

Our CSBE English community

Special invitation Cycle 3 teachers

You are invited to a special gathering on March 12th from 8:30 to 11:00 at the Centre Administratif de Sainte-Marie. This meeting will determine the workshop plan for next year. Also, we will take the time to discuss about pedagogy (How can we make our students succeed even more?). I really hope to see you there as we can all move forward as a community and bring our students toward success. Please, don't forget to sign up on the CSBE website.

P.S. Cycle 1 and cycle 2 teachers will be invited in the near future. ☺

March 12th.

Where are we at in Cycle 3 English?

Let's take a few hours to discuss about pedagogy and needs in ESL. For cycle 3 and intensive teachers.

April 27th and May 18th.

Reading day by day (Part 1-2)

You will learn about The Daily 5 and the reading strategies that students learn in French and that could be reinvested in the ESL classroom.

For intensive teachers. (English plus and regular teachers also invited.)

The energy bite experience

The students from Mrs. Marie-Josée's class completed The Energy Bite Experience. I asked a special permission to our lovely colleague from GSDP if we could adapt her "OREO experience" activity to a healthier version called the "Energy Bite Experience". She accepted without any hesitation. Would you

Workshops coming up

February 9th:

Tiered instructions

For elementary and high school teachers. You will learn about differentiation and Learning strategies.

Not too late to show up!

Like to try it? Click [HERE](#). If you have questions, contact Marie.



Interesting resources for the classroom

Here are a few interesting activities you could try with your students. The credit does not go to me as I got inspired by different activities on Pinterest.

Facebook: What is on your mind?

Do you want to get your students to write every day? How about you try this activity! Keep a copy of the students' Facebook wall on their desk. When students come in the morning, ask them to write about



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what is on their mind. They can pretend to be Facebook users. Friends can also circulate and comment on other students' status. You will find a copy of the students' wall [here](#).

How to make a hot chocolate

Great writing activity for Valentine's Day! It is also a good activity to remind students the importance to structure the order of a text and to add adverbs. You can find the activity [here](#).



A note from your C.P.

Hi everyone!

Primary teachers: the secretary from the Services Éducatifs keeps receiving your forms for the end of year exams. Just a friendly reminder: if you are teaching a split class, I will contact you two weeks before the start of the exams to suggest you a version for your grade 3 or grade 5 students. As the board is suggesting exams for end of cycle only, you will then have to make your own copies. 😊

Have a good one and Happy Valentine's day!

Marie and Dianne 😊

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