment ready before the show ends** — it gets hectic during goodbyes!
- **Deposits are non-refundable**

- Except: If not booked for December or May, your deposit can be transferred to a future party.