Teacher Training Refresher Courses Summer 2021

Emerald Cultural Institute Dublin, Ireland



The Fun-Lesson Creation Course: Primary-level Teachers

It's easy to fall into the same old patterns with your lessons. Especially as the school year progresses. Finding new ways to bring new, fun activities into your class becomes harder and harder. This course is designed to refill your bag of classroom tricks with ideas and content that are proven to bring life and excitement to your classes!

This one or two-week course brings you language-development classes, so your English improves too, and practical workshops for your class. Your will learn how to create new, original, highly-enjoyable materials and lesson ideas for all your teaching needs. Your students will love the new energy these will bring back to your class and you'll all feel like it's the first day of term again! A minimum language level of CEFR B1 is required for this programme.

Sample Timetable

WEEK ONE

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 - 11:00	Induction & Level Assessment	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development
11:20 - 13:05	Developing Listening Skills	Teaching Exam Classes	Tasks & Activities for Language Learning	Learner Autonomy in the Language Classroom	Songs in the Language Classroom
Afternoon	City Orientation	Cultural Activity	Free Afternoon	Cultural Activity	Cultural Seminar

WEEK TWO

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 - 11:00	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development
11:20 - 13:05	Online Resources	English Across the Curriculum	Preparation for Workshop and Pronunciation Activities	Drama in the Classroom	Presentation of Workshop Tasks
Afternoon	Free Afternoon	Cultural Activity	Free Afternoon	Cultural Activity	Education System in Ireland Seminar



The Energizer Master Course: Second-Level Teachers

Teaching English to teenagers can be hard work, especially as the school year wears on. Your students get more stressed with exams, other subjects and with just being teenagers. And it becomes harder and harder for you to engage them with your lessons. There are only so many creative ideas you can have before you're recycling the same activities again and again. We made this course for exactly this situation.

This one or two-week course focuses on helping you create new lessons that will re-engage and re-engerise both you and your students. You'll discover effective new techniques and how to adapt them for your students. You'll also have afternoon seminars in Education and in Irish Culture. A minimum language level of Upper Intermediate (CEFR B2) is required for this programme.

Sample Timetable

WEEK ONE

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 - 11:00	Induction & Level Assessment	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development
11:20 - 13:05	Developing Listening Skills	Teaching Exam Classes	Tasks & Activities for Language Learning	Learner Autonomy in the Language Classroom	Songs in the Language Classroom
Afternoon	City Orientation	Cultural Activity	Free Afternoon	Cultural Activity	Cultural Seminar

WEEK TWO

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 - 11:00	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development
11:20 - 13:05	Developing Speaking Skills 1	Developing Reading Skills	Developing Writing Skills & Error Correction	Developing Speaking Skills II	Effective Online Teaching
Afternoon	Free Afternoon	Cultural Activity	Free Afternoon	Cultural Activity	Education System in Ireland Seminar



CLIL Course (Secondary and Late Primary)

This one or two-week course is a practical introduction to CLIL for primary (aged 10+) and secondary teachers who are new to CLIL. The course is a mix of lectures and practical workshops and provides participants with a working knowledge of the key concepts in CLIL and a selection of practical activities for both primary and secondary level. A key element of success in CLIL is a teacher's language ability, and our two-week option includes language-development classes in our international language programmes. A minimum English language level of CEFR B2 is required for this programme.

Sample Timetable

WEEK ONE

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 - 11:00	Induction & Level Assessment	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development
11:20 - 13:05	An Introduction to CLIL	Psychology in CLIL	ELT Ideas in CLIL	Language of Instruction	Language in the CLIL Classroom
Afternoon	City Orientation	Cultural Activity	Free Afternoon	Cultural Activity	Cultural Seminar

WEEK TWO

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 - 11:00	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development
11:20 - 13:05	Materials Selection, and Adaptation	Supporting CLIL Learners: Scaffolding	Planning and Assessing CLIL Activities and Lessons	CLIL Activities for Primary Learners (ages 9-12)	CLIL Activities for Seconary- Level Learners
Afternoon	Free Afternoon	Cultural Activity	Free Afternoon	Cultural Activity	Education System in Ireland Seminar



Erasmus+ Funding

Qualifying participants on previous Emerald Teacher-Training courses have been funded by the Erasmus Plus programme.

How to Apply

We recommend that you contact your National Agency to see what your funding options are. You can also use EU resources on E+ funding.

Individuals

Erasmus+ has opportunities for people of all ages, helping them develop, and share knowledge and experience, at institutions and organisations in different countries. Check out what opportunities there are for individuals.

Organisations

Erasmus+ has opportunities for a wide range of organisations, including universities, schools, education and training providers, think-tanks, research organisations, and private businesses. Find out more about the different opportunities available for organisations.



Our PIC number is: 946742214





Course Type	Dates	Fees
The Fun-Lesson Creation Course: Primary-level Teachers	2 weeks: 19th – 30th July 1 week: 19th – 23rd July OR 26th – 30th July	
The Energizer Master Course: Second-Level Teachers	2 weeks: 3rd - 13th August 1 week: 3rd - 6th August OR 9th - 13th August	€450 per week
CLIL Course (Secondary and Late Primary)	2 weeks: 16th - 27th August 1 week: 16th - 20th August OR 23rd - 27th August	

Course Registration	€80
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Fees Include:

- 25 hours including lessons, seminars and cultural activities
- Pre-course Level Test and Needs Analysis with Academic team
- Access to teaching materials, audio, reading exercises, video, grammar and vocabulary as presented by the Emerald Teacher
- Access to the Emerald Cultural Institute's unique Emerald Learn Platform
- Welcome Kit with guides & maps
- Diploma on completion of course certifying attendance and competency.

Residential and Host Family accommodation options available. Contact us for more information (emerald@eci.ie)



Online Teacher Training

All of our teacher training courses are also available online.

20 hour options

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Afternoon					Cultural Seminar

The Energizer Master Course Sample Timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 - 11:00	Induction & Level Assessment	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development
11:20 - 13:05	Developing Listening Skills	Teaching Exam Classes	Tasks & Activities for Language Learning	Learner Autonomy in the Language Classroom	Songs in the Language Classroom
Afternoon					Cultural Seminar

CLIL Course Sample Timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 - 11:00	Induction & Level Assessment	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development	Language Development
11:20 - 13:05	An Introduction to CLIL	Psychology in CLIL	ELT Ideas in CLIL	Language of Instruction	Language in the CLIL Classroom
Afternoon					Cultural Seminar

10 hour options

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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Afternoon					Cultural Seminar

The Energizer Master Course Sample Timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
11:20 - 13:05	Developing Listening Skills	Teaching Exam Classes	Tasks & Activities for Language Learning	Learner Autonomy in the Language Classroom	Songs in the Language Classroom
Afternoon					Cultural Seminar

CLIL Course Sample Timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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Afternoon					Cultural Seminar



Course Type	Dates	Fees	
The Fun-Lesson Creation Course: Primary-level Teachers (Online)	2 weeks: 19th – 30th July 1 week: 19th – 23rd July OR 26th – 30th July	10 hours: €170 <i>per week</i>	
The Energizer Master Course: Second-Level Teachers (Online)	2 weeks: 3rd - 13th August 1 week: 3rd - 6th August OR 9th - 13th August		
CLIL Course (Secondary and Late Primary) (Online)	2 weeks: 16th - 27th August 1 week: 16th - 20th August OR 23rd - 27th August	20 hours: €320 <i>per week</i>	

Course Registration	€50

Fees Include:

- 10 or 20 hours weekly tuition
- Access to the Emerald Cultural Institute's unique Emerald Learn Platform
- Pre-course Level Test and Needs Analysis with Academic team
- Access to teaching materials, audio, reading exercises, video, grammar and vocabulary as presented by the Emerald Teacher online.
- eDiploma on completion of course certifying attendance and competency

If you have specific requests for teacher training courses outside these dates, please contact us about arranging a tailor-made programme (emerald@eci.ie)



