

Dear teachers,

We are getting very excited about our last webinar of the year!

**Steve Taylore-Knowles**, author of our new Teen/Young Adult course for 2014, **Open Mind**, will be giving a session on **Life Skills and Mind Online** on **Wednesday 4th December at 4pm (Italian time)**.

You may be asking yourself the following questions:

**What are Life Skills and what have they got to do with the ELT classroom?**

Steve Taylore-Knowles describes **Life Skills** in the following way:

"Like skills are the key skills you need to be effective in your work life, your academic life and your social life." For a long time now, employers and educational experts have noticed in graduates and employees a widening gap between academic results and the ability to interact successfully in modern society.

The **Open Mind** authors firmly believe that teachers have the duty not only to develop their students' language skills but also to support the development of these essential Life Skills. The two must go hand in hand in order for students to become well-rounded citizens. In his webinar, Steve will be focusing on how teachers can use the digital content of Open Mind for this very purpose.

To attend Steve's session, all you need to do is register beforehand on the following page:

<http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/steve-taylore-knowles-lifeskills-and-mind-online-tickets-6975175939?ref=ebtnebreg>

As usual, if you have any questions, feel free to get in touch with us by sending us an email at [Italy.Info@macmillan.com](mailto:Italy.Info@macmillan.com) or calling us on **0221213588**.

We hope you enjoy the webinar.

Best wishes

**The Macmillan Team**

