

ENGLISH DAY



Brush up your ideas of teaching English successfully – English Training Workshops
Tuesday, 12th, March 2024, 09:00 – 17:00

Campus Krems Mitterau,
Dr. Gschmeidlerstraße 28, 3500 Krems

The workshops offer a practical approach to present new ideas on how to maximize students' production and output. Two workshops can be chosen – one in the morning session and one after the lunchtime fair. On buying a lunch ticket, you will be entered into the lunchtime raffle, with many exciting prizes!

The workshops:

- Mastering Reading: Engaging students in reading
- Don't be afraid: ChatGPT in the classroom explained
- Take a Stand: Controversy in the Classroom
- Shakespeare and English History
- Let's do it! – Englischlernen mit Spaß (Sek I)

Target group:

Teachers SEK I, SEK II, PTS

We are very much looking forward to welcoming you!

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Application ph-online oder via the 'Nachmeldung' form via email to Alexandra or Martina!

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WORKSHOPS

▪ Mastering Reading: Engaging students in reading

Unlock the secret of effective English language learning through reading. In this interactive and dynamic workshop, you will discover strategies to help students enhance their reading skills. From improving comprehension to expanding vocabulary, we will delve into diverse techniques. Practical exercises, engaging discussions and real-world applications will empower students to tackle various text types. Join in for an insight into the world of teaching reading.

▪ Don't be afraid: ChatGPT in the classroom explained

It's been less than a year since ChatGPT burst onto the scene, and the reaction of educators has been understandable: panic. This workshop is meant to help alleviate some of those concerns by showing practical ways for teachers to take advantage of AI tools to streamline lesson planning and teaching. We'll also work through strategies for handling student (mis)use of AI. By the end of this workshop, participants will be able to get ahead of their students and plan lessons, create tests, generate vocabulary, personalize quizzes, and more.

▪ Take a Stand: Controversy in the Classroom

The Austrian English curriculum frequently touches on controversial contemporary issues which some teachers find challenging to integrate appropriately. In this workshop, we will learn about methods and activities that allow teachers to discuss controversial topics while giving students room to develop and express their opinions.

▪ Shakespeare and English History

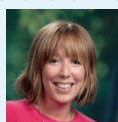
In this workshop, participants will look at some of Shakespeare's most famous plays, consider the social and political contexts in which they were written, and discuss how they can be interactively used in the classroom. The workshop is designed with all learners at all stages of their English journey in mind, and particular focus will be paid to how Shakespeare's works can be adapted to suit learners of different ages with different levels of English aptitude.

▪ Let's do it! – Englischlernen mit Spaß (Sek I)

Looking for new and refreshing ways and ideas for the English classroom? Then join us to discover the world of creative teaching methods and materials. Our workshop offers a balance of theoretical input, practical insights and creative materials to explore. As part of the workshop, you will have the opportunity to try out the presented methods and materials yourself. There will be discussions on their potential application and pros and cons. Come and get inspired to enrich your classroom with new ideas!
 Note: This workshop will be held in German!

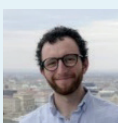
TRAINERS

Alexandra Player, BA BEd



Having completed my Bachelor's degree in German at Swansea University, I packed my suitcase and moved to Krems an der Donau. 13 years later, I am still here. I completed my second degree at the Teachers' University and began teaching in Krems. I have been active in further education for many years and enjoy exploring new teaching methods.

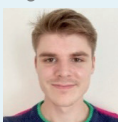
Liam Downs-Tepper, BA MA



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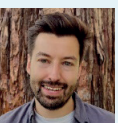
Born and raised in NYC, my work is focused on using new technologies and methods to address old questions. The bulk of my research involves applying data science to reexamine historical issues. Though currently teaching at the University of Vienna, I've worked as a debate coach, history instructor, English assistant, and built hiking trails, among other things.

George Adams, BA



After finishing my Bachelor's degree in History at Centre College in the United States, I moved to St. Pölten to work as an English assistant in the surrounding countryside. I now teach history and English at the Wienerwaldgymnasium in Tullnerbach, while also pursuing a degree in Teachers' education at the University of Vienna. I am especially interested in integrating real-world topics into the English classroom.

Dr Daniel Talbot, PhD



I am an English teacher at the International School in Krems. Before coming to Austria, I completed a PhD in Medieval History at the University of East Anglia.

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We are a team of dedicated and experienced teachers with a mission to make teaching and learning more exciting for both students and teachers. In 2020, Maria Ondra, BEd, founded "Unterrichtmitspass", an organisation known for its creative and innovative teaching materials. Together, we develop motivating teaching resources, teaching concepts and lesson plans that incorporate fun and enthusiasm but also meaningfulness.