

Anglo-Polish Organization

In Tiverton, the Anglo-Polish Organization ran several taster courses aimed at bringing the migrant Polish community together, with activities that reflect their Eastern European culture.

Around 10 learners spent several weeks decorating a szopka – a nativity scene portraying the beautiful St Mary’s Basilica in Krakow. Polish-speaking tutor Caroline Nicholson reported that she was able to buy some really fantastic materials for the szopka that she wouldn’t have been able to afford without Learn Devon’s support. This course gave the learners from the Polish population a sense of pride in their own community.



The szopka took the pride of place at the altar during Polish Christmas mass at St. James’s Catholic church, Tiverton.