



Teachers Tuesday pizza club



Chat, Pizza and a beer while exchanging material, ideas and watching a short video or full recorded online seminar / webinar.

Fortnightly at 21:00-22:00 on a Tuesday

Date	Proposed agenda
2 nd May	Webinar: Pearson The Teenage Brain Presenter: Dr. Ken Beatty Dr. Ken Beatty, an expert in technology in language learning, explains what science teaches us about how teenagers think and how that informs our language teaching practice. Using examples from Wider World, the new Pearson/BBC secondary course, he demonstrates how content and pedagogy can frame and maximise learning outcomes for teenage students.
16 th May	Focus on Laser: Bring a Laser B1 or B2 resource, discuss problem areas and create something that you need. And... Watch and discuss: 10 min Video: Hand in Hand with Teachers: Mixed-Ability Classes Daniel Brayshaw discusses the challenges of mixed-ability classes and gives practical solutions to deal with them effectively.
30 th May	Warmer, wakers and coolers bring and share your favourites. And... Watch and discuss: 10 min Video: Hand in Hand with Teachers: Keeping Students Engaged Rob Dean talks about the challenge of keeping teenage students engaged and suggests practical solutions to deal with it effectively.
13 th June	Webinar: Cambridge English. Understanding grammar and vocabulary assessment: what every teacher should know Knowing grammar and vocabulary is at the heart of learning a language. The assessment of vocabulary and grammar is, therefore, one of the most common forms of testing for all language teachers. But why do we test grammar and vocabulary and what is the best way to assess this knowledge? How do we choose what to test at different proficiency levels? What resources can help teachers? We will consider these questions and we will show you how a better understanding of the what, why and how of testing grammar and vocabulary can help you create your own tests or evaluate others with more confidence. Presenters: Fiona Barker and Angeliki Salamoura
20 th June	Best of the year. Bring your favourite resources and classes from the year to share And... Watch and discuss: 10 min Video: TBC

