

LETTER CIRCULAR - Institute for Education

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To the attention of: Education Officers, Heads of School, Assistant Heads, Heads of Department and Teachers (State and Non-State schools)

Subject: Imparting 21st Century skills through technology

Application Link: <http://tiny.cc/c33ukz>

Deadline: 18/05/2020

Imparting 21st Century skills through technology is a blended learning course offered by Microsoft in collaboration with the Institute for Education. The schedule of each module is as follows:

Module 2: Microsoft Education in the Classroom			
Collaborating with Microsoft Teams - in the classroom, in the school, across the world - your Digital Hub	2.5	5th March	DDLTS
Collaboration with OneNote - an ideal tool for you to organize, plan, collaborate and share in the school and classroom	2.5	12th March	DDLTS
Digital Storytelling with Sway	2.5	26th March	DDLTS
Using Office 365 for assessment and collaboration: Forms, Skype, Teams and other tools	2.5	2nd April	DDLTS
Inclusive Classroom - Microsoft Learning tools to enhance accessibility and facilitate learning	2.5	28th May	DDLTS
Module 3: Gamified Education: Minecraft in Education EDU			
A Day with Minecraft: MinecraftEDU - Part 1	2.5	9th April full day	MIC
A Day with Minecraft: MinecraftEDU - Part 2	2.5	9th April full day	MIC
A Day with Minecraft: MinecraftEDU - Part 3 and 4	2.5	9th April full day	MIC
Module 4: Computational Thinking, Physical Computing and HackingSTEM			
HackingSTEM	2.5	13th April full day	MIC
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Computational Thinking and Physical Computing - Part 1	2.5	23rd April	DDLTS
Computational Thinking and Physical Computing - Part 2	2.5	30th April	DDLTS
Microsoft Tools to assist Makers and Designers (3d Build, Paint3D)	2.5	7th May	DDLTS
Education Transformation Framework - how to achieve success in digital change projects in education	2.5	14th May	DDLTS

Location Legend:

DDLTS = Digital Literacy Centre Hamrun

MIC = Microsoft innovation Centre Skyparks, Luqa

This professional development is not just about teaching teachers how to use technology; it is more focused on how to help teachers better prepare students for the workforce of tomorrow.

Interested applicants may choose to attend one or more sessions or whole modules as indicated in the schedule above.

The professional development can be part of the accelerated progression scheme. Those interested are asked to attend the sessions at the venue indicated **and produce a scanned copy of their Teaching Degree minimum MQF level 6 to the lecturer on the day of the session.** Applications to attend should be submitted online by following the link: <http://tiny.cc/c33ukz>

Thank you.

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