



ENGAGING CURIOUS MINDS

ROMA, 15 MARZO | 8.30-13.30 | I.I.S. LEONARDO DA VINCI - VIA CAVOUR 258

- **REGISTRATION (8.30)**

- **OPENING - CASIMIR KUKIELKA** - Macmillan Education

- **MALCOLM MANN** - English language teacher and Author

Why do we fall in love? The importance of teaching and learning vocabulary through metaphor

Metaphor is not just a literary device. Rather, it is central to all communication. In this workshop, we'll take a practical look at some of the fundamental metaphorical principles underlying why particular words, phrases, phrasal verbs, idioms etc are used in English. We'll explore how recognising the patterns and principles behind them can help our students make sense of some of the weirder and/or seemingly random aspects of lexis.

- **COFFEE BREAK (11.00)**

- **MARIA BYRNE** - NILE teacher trainer

Inclusion and Learning Differences

Inclusion has become a buzzword in education today but in different contexts the term is used to signify different things or to talk about accommodations for specific groups of learners. This session will explore what Inclusion and Learning Differences actually means from a more general practical and current classroom perspective. It also offers a few essential ingredients and practical hands-on activities, which all teachers and teaching programmes may need, in order to make sure that all learners are engaged and 'included' in the foreign language classroom.

- **CHRISTOPHER DAVID HIGGINS** - Director of Studies, English language teacher

Alternanza Scuola Lavoro (ASL): a business insight opportunity for high school students and for teachers

The talk aims at increasing secondary school teachers' awareness of ASL/Business Insight project planning, at the same time providing them with some useful tools to implement their already-acquired knowledge on the topic. The talk will focus on the four "W's" of ASL projecting: What, Where, When and Why. Ample space will be given to the importance of devising effective follow-up strategies for students involved in perspective ASL/Business Insight projects.

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