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Enrolment will be made through ESSARPs web page. If you have enrolled for a course and will not be able to attend a single session or the whole course, please advise at the Centre as soon as possible. Please ensure a prompt start by planning to arrive in advance of the beginning of the session.

D1201 - Webinar - Free Digital Tools for Educators

Dates: 18 February from 18:00 hs. to 20:00 hs. - 2026

Venue: Distance

Sessions: 1 Minimum attendance for certificates: 1 Vacancies per school: 5

For: This webinar is designed for educators at all levels who want to integrate innovative digital tools into their

practice to foster student engagement, creativity, and collaboration. It is especially useful for teachers seeking

practical, ready-to-apply strategies for both in-person and online learning environments

Please enrol before: 2026, Feb 13th

Facilitator(s): Ms. María de los Ángeles Suárez

Maria de los Angeles graduated as "Profesor en Inglés e Inglés Técnico" at "Instituto Nacional Superior del Profesorado Técnico" in Buenos Aires, Argentina. She also holds a degree as Profesora de Inglés para el Primer y Segundo Ciclo de la E.G.B. She has successfully completed the requirements to be recognized as a Microsoft Certified Educator. She has taught English as Foreign Language at Primary and Secondary School for 16 years. She is a Microsoft Innovative Educator Expert since 2015 and a Skype Master Teacher since 2017. She is currently working as Multimedia Lab Teacher for upper forms at St. Brigid's School. She attended Microsoft Global Education Exchange (E2) in Toronto, Canada in 2017, since her project "Around the World in a Sway, Tales of Skype in the Classroom Adventures" was one of the projects selected by Microsoft Argentina to represent the country in the Exchange.

Ms. Jennifer Verschoor

Jennifer Verschoor graduated from St. Andrew's Scots School. She holds a degree in Literary, Technical and Legal Translation as well as a Bachelor's degree in Educational Management, English Teaching and ICT in the Classroom validated by Trinity College London. She holds an MA in Virtual Environments and a Specialization in Education and ICT offered by the Ministry of Education in Argentina. She is the co-author of My First Digital Journey, an ebook published by The Round in December 2012. Currently she is working for the British Council in Argentina and Chile, ESSARP, Universidad Tecnológica Nacional, Cambridge English and SimpleK12 giving teacher training courses on the integration of ICT. She has been hired by SBS International to co-moderate TIC en el AULA, nominated for an ELTon Award in 2013 under the category Local Innovation.

Objectives: By the end of this session, participants will be able to:

Explore a curated selection of digital tools, organized according to specific teaching and learning needs (creativity, collaboration, formative assessment, and more).

Gain hands-on experience using selected tools such as Canva, Genially, and Edpuzzle, and others in breakout rooms.

Identify opportunities for student-centered learning, leveraging digital tools to promote autonomy, critical thinking, and authentic learning experiences.

Contents:

Participants will navigate through a series of Free Digital Tools, each being part of a category and their practical classroom applications.

Free Digital Tools Included:

■ Creativity & Content Creation

Tools: Canva, Genially, Adobe Express

Focus: Designing visual resources, storytelling activities, interactive presentations, and student-created projects.

■ Collaboration & Communication

Tools: Padlet. Canva Whiteboard & Mentimeter

Focus: Group projects, brainstorming, shared workspaces, and fostering digital communication.

■ Assessment & Feedback

Tools: Kahoot, Quizizz, Edpuzzle, Google Forms

Focus: Formative assessment, instant feedback, self-paced learning, and data-informed instruction.

■ Reading & Literacy

Digital Reading Platform: Get Epic!

Focus: Increasing motivation, classroom dynamics, and playful learning.

Bibliography: It will be shared with participants during the webinar and made available for continued learning after the

session.

Methodology: The webinar session follows an active, hands-on learning approach in the breakout rooms where educators will directly explore and test tools in real time. Short demonstrations will be followed by practice moments, and collaborative challenges.

To make the most of the experience, it is important to have a PC or laptop.