

Prerequisites

None

Pre-course Preparation

On the afternoon of the second day we will begin to map out a medium term plan for your first unit of work, please make sure you have access to this (hard or soft copy). Please bring your laptop or tablet device and your Members' Lounge login details so that you can access the website and resources.

Course Outline

This course will guide you through implementing and using the IPC Main Programme and IPC Early Years Programme in your school environment. Throughout the course, there will be the opportunity to reflect on your own practice, gain knowledge about the IPC, learn new practical ideas to enhance children's learning and have fun working together with international colleagues.

Day 1: Wednesday, 29 July 2015

Session 1 - Shared outcomes about the children we are helping to develop

By the end of this session you will:

- Develop an understanding of the importance of having shared outcomes about the children we are helping to develop.
- Know more about the Big Picture of the IPC.

Session 2 - IPC Learning Goals, Personal Learning Goals and International Mindedness

By the end of this session you will:

- Know more about the IPC Learning Goals and how they provide an appropriate balance of knowledge, skills and reflection leading to understanding.
- Know more about the Early Years Learning Strands.
- Have an understanding of developing international mindedness through the IPC.
- Have an understanding of the IPC personal learning goals.

Session 3 - The structure of an IPC unit – planning & adapting

By the end of this session you will:

- Know what an IPC unit looks like in practice.
- Be able to plan and adapt a unit of work.

Day 2: Thursday, 30 July 2015

Session 4 - Planning and supporting the IPC with online tools

By the end of this session you will:

- Know more about the IPC membership and the online tools.
- Be able to use the online route planner to create a long-term plan of the units you'll teach over the year.

Session 5 - Assessment and evaluation that improves learning – The IPC Assessment for Learning programme

By the end of this session you will:

- Know more about assessment and evaluation that supports and informs learning rather than dictates it.
- Know how the IPC assessment for learning programme can be used

Session 6 - Planning an IPC unit of work

By the end of this session you will:

- Have started to map out a medium term plan for your first IPC unit of work
- Have time to reflect on your learning over the past two days.