

THE SATURDAY SESSIONS 2020 | 2021

The Saturday Sessions are going online! These **three-hour sessions** will take place on Saturdays throughout the academic year and will consist of two separate training sessions with a ten-minute break in between both. There will be a **maximum number of 10 people per group**, and 20 people in total for the morning. Please see full details of the Saturday Sessions below.

Each of The Saturday Sessions will have a main theme to which the two sessions will relate. **These sessions promise to be dynamic and interactive** whilst giving teachers the perfect opportunity to interact with others from outside of their organisation. **A certificate of attendance will be sent to every attendee after completion of the 3 hours of training.**

In order to sign up for these **online teacher training sessions**, please go to our online learning platform:

london-school-online.com

SESSION 1 | GREAT GRAMMAR

Saturday 14th November 2020 (10:30-13:30)

Making Grammar Engaging

Grammar is one of those things you either love or you hate teaching. Your attitude towards grammar as a teacher has a lot to do with how your students react to it in class and how engaged they are. In this session, we will look at ways of making it as engaging as possible.

Making Grammar Visual

Nothing makes grammar more boring for students than sitting and staring blankly at yet another grammar reference box in the coursebook. Language, and more specifically grammar, needs to be visually attractive in class to make it as memorable and useful for students as possible.

SESSION 2 | FOCUS ON FIRST

Saturday 27th February 2021 (10:30-13:30)

Reading at B2:First

This is often the skill in which students vary greatly in their attainment. Some days they do really well, whilst others they are struggling to pass. In this session, we will look at the factors which affect students' performance in this skill, and how to give them the tools to succeed.

Writing at B2:First

Writing is often the weakest skill at B2 level, and this is reflected in exam scores. This is a result of students' lack of interest in writing and teachers' lack of knowledge of the different types of text. In this session, we will look at what teachers need to know to practise this in class.

SESSION 3 | MAXIMISING SPEAKING PRACTICE

Saturday 24th April 2021 (10:30-13:30)

Young Learners (6-18)

Increasing student talking time (STT) is a commonly given piece of feedback given in observations, but what does this really mean? In this session, we'll look at different types of practice and think about how to maximise this in classes of Younger Learners.

Adults

Adults often cite speaking as their weakest skill and are reluctant to speak freely in class for fear of making a mistake. In this session we will look at how we can help older learners feel comfortable in class whilst encouraging them to take more risks when speaking.

SESSION 4 | GLOBAL ENGLISH

Saturday 29th May 2021 (10:30-13:30)

Teaching Global Citizenship

For many students, English is a tool they use to get ahead at work or in education. However, there are many other doors that English can open around the world. Students need to learn how to make the most of the global opportunities this provides.

The Future of English Teaching

Will I be teaching the same content in 10 years' time? What will the world be like for English teachers? Will we all be teaching online? There are many uncertainties in the world of English teaching, and this means so many more opportunities opening up to teachers.

PRICES

Online Courses

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OUR TEACHER TRAINERS

Our Teacher Trainers, **Iñigo Casis, Karen McGhie and Alex Webb** are experienced teachers and teacher trainers with knowledge of teaching at all levels and ages, helping them provide you with the most effective teacher training based on their own classroom experience.

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<http://london-school.com/teacher-training/our-tutors/>