Digital Learning News



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Hi everyone – just before you head off for school holidays, I thought I would share a few resources and professional learning opportunities with you.....

This week's blog post

NEW: Bully stoppers – new interactive resources for students



Four computer-based interactive learning <u>modules</u> have been designed for upper primary and lower secondary school students.

- Bullying for Primary School Students
- Social Media for Primary School Students
- Bullying for Secondary School Students
- Social Media for Secondary School Students

The student modules add to the range of <u>Bully Stoppers resources</u> which include an app for students, interactive teacher and parent modules, and a school presentation for parents.

Professional Learning	
<u>Sustaining 1-to -1 in your</u> <u>school</u> – New sessions in Melbourne and Mildura	 Thursday 17 October – East Melbourne (1:45-4:30) Friday 25 October – Mildura Secondary College (12:45 – 3:30) Contact Joe Wilson: wilson.joseph.j@edumail.vic.gov.au
Adobe has some great upcoming webinars for teachers in their <u>Creative</u> <u>Classroom Activities</u> series:	 Creative Classroom Activities: eLearning Wednesday, October 23, 2013 8:00:00 AM EST - 8:30:00 AM EST This week's guided tour of the Adobe Education Exchange highlights two projects that utilize eLearning tools to extend the classroom beyond the school walls. Creative Classroom Activities: Visual Literacy Wednesday, October 30, 2013 8:00:00 AM EST - 8:30:00 AM EST Explore how digital media can engage students of all ages and ability levels in this guided tour of some of the best visual literacy projects from the Adobe Education Exchange. Creative Classroom Activities: Animation Wednesday, November 6, 2013 9:00:00 AM EST - 9:30:00 AM EST Learn how two educators challenged their students to bring ideas to life with simple animation and interactive design projects from the Adobe Education Exchange
iPads in the Early Years	Friday October 25, Truganina South Primary School
TeachMeet (Vic)	Sale Gippsland TeachMeet, 17 Oct

Perfecting the blend 2013 • 10-11 December @ACMI		Ballarat TeachMeet 26 Oct
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Check out our <u>Professional Learning page</u> – it has heaps of information, links to providers and details about virtual conference sessions.

Resources



Did you know your students can follow NASA is on instagram? (Thanks to Brendan O'Brien for sending this through)

Other science resources:

- <u>Stellarium</u> a planetarium for the computer. It shows a realistic sky in 3D, just like what you see with the naked eye, binoculars or a telescope, available on eduSTAR (secondary).
- NASA science website and NASA for students
- <u>Beginner's Guide to the Sky</u> ABC Science
- <u>The wonders of our universe: space traveller</u> FUSE Interactive
- Hubble telescope resource FUSE

Also see this month's <u>Inspire</u> which explores how science, maths and technology is being delivered in increasingly interesting and vibrant ways.

If you have found some great resources or doing something in your class that you want to share, please let me know. Please pass this onto anyone you think may be interested and enjoy your holidays.

Regards Rachel

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