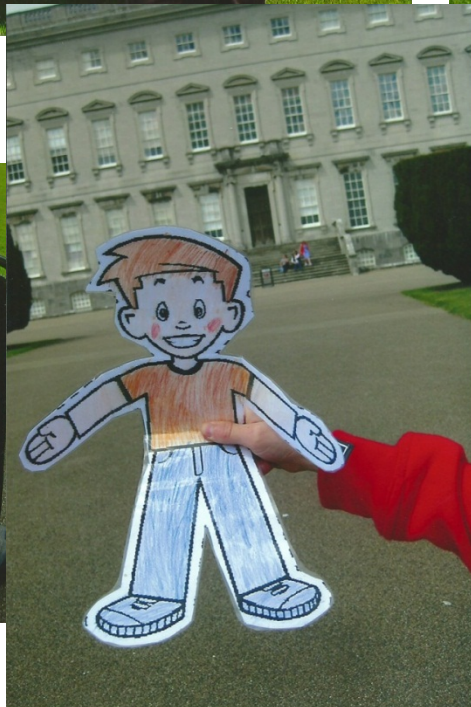




Flat Stanley arrived in Dublin in early June. Although it is Summer here, it was only 9 degrees the day he arrived!!!

At the weekend we took him to see a few famous sights in Dublin's Phoenix Park. The Phoenix park is the largest enclosed park in any European city and we are very lucky to live close to it. The Dublin Zoo is in the park, the papal cross and the



president's house. The house is called Áras an
 Uachtaráin which translates as "House of the
 president". Unusually, deer roam freely in the
 park and Flat Stanley got very close to some of
 them! He also played football at the popes cross, the
 site of the popes visit in 1979 where he spoke to
 over 1 million people - thats a lot for Ireland!!
 Flat Stanley also visited Castletown in Kildare and
 got in trouble for kicking a ball! He also saw where
 Guinness is made and went to school with Rory
 for a day.