

Accessible digital technology for teachers

Course Outline

- This course addresses the challenge of integrating technology into teaching for non-digital native educators, emphasizing accessibility and practicality. Participants will explore the latest developments in e-learning and leverage students' personal devices as educational tools. Through hands-on sessions, educators will learn to create interactive digital content suitable for both primary and secondary school settings, with progress documented via social media updates.

The aim of this course is to

- Provide non-digital native teachers with accessible and practical training in utilizing technology to enhance classroom instruction.
- Equip educators with the latest developments in e-learning, enabling them to integrate technology seamlessly into their teaching regardless of their prior experience.
- Enable teachers to leverage students' personal devices as effective learning tools, fostering engagement and relevance in lessons.
- Empower educators to create interactive lessons and digital content using basic online tools and apps, tailored for both primary and secondary school environments, thereby ensuring inclusivity and adaptability in teaching practices.

Activities

- Interactive workshops and tutorials focusing on practical application of e-learning tools and apps relevant to primary and secondary school settings.
- Hands-on sessions guiding participants through the process of creating interactive lessons and digital content using basic online tools and applications.
- Collaborative activities and group discussions exploring innovative approaches to integrating technology into classroom instruction.
- Documentation of progress through social media updates such as video updates and blogs, fostering a reflective learning process and encouraging peer collaboration and feedback.

Outcomes

- Increased proficiency in utilizing technology to enhance classroom instruction, enabling teachers to bridge the gap between traditional teaching methods and modern learning needs.

- Enhanced ability to integrate e-learning tools and applications into lesson planning, resulting in dynamic and interactive learning experiences for students.
- Improved utilisation of students' personal devices as educational resources, fostering a more engaging and personalised learning environment.
- Empowered educators capable of creating and delivering digital content effectively, thereby enriching the educational experience and preparing students for the digital age.

Requirements: be a primary teacher with min A2 language level