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Update on Action Plan for Scotland 2012 – 2013 Supporting the 1+2 agenda

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The Consejería offers the following services in relation with education: technical advice, information and support to the Spanish Diplomatic missions in the United Kingdom and Ireland; promoting and strengthening existing relationships between the Spanish education community and that of the United Kingdom and Ireland; gathering of information about educational policies in the United Kingdom and Ireland; and organizing teacher training activities.

New: Tecla November and December 2012

New: ActiEspaña 16. Activities for the teaching of Spanish

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24 January 2013

- Primary Conference

24 January 2013

- Second Training Day for Spanish Language Assistants in Wales and Southern England

25 January 2013

- Second Training Day for Spanish Language Assistants in Northern England

25 January 2013

- Practical Workshops for Teachers of Spanish, Consejería and Instituto Cervantes de Manchester.

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- Second Spanish language assistants training day

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ACTION PLAN 2012-13

- 1. Twilight Sessions for Spanish Teachers ✓**
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1. Twilight Sessions for Spanish Teachers

Current trends in teaching and learning Spanish.

- *Affect in language learning: Developing tasks that enhance this key component.*
- *Helping students develop their own imagination. The use of mental images to promote meaningful language learning.*
- The autumn sessions : Dundee 12th Nov, Edinburgh 13th Nov, Glasgow 14th Nov
- ‘Decent turnout’ of teachers: 18 + 33 + 35 = 85 total
- Dates and venues for the summer twilight ses confirmed (Aberdeen, Glasgow, Edinburgh)





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2. Immersion Days for Higher Students

- New edition of immersion days in Spanish
- Delivered by a team of Spanish Language Assistants
- Topics of special interest for their age group:
 - *Trabalenguas famosos en español* - Tongue twisters and pronunciation
 - *Como hablan de música los jóvenes españoles y mexicanos* –Spanish and Mexican teenagers talking about their favourite music
 - *Mi primer facebook en español* – Creating a Facebook profile collaboratively
- Norh Lanarkshire, Glasgow City Council (November)
- Inverclyde, Angus & Dundee (February - March)

3. Immersion Days for Advanced Higher Students

- **Date and venue:**
 - 20th January 2013 / St. Thomas of Aquin's School.
- **AIMS:**
 - To provide an opportunity to practice Spanish in real situations meaningfully
 - To equip students with strategies to
 - Become more effective communicators
 - Cope with unexpected language
- **STUDENTS FROM:** Edinburgh, Glasgow, East Renfrewshire



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3. Immersion Days for Advanced Higher Students

WORKSHOP 1

- *¿Y tú qué piensas de este tema?* In this workshop students were able to exchange their views and opinions on a wide range of topics at advanced level in the format of a speed dating interview.



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3. Immersion Days for Advanced Higher Students

WORKSHOP 2

- **¡A debate!** This workshop provided a good opportunity for students to practise their discussion techniques in the format of a role-play debate.



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WORKSHOP 3

- ***Puede que tengas razón...*** This workshop introduced key strategies for students to become more effective communicators in Spanish.





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WORKSHOP 4

- ***Música y movimiento*** This workshop focused on music, rhythm, dancing and simultaneous use of the Spanish language



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- And there was Spanish food as well...



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- And opportunities for socialising with young Spanish native speakers



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3. Immersion Days for Advanced Higher Students

- *I just loved having to speak Spanish for the full day without any English included, meeting new people and gaining more conversational skills.*
- I really enjoyed the family debate topic. The speed dating was very useful as well and I enjoyed speaking to a range of native speakers.
- *Thank you for providing this and for all the effort and organisation. It was so beneficial for the students to hear so many native speakers with so many accents. It was a very welcoming and encouraging atmosphere.*



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Other Actions: Spanish Seminar

En español, ¿Por qué no? Delivering the curriculum through Spanish

Materials available on line: http://www.mecd.gob.es/reinounido/en_GB/convocatorias-programas/formacion-profesorado/Seminario-del-esp-a-ol-2012.html

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Spanish Seminar

The Spanish Seminar "En español - ¿por qué no? Delivering the curriculum through Spanish" took place in Liverpool on Nov. 30th 2012.

The presentations below were the basis for some of the sessions..

[Working with ITE trainees to develop Primary CLIL approaches](#), María Herrera, Hope University, Liverpool.

[CLIL: Experience and perspectives](#), Steve Holdup and Colin Bradshaw, Dallam School, Cumbria.

[Recent findings and developments in bilingual education in the UK](#), Gabriela Meier, University of Exeter

[Bilingual education: MECD programmes](#), Natalio Ormeño, Consejería de Educación.

[CLIL, The administrative perspective](#), Terrie Docherty, St Austin's Catholic Primary School, Sección española de Liverpool.

[CLIL, The administrative perspective](#), Jane Winstanley, St Sebastian's Catholic Primary School, Sección española de Liverpool.

[CLIL, The classroom perspective](#), Marcela Fernández, Sección española de Liverpool

[CLIL, The classroom perspective](#), Maria Antonia Justo, Sección española de Liverpool

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Other Actions: Screenings for Schools

- Glasgow Film Theatre: **Blancanieves**



[See the trailer →](#)

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February, weekdays only
Show Times: times vary [[see showings](#)]

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Other Actions: Cervantes Institute

INSTITUTO CERVANTES IN SCOTLAND

- AVE Online Courses
- Spanish Course for Primary School Teachers
- DELE Exams in Schools (20th February)





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4. The Resource Centre in Edinburgh

- Updated catalogue: 2000 books and magazines
- Database of 600 resources (CDs and DVDs) Documentaries, Children's TV, Film
- Catalogues of resources are now available online
- Teachers outside Edinburgh can request materials to be sent by post
- New opening hours: 9:30 am – 2:00 pm weekdays; 3:00 to 7:00 pm Weds



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5. The Global Dimension of Spanish

- Spanish Day for teachers and learners
- Glasgow. 16th March
- Presentations and workshops on the global dimension of Spanish
- Speaking Spanish can open doors in different places around the world (personal and professional level)



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6. Spanish Workshops for Teachers in Scotland (May 2013)

- Primary: Main focus on CLIL and Interdisciplinary Learning
- Secondary, Higher and Further Education. Relate to a wide range of professional routes that students can take when they learn Spanish as a modern language
- Global and local Business; Tourism; Translation and Interpreting Services within International Organisations, International Law, etc.
- Hands-on sessions dealing with current areas of interest for Spanish teachers
- Edinburgh





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7. Talks about Spain and the Spanish Language

- In schools and other educational organisations
- Updated information about Spain and the Spanish Language
- ***Students, teachers and other staff, families***

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Get in touch!

We truly believe in multilingualism and we are open to support you in the 1+2 agenda

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