

# POWERFUL LANGUAGE LEARNING WITH TECHNOLOGY

The internet holds incredible power to enhance language learning and teaching. However, the sheer number of resources is overwhelming!

In this workshop you will learn how to bring together a range of online resources and learning activities and present them to students on your very own class website. You can even create your own materials such as podcasts, projects, webquests, and videos and put these at your students' fingertips. This technique means that learners can find the help they need, when they need it, and it also allows you to build choice into your programs, to engage every student.

Come along to the day with a thematic unit in mind, and build a prototype website that you can use immediately!

For teachers who make rapid progress, there will also be a chance to explore the website [www.edmodo.com](http://www.edmodo.com), which allows you to set up a safe, moderated website that acts a little bit like a Facebook page, allowing students to communicate and collaborate safely in the target language.



**DATE:** 4 April 2013  
**TIME:** 9:00am – 3:00pm  
**VENUE:** Newman Sienna Centre, 33 Williamstown Road, Doubleview  
**RSVP:** 27 March 2013



To attend please register online at [www.ais.wa.edu.au](http://www.ais.wa.edu.au)

**What to bring:**

Please come with any digital resources, such as files or websites, that you would like to make available to your students. Bring your laptop. Optionally, bring a microphone or headset if you want to try recording audio help for your students.

**Bio:**

Since his BA/Dip Ed and a year in Paris, Steve Collis has taught French for 10 years at Northern Beaches Christian School. He attracted recognition in awards for 'Excellence by a Teacher' (National Quality Schools Awards) and 'Microsoft Innovative Teacher of the Year'. Steve works with schools around Australia to use technology to facilitate student-centric pedagogy, building personalised learning structures to engage every student. Follow Steve on Twitter [@Steve\\_Collis](https://twitter.com/Steve_Collis) or catch his blog at [www.happysteve.com](http://www.happysteve.com)



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Please email Margaret Wood [mwood@ais.wa.edu.au](mailto:mwood@ais.wa.edu.au) 3 working days prior for all cancellations. Failure to do so may result in a non-attendance or late cancellation fee charged to your school for costs incurred by AISWA. All cancellations MUST be sent in writing. Verbal cancellations cannot be accepted by AISWA.



**PLEASE SIGN THE ATTENDANCE SHEET**

As we rely on your signature to be able to credit you with PL hours, it is imperative that all participants sign the provided attendance sheet. Failure to do so may result in your PL hours being incorrectly recorded or removed.

