

Sinn Féin surges to Irish election success

Left-wing nationalist party Sinn Féin – formerly the political wing of the Irish Republican Army – has demanded a seat at the government table after securing the most votes in Ireland's national elections

2020 ELECTION VOTE SHARE

Result with all first preference votes counted
(2016 result)



Sinn Féin

24.5%
(13.8)

FIANNA Fáil
THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Fianna Fáil

22.2%
(24.3)



FINE GAEIL

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20.9%
(25.5)



Greens

7.1%
(2.7)

LABOUR

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4.4%
(6.6)

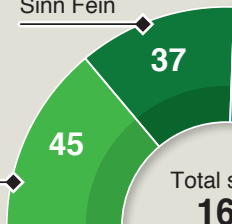
Others
20.9%
(27.1)

*Sinn Féin leader
Mary Lou McDonald –
her party has almost
doubled its share
from 2016 election*

PROJECTED SEATS IN PARLIAMENT

Fianna Fáil
(likely to be
largest party as
Sinn Féin did
not run enough
candidates to
take most seats)

Sinn Féin



Total seats
160

Fine Gael (current governing
and largest party)

Greens: 10

Labour: 6

Independent
and others