Teacher Training 2020
Empowerment in ICT Skills –Making Use of Technology Tools
1 week/5 Training Days

Target Audience
This course is for educators and other professionals who would like to experience for themselves a variety of software and online tools in order to integrate technology into their Learning Environments, while also brushing up their own use of English. Specialised knowledge is not required except a basic knowledge of using Microsoft Word and using the Internet. Participants need to be at a B1 level of English.

Course Summary
This intensive 1 week course is aimed at professionals who would like to develop teaching methods to include technology in the classroom, school or other learning environments. A wide range of free available technologies is introduced and worked on during the course.

Preparation
After registration, participants on this course programme will receive:
A pre-course questionnaire which will enable trainers to learn about the participants’ teaching backgrounds
Information about the Europass Mobility Certificate
A list of IT-related requirements to prepare participants for the course

Objectives
To enable better skills in technology and ICT
To introduce an awareness of ways of integrating ICT with teaching methodologies, using hands-on & experiential methods
To help teachers reflect on their own teaching methods in relation to technology in the classroom today
To help participants experience hands-on a range of interesting tools, software and programmes which are available as freeware, & set up activities linking methodology and technology today
To further develop participants’ own language skills
To experience the cultural heritage of Malta with its bilingual linguistic environment

(The course draws on the results of the POOLS and POOLS-T Leonardo Projects (Project for Open Online Learning System s) and Methodologies).

Methodology
This course is taught interactively, with input sessions, collaborative and group project work. Participants are actively involved in all sessions. Input sessions are in the form of hands-on workshops and could involve brainstorming, analysis and at times problem-solving.
Sessions help participants set up tools such as Blogs & Websites and apply online tools in a scaffolded setting.
Participants are asked to reflect on the tools & activities, inviting discussion with regard to their own knowledge & skills, their approach to teaching today’s students, and on adaptation of the use of the tools to their teaching & learning situations & contexts.
Exchange of participants’ ICT and pedagogical knowledge is encouraged through discussion.
Participants’ own language skills are developed and feedback given where appropriate.
Participants are also introduced to appropriate websites related to the further development of their teaching skills & personal professional development.

Follow Up
The course ends with an evaluation session, where teachers are asked to reflect upon the value of the knowledge gained on the course and its usefulness to them. They are also encouraged in this session to come up with a Personal Development Action Plan, and select tools & activities which they would like to try out in their own classes or projects.
They are invited to join the ETI Teacher Training Facebook community, which allows networking and contact with the trainers and fellow colleagues, and with participants from other courses.
Participants are also encouraged to join communities for the POOLS Projects, and other ETI-related EU Projects, such as METHODS (Communicative Language Teaching Methods), TOOLS, and CLIL4U.
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<td>11.00 – 12.30</td>
<td>How to design your own website</td>
<td>Creating a Blog</td>
<td>Authoring Tools: Creating Online Exercises (2): Gapfill, Multiple Choice</td>
<td>Techno Tools: Creating Animated Slideshows</td>
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<td>Creating a Website</td>
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**Programme Package Fees Includes :**

- **Course Fee, Tuition /Training** 21 Hours (1 week) over 5 days
- **Registration and Administration Fees**
- **Social Programme including Half Day Guided Tours** (to Malta’s Capital City Valletta + to the old Medieval City of Mdina)
- **Airport Transfers** : Shuttle Airport Transfers Arrival + Departure – Malta Int. Airport to/from Accommodation (when booked through ETI)
- **Mobility Euro Pass Certificate**
- **End-of-Course Certificate**

All programmes have a Saturday or Sunday arrival with a Monday course start day

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