

Communication Course

CULTIVATING COMMUNICATORS: DEVELOPING SPEAKING SKILLS IN CROSS-CULTURAL CLASSROOMS

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Course Overview

Embark on a transformative journey to enhance your skills as an educator in facilitating effective communication in cross-cultural classrooms. This 5-day training program is crafted to empower teachers with strategies, techniques, and cultural insights to foster confident and proficient speaking skills in students from diverse backgrounds.

Course Objectives

- Explore the impact of culture on communication styles.
- Strategies for promoting cultural awareness in the classroom.
- Creating a classroom atmosphere that encourages risk-taking and participation.
- Strategies for fostering a positive attitude towards language learning.
- Incorporating interactive methods to engage students in speaking activities.
- Role-playing, debates, and collaborative projects as tools for language development.
- Adapting speaking activities to be culturally sensitive.
- Encouraging students to share their cultural perspectives through speaking exercises.

Learning Outcomes

Participants will explore the impact of culture on communication styles and strategies for promoting cultural awareness in the classroom. The course aims to guide participants in creating a classroom atmosphere that encourages risk-taking and active participation. Strategies for fostering a positive attitude towards language learning will be emphasized, along with incorporating interactive methods to engage students in speaking activities. Participants will learn to use role-playing, debates, and collaborative projects as tools for language development. The course will also cover adapting speaking activities to be culturally sensitive and encouraging students to share their cultural perspectives through speaking exercises

Price: All expenses can be covered through a Knowledge Acquisition (KA) All expenses can be covered through a Knowledge Acquisition (KA) subsidy within the Erasmus+ initiative. This is a <u>5-day training course</u> in which Mobility Friends imposes a fee of 350€ per attendee, in courses located in the cities of the continent and Madeira island. The fee for Azores island 480€ per attendee. The <u>price includes the training course and a coffee break.</u>

For groups of 5 or more people, please contact us for pricing details.

Duration: 5-Day Course

Language: English

Schedule: The time of classes, whether in the morning or afternoon is dertemined by the provider. The schedule may vary considerably based on participants' preferences and the trainer's discretion regarding any modifications.

Certificate: A Certificate of Attendance will be awarded to participants who attend minimum of 80% of the course.

Other Services: Mobility Friends offers various services for you. We handle everything from accommodation to cultural visits and transfers. Contact us to learn how we can assist you with your travel logistics.

PLANNER

DAY 1 • Welcome and Introduction. • Importance of Cross-Cultural Communication. • Cultural Awareness in the Classroom. • Icebreaker: Sharing Cultural Experiences. • Strategies for Promoting Inclusivity. • Creating a Supportive Language Learning Environment. • Group Activity: Designing a Culturally Inclusive Classroom. DAY 2 • Fostering a Positive Attitude Towards Language Learning. • Encouraging Risk-Taking and Participation. • Case Studies: Successful Language Learning Environments. • Role of the Teacher in Creating a Supportive Environment. Practical Strategies for Building Rapport. • Interactive Workshop: Creating a Supportive Classroom Culture. • Overview of Interactive Teaching Methods. DAY 3 • Role-Playing as a Tool for Language Development. • Debates and Discussions in Language Learning. · Collaborative Projects for Speaking Skills. • Implementing Interactive Techniques in the Classroom. • Group Activity: Designing Interactive Language Lessons. • Importance of Effective Assessment. DAY 4 Designing Speaking Assessments. • Providing Constructive Feedback. • Peer Assessment and Collaborative Feedback. • Practical Exercises: Developing Assessment Criteria. Case Studies: Effective Assessment Practices.

DAY 5

- ILeveraging Technology for Speaking Skills.
- Online Platforms, Multimedia, and Virtual Communication Tools.
- Cultural Sensitivity in Speaking Activities.
- Adapting Speaking Activities to Cultural Contexts.
- Virtual Cultural Exchange: Real-World Language Application.
- Final Project: Developing a Cross-Cultural Speaking Lesson.
- Course evaluation and Feedback.

^{*}Please note that program content may be subject to change based on input from our trainers.



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