



GwE Global Futures
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NOT TO BE MISSED!

Global Futures GwE Primary Team for International Languages:

Thank you ever so much to our volunteer schools who have agreed to join the GF team and become **Lead schools and practitioners** for International Languages in North Wales.

We will be aiming **to offer support, develop our network and share good practice with all schools.**

Please find the contact details below.

Professional learning:

Spanish Embassy Education Office training:

The Spanish Embassy Education Office (Consejería de Educación) in collaboration with Junta de Castilla y León is offering a **half-day online session for Primary teachers on the 20th of March:** Ideas for teaching Spanish in Primary. It will include 3 practical workshops delivered bilingually in Spanish and English:

-9:00 - Spanish vocabulary pills for primary students.

-10:00 - Let's get to know Spain: a game to get started with Spanish culture.

-11:00 - Tell me a story: a project to awaken emotions in Spanish class.

Registration is free and it is already open:

<https://forma.administracionelectronica.gob.es/form/open/corp/4804/PDzF>

Languagenut: Webinars

22nd March at 4pm GMT MFL SOS: Practical tips for non-specialists teaching MFL [here to register](#). Are you a primary/elementary school teacher who needs to teach a foreign language that you're not confident in? Or a secondary/high school teacher who is trained in another subject but has been given MFL classes in your timetable this year? Or a teaching assistant who has been asked to support with or even lead the teaching of a foreign language you don't really speak? With budget and staffing issues more prevalent than ever, many school staff are being asked to teach outside their specialism and many find MFL the most challenging in this respect. In this webinar, we offer practical tips and ideas for teaching languages when you're only one step ahead of the students.

19th April at 4pm GMT Getting the most out of Languagenut Primary/Elementary [here to register](#).

Primary Resources (for home learning)

Power Language have made the online form available again for teachers wishing to use any of the Power Language Schools resources for home learning.

The link to the webform is below and teachers have to be logged into the PLS website before they can access the form

<https://powerlanguage.school/video-resources-request-private/>

Once the automated form has been received, the requested resource(s) will be unlocked and emailed to the teacher with the weblink to the resource(s). The teacher can then share this weblink with pupils at home for direct access to the resource.

COMING SOON



Association for Language Learning Annual Conference (Virtual)

12th and 13th March

For information, programme and prices go to:

<https://www.all-languages.org.uk/>



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Can you sing or rap in French? Do you have the skills to make a video clip? If so, this competition is for you!

The **#FrenchPopVideoCompetition** returns in 2021. Open to all pupils in the primary and secondary school systems of Scotland, England, Wales, Northern Ireland, and the Channel Islands! Register now and submit your videos before **31/03/2021** 🎵

Sign up here: <https://bit.ly/FrenchPopVideoCompetition2021>



Diweddariad Ysgolion Cymru Tsieina - Chwefror 2021 / Wales China Schools Update - February 2021

English version: <https://mailchi.mp/7b9e13e67649/wales-china-schools-update-february-2021>

Cymraeg: <https://mailchi.mp/5c4bafbf319b/kih5mq2fmg>

**Do you have other ideas you would like us to develop?
Get in touch with the team!**

HAVE YOUR SAY AND SHARE GOOD PRACTICE

Just in case you missed it:

Global Futures GwE:

Introducing/ re-igniting International Languages in the primary: 18/01/21

18th Jan: Introducing/ re-igniting International Languages in primary schools.

<https://youtu.be/nLRtHE7LahQ>

All resources in Hwb GwE MFL under Webinar + title



Webinars by Power Language for Welsh schools:

Preparing for the new Curriculum for Wales – Webinar 1 2/12/20

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1QXkN0vp5hQnVDRUHLVwtyoh71u4bXL8/view?usp=sharing>

Introduction <https://youtu.be/tGkO6xbe7-g>

Planners and Associated Resources <https://youtu.be/7cZySWqu2WY>

Responsive Resources <https://youtu.be/5v0itB2Chnc>

Conclusion <https://youtu.be/MPDPSd3eupM>

Practical resources to embed languages in the curriculum:

Webinar 2: 8/2/21

All resources are available on Hwb GwE MFL under WEBINAR Power Language 2- Practical resources to embed IL

Due to a technical problem, our webinar was not recorded but here is a link to the recording of ALL Webinar from 27th January this year on the same themes

<https://youtu.be/uHuLpEqajig>



Technology to develop language acquisition:






Are you interested in gamifying your lessons?

Watch this very interesting and inspiring webinar on Genial.ly. Hosted by Joe Dale and Marie Alliot on 9/12/20.





Gamify your MFL class

<https://youtu.be/OXEDrFcRXsU>

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	Institut français https://ifprofs.org/uk
	Goethe Institute: https://www.goethe.de/ins/gb/en/new.html
	Consejería Española: https://www.educacionyfp.gob.es/reinounido/en_GB/oficinas_ycentros.html
	Confucius Institute: https://www.bangor.ac.uk/confucius-institute/
	The British Council: https://wales.britishcouncil.org/en

AND ALSO

	Power Language: https://powerlanguage.school/
	Primary Languages Network: https://primarylanguages.network/
	Linguascope: https://www.linguascope.com/
	Association for Language learning: https://www.all-languages.org.uk/

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