

**TESOL**  
News and information**October 2018**

Dear colleague

This e-newsletter shares news and information for English language teaching professionals from the Trinity TESOL team. You can also download it as a [PDF](#)

Best regards

From your Trinity TESOL Team

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**Helping us to create a positive learning environment****Review of an online CPD module from the British Council**

Ten talks from the British Council's *Teaching for Success* conference have been developed into self-access resources that support teachers' professional development.

The [Creating a Positive Learning Environment](#) module looks at how we manage lessons and considers ways in which we can set up classes and activities that foster a positive learning environment. This module looks at learner rapport; motivation; classroom management and teacher characteristics and styles, and provides a valuable opportunity to reflect upon what we already do, while also identifying useful areas for self-development.

Along with links to further reading on the website, there's also an [overview document](#) containing links to other areas of professional development.

With topics ranging from assessment literacy to integrating technology in the classroom, there's something here for everyone interested in developing their knowledge and skills.

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## Give yourself a competitive edge

### 6 Tips for boosting your professional profile

For teachers looking to make a career move, or get their first job in teaching, Marek Kiczkowiak at TEFL Equity Advocates and Academy has prepared a free downloadable PDF containing tips to help you get that perfect role.

Click below to visit the website where you can download Marek's tips:

#### **6 Fool-Proof Tips to Boosting Your Professional Profile**



There is also special content to support those with English as an additional language.

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## All good things...



### Final sessions for Trinity's Transformative Teachers 2018 series of teacher training webinars

After an amazing run of 21 sessions, our highly successful, bi-weekly [Trinity Transformative Teachers webinar series](#) will come to an end. With just three sessions left, there's still a chance to learn from the experts being interviewed.

The next two sessions will focus on how we can integrate 21st century skills alongside the development of language speaking skills - and we shall also look at how these skills are assessed in communicative exams.

The final webinar on 3 December will be a reflective Q&A session looking at the overall 2018 programme and featuring highlights from the series for discussion.

If you've still not registered, there's still time to look at the programme and sign up for the final sessions.

[Register now](#)

Though this year's webinar series comes to an end in December, we will soon be in touch about other free professional development resources and initiatives that help keep you focused and up-to-date with your professional practice!

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