

Report on Learning Course for Ambassadors Workshop

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First we had a **BIG** roundtable introductory session...

Latest Ambassador activities:

- ❖ Ambassador2Ambassador activities
- ❖ Online and offline workshops for teachers & headmasters
- ❖ Poster exhibition of eT projects followed by a café/discussion session
- ❖ Promotion of eTwinning at their school
- ❖ Mentorship and individual guidance

Getting to know each other.....

- Project & cooperation experience
- Willingness to invest (personal) time
- Overall knowledge of the LLP -> eTwinning & Comenius i.e.
- Presentation; moderation; intercultural & ICT skills
- Good and close relation to the NSS
- Having ideas of how to link eT to the curriculum
- Enthusiasm
- Patience
- Willingness to support
- Own initiative

Ambassador "must have"

It means.....

- ❖ **Acquiring skills4life**; important!
interaction with pupils & peers
- ❖ **Networking**: collaboration; knowledge sharing; new ideas & inspiration
- ❖ **(Self)Motivation**; coaching & mentorship techniques
- ❖ **Career development** and advancement

**What does Professional
Development mean to you?**

- Ice-breaking session
- Timeline & time-span
- Interaction in teams: commitment – code of conduct – more freedom in team composition
- Improve tasks by situating them in a context
- Closer monitoring/support by *tutors/mentors* (NSS and/or Ambassadors)

Learning Course - Points of improvement

- Continuous development – i.e via more LE
- Informal language learning
- Support material that can be used when promoting eTwinning

Ambassadors' Wishlist

- Deeper knowledge of the eTwinning platform/ICT skills
- More collaboration between Ambassadors
- Developing coaching and mentorship techniques

Ambassadors' Wishlist

- It's free!
- Develop ICT and language skills!
- Showcase your school through eTwinning
- Experiment with the curricula & foster interdisciplinary approach
- Focus on projects, not tools
- Invest now, gain later

Some convincing arguments for joining eTwinning...

Fill in the evaluation form!

You will receive a link to the Ambassadors
Group!

Thank you!