

BEYOND CLIL: ENGAGING STUDENTS THROUGH THE 4C'S

If you are already familiar with the principles of CLIL, this course will help you to develop new strategies to engage more effectively with your students.

COURSE OUTLINE

Beyond CLIL aims to explore how we can use the tools of interpersonal development to enrich engagement with students in the classroom. Applying the principles of cognition, communication, culture and collaboration to your teaching practice, will help to make the classroom experience more rewarding for both learner and educator.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Overall objectives of the mobility

- Learn about the 4Cs and how to integrate them into your classes
- Gain an understanding of the creative process and its relation to critical thinking
- Learn how to apply creative problem-solving models to class tasks
- Explore how to foster communication abilities in your students
- Consider the impact of culture in student engagement

Added value of the mobility

Explore new concepts in teaching while practicing English and sharing experiences with fellow teachers.

Activities to be carried out

Interactive teaching with input sessions, individual and group work
Skills focused workshops to develop your own teaching materials based on communicative and problem-solving techniques
Feedback sessions in which participants reflect on their own practice, while also sharing their own knowledge and skills.
Cultural and heritage trips as part of a chaperoned group

Expected outcomes and impact

This course provides a professional development opportunity which will help participants to feel more confident about using the 4Cs in their classrooms. Through project based activities and workshops, participants will acquire useful tips and insights and will also benefit from knowledge and skills shared by fellow participants. The opportunity to experience new cultural contexts and network with international colleagues is a further positive outcome.

CULTURAL PROGRAMME

The courses are delivered in Atlantic Centre of Education in Galway on Ireland's 'Wild Atlantic' Coast, and participants will have ample opportunity to learn about the cultural heritage of both Ireland and the local area. The week-long programme includes a full-day cultural tour to a local area of scenic and heritage value, a guided historical walking tour of Galway city, and afternoon social and cultural activities. Our staff are happy to suggest other tours and events to enjoy during your stay in Galway.



Suitable for:

Secondary/ Vocational Teachers

Minimum Level of English

B1 (CEFR)

Programme Length

5 days tuition (Monday – Friday) +
1 full-day activity
25 hours

Certification

Certification of Participation and Attendance

Documents Provided

STT Invitation letter, Europass,
Work Plan (on request),
Certificate



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SAMPLE TIMETABLE

*SUGGESTED TIMETABLE ONLY, ACTUAL CONTENT MAY VARY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Full-Day Excursion on Wild Atlantic Way Options include: Connemara Aran Islands Cliffs of Moher	Setting Objectives and Fundamentals of 4Cs	Cognition and Communication (I)	Communication (II) and Collaboration	Culture, Assessment and Evaluation	Ideas Sharing & Feedback
	Getting to Know You!	C for Cognition: Strategies for Critical Thinking and Problem Solving	Integrating Technology and Multi-Media Resources	Reflecting on Importance of Culture in Student Engagement	Planning Lessons
	Intentions & Objectives	Analyzing Effective Communication Strategies	Creating Interactive and Engaging Presentations	Techniques for Inclusivity, Respect and 'Growth Mindset'	Ideas Sharing & Mini Presentations
	Overview of language acquisition theories	Designing Cognitive Tasks	Identifying Dos and Don'ts of Collaboration	Tools and Techniques to Develop Assessment for 4Cs	Peer & Trainer Feedback
	Introduction to 4Cs	What Would You Do: Simulating Teacher, Student Communication Scenarios	Developing Effective Collaborative Activities		
	Walking Tour of Galway	Pub Night	"Skills Boost" Wednesday Workshop	Irish Culture Workshop	

COURSE DATES

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
				12-16		7-11		1-5			