

#edchatie

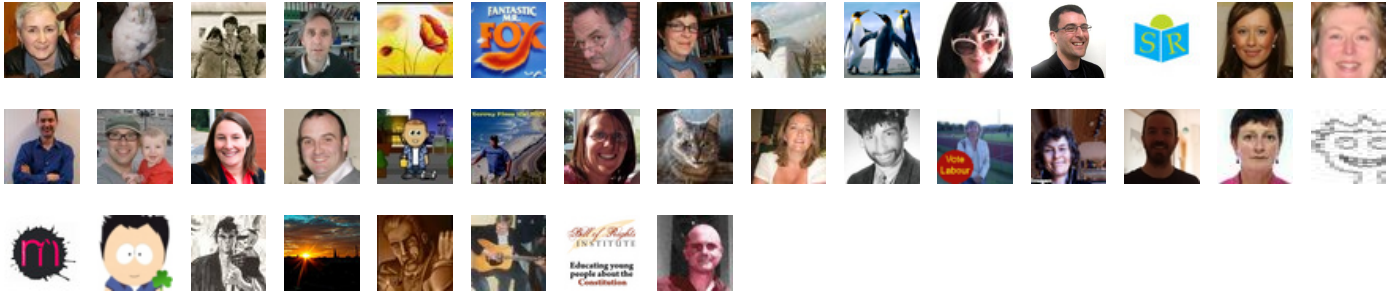
#edchatie

A discussion by Irish educators asking "Will the new Junior Cert course be the ideal opportunity to get all teachers involved in using ICT" held on Mon 4th

Trending Words

rt, -, @pamelaobrien, @saorog, @conpower, students, junior, teachers, @gersharpe1, new, more, think, cert, using, @chrissinerantzi

Event Participants





RT @catherinecronin #edchatie @conpower @pamelaaobrien This is the Discussion Rubric we use in the online #mscsed #nuig: <http://ow.ly/d/hcT>

04-Jul-11 22:41 | marloft



<http://t.co/yPysMfr> Gifted & Art.. donated and drawn by yours truley.. #gifted #edchat #edchatie #gtchat [Like it? <http://bit.ly/mD5Axp>]

04-Jul-11 22:37 | LesLinks



Never lose a debate again! <http://su.pr/1ltSIV> #vinb #edchatie

04-Jul-11 22:23 | IevDavidovic



RT @CuffeL Laurence @pamelaaobrien I find material form here very motivating: dimensions-math.org #edchatie

04-Jul-11 22:06 | fboss



@fboss that's what I love the most about #edchatie, the chance to discuss education matters regardless of how you're involved in education

04-Jul-11 21:51 | pamelaaobrien



@pamelaaobrien Easily done - but then again education is eduaction, no matter the level it's at :-) #edchatie

04-Jul-11 21:49 | fboss



RT @johnmayo: #edchatie some schools reduce Hist/Geo to 2 period s to cover add. subjects

04-Jul-11 21:37 | foxburg



#edchatie got to go folks, kids to bed time. Thanks to all once more for good discussion and links.

04-Jul-11 21:14 | CuffeL



#edchatie In science and maths, I always ask myself, how would Isac Newton have done on this... A lot of constructivist approaches fail...

04-Jul-11 21:08 | CuffeL



@cuffel Hmm.. not sure I understand exactly. Do you disagree w/ awarding marks for discussion? Do you think it differs by subject? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 21:07 | catherinecronin



@catherinecronin @conpower @pamelaaobrien #edchatie Looks good, but I'm always concerned that it may discriminate on non subject skills

04-Jul-11 21:00 | CuffeL



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04-Jul-11 20:56 | catherinecronin



@pamelaaobrien @conpower Finding software to do maths notation may be as issue, but doesn't have to be! #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:41 | CuffeL



@pamelaaobrien #Edchatie I find the opposite, at 13-14 coming to secondary they are motivated, by fourth year, they are zombies

04-Jul-11 20:41 | conpower



RT @fboss: #edchatie Great big THANK YOU to @johnmayo for looking after you all while I had a dinner to sort :-) thanks John :-) #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:41 | pamelaaobrien



Great #edchatie again @fboss. Didn't think I'd have much to contribute tonight, but as usual got caught up in it all :-)

04-Jul-11 20:38 | pamelaaobrien



#Edchatie You can also give credit for discussion board posts as they do at third level, there are rubrics for this.

04-Jul-11 20:38 | conpower



Gotta go too Thanks again to @fboss. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:37 | gersharpe1



@levdavidovic #Edchatie Engage their creativity and they should get the facts themselves, your helping them do something with them

04-Jul-11 20:36 | conpower



@levdavidovic Instead of correcting 30 copybooks you will be correcting small parts of a portfolio that will build itself up. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:35 | gersharpe1



@fboss I love the idea of dialogue #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:35 | chrissinerantzi



RT @fboss: #edchatie Great big THANK YOU to @johnmayo for looking after you all while I had a dinner to sort :-)

04-Jul-11 20:34 | simonmlewis



@conpower re Fetac It is not as exact, but it is ballpark, and Fetac Maths captures kids who cant test otherwise #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:34 | CuffeL



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04-Jul-11 20:34 | fboss



#edchatie I read many here mentioning personal portfolios, but can't see where the time to both teach and supervise is going to come from

04-Jul-11 20:33 | levdavidovic



@conpower even if we use the same assessment criteria? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:33 | chrissinerantzi



RT @CuffeL: OK Pisa #edchatie, if we want to teach to the test, here's the game plan: <http://t.co/T1Aj1ZZ~> exactly what I was saying! Thanks

04-Jul-11 20:31 | levdavidovic



@chrissinerantzi If not exams, what about questions & dialogue to show both learning and understanding? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:31 | fboss



#Edchatie @CuffeL Have experience of Fetac monitoring, its hit and miss tbh.

04-Jul-11 20:31 | conpower



@chrissinerantzi @saorog 64 million dollar question :-) #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:30 | pamelaaobrien



@gersharpe1 my understanding is that the strands for pilot schools are phased too just a few years earlier #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:29 | pamelaaobrien



#edchatie sorry to have missed ye, at digital bootcamp. Great day!

04-Jul-11 20:29 | evelynoconnor



Very interesting RT @CuffeL: OK Pisa #edchatie, if we want to teach to the test, heres the game plan:<http://t.co/UxbiP6t> #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:28 | gersharpe1



Grrr, can't update #edchatie!!

04-Jul-11 20:28 | levdauidovic



#edchatie Gotta fly folks - thanks again @fboss for gathering us

04-Jul-11 20:28 | magsamond



@CuffeL think this is definitely a risk but hopefully it will improve the level of understanding of maths #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:28 | pamelaaobrien



@conpower @fboss anybody using eportfolios beyond arts courses? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:27 | chrissinerantzi



@pamelaaobrien Not the kids in the pilot schools though. They have had it tough #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:27 | gersharpe1



#Edchatie @chrissinerantzi Consistency will become an issue with personalized assessment.

04-Jul-11 20:27 | conpower



#Edchatie @levdauidovic I agree that PISA was a red herring!

04-Jul-11 20:26 | seomraranga



@pamelaaobrien That is the risk, and it could arise through teacher insecurity #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:26 | CuffeL



WOW! With 5mins to go #edchatie still steaming ahead. The transcript will be up tomorrow, as usual, on <http://fboss.delivr.com/1523l>

04-Jul-11 20:25 | fboss



@gersharpe1 absolutely but they are tackling it on a phased basis, so that should ease them into it #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:25 | pamelaaobrien



@conpower @fboss - sounds good - are we going towards highly personalised assessment? Should this be the norm? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:24 | chrissinerantzi



RT @simonmlewis: Ha! Cue excuses ;-p RT @seomraranga: #Edchatie How come nobody has mentioned elephant in the room yet? PISA!~collegiality?

04-Jul-11 20:24 | levdauidovic



Re PISA - great post by @domaho on significance of PISA findings for Ireland <http://ow.ly/5vLQd> - digital reading, ICT & schools #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:22 | simonmlewis



@chrissinerantzi @saorog I think the more predictable the exams become, the more wiping that happens #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:22 | pamelaaobrien



@saorog Next week's looking good then ;-) #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:22 | fboss



@fboss Should be the norm, not the exception, and some structure to it. Why not have a portfolio / interview for an Arts course #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:22 | conpower



@CuffeL WOULD like to see this happen. Lose the safety net of the formulaic step-by-step text book #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:21 | fboss



@CuffeL Just hope the assessment of Project Maths doesn't become very predictable and ruin what could be a great initiative! #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:21 | pamelaaobrien



@pamelaaobrien @saorog - can the wiping out or not be influenced by the assessment method we choose? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:21 | chrissinerantzi



@fboss Really cannot see universities wanting to interview 60 odd thousand kids every year #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:21 | gersharpe1



RT @CuffeL: #Edchatie Functional math(part of Project math) is moving towards creative independence, If they can side step the text books

04-Jul-11 20:21 | magsamond



@gersharpe1 However, they now do interviews too for Medicine & Art always used portfolios of work . . . There are ways . . . #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:20 | fboss



#Edchatie Functional math(part of Project math thinking) is moving towards creative and independence, If they can side step the text books

04-Jul-11 20:20 | CuffeL



@pamelaaobrien @conpower this is so true - how can this change? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:20 | chrissinerantzi



RT @fboss: @saorog You're still teasing us all about this game? When's it due out? #edchatie As soon as GBL wins the edchat poll

04-Jul-11 20:19 | saorog



Ha! Cue the excuses ;-p RT @seomraranga: #Edchatie How come nobody has mentioned the elephant in the room yet? PISA!!

04-Jul-11 20:19 | simonmlewis



have to get off bus now tweeps, will continue to chat when I get home #edchatie FROM A MATTHEWS COACH HAI

04-Jul-11 20:19 | saorog



RT @levdavidovic: #edchatie can we talk practicalities: the Junior Cert took 8 years to implement with littl... (cont) <http://deck.ly/~tChUI>

04-Jul-11 20:17 | fboss



@chrissinerantzi @saorog not sure the wiping was always to the same extent though! #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:17 | pamelaabrien



#edchatie a major restructuring of DES req for any sig change to occur: preoccupied with put out fired and no scope for policy initiative

04-Jul-11 20:17 | levdavidovic



Gotta go! Enjoy the rest. Looking forward to reading transcript tomorrow. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:17 | emernowlan



@magsamond Strong post! And true too - it's about the students not the teacher in the end -but the exam is still about the exam #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:17 | fboss



#Edchatie #gbl Kids always ask, "can we play on the iPods?" They still think they're playing even though there's only 2 "games" out of 90

04-Jul-11 20:17 | seomraranga



@saorog @conpower that sounds great maybe @nicwhitton could also join us #edchatie ;0)

04-Jul-11 20:17 | chrissinerantzi



@pamelaabrien "looking forward to seeing the new games Stephen" #Edchatie They may not be as relevant to 3rd lvl Pam, sorry :)

04-Jul-11 20:16 | saorog



@conpower That's a good example of GBL working. Add helping the children learn those tables (in a real manner) & we're good! #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:16 | simonmlewis



@saorog @conpower looking forward to seeing the new games Stephen :-) #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:16 | pamelaabrien



RT @conpower: #Edchatie @pamelaabrien ICT could used to tie it all together. For JC student produces a multim... (cont) <http://deck.ly/~8q1mu>

04-Jul-11 20:15 | fboss



#edchatie can we talk practicalities: the Junior Cert took 8 years to implement with little or no resistance and plenty of in-service.

04-Jul-11 20:15 | levdavidovic



@conpower absolutely, ICT is the tool that could bring it all together, kids v comfortable with it, often the teachers who aren't #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:15 | pamelaabrien



@johnmayo @saorog I'm on for that too - but don't tell anyone :-) #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:15 | fboss



RT @johnmayo: @saorog lets rig the poll next week #edchatie #iGBL Already rigged, it had paid 10 grand to have GBL this week #IWOSROBBED

04-Jul-11 20:14 | saorog



There also needs to be more of a focus on creation rather than just consumption #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:14 | pamelaaobrien



@conpower "Seems to be a big movement to game based learning" If we EVER have a GBL chat, I will have new games for you all to try #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:13 | saorog



@conpower #edchatie check out consolarium blog from LTS <http://bit.ly/aFCE44> iGBL <http://gblireland.blogspot.com/>

04-Jul-11 20:13 | johnmayo



#Edchatie @pamelaaobrien ICT could used to tie it all together - For JC student produces a multimedia portfolio of projects/research

04-Jul-11 20:12 | conpower



#edchatie teacher of English/History promised I'd only observe tonight but just when I thought I was out, they pull me back in (Godfather!)

04-Jul-11 20:12 | levdaavidovic



#edchatie there seems to be an assumption so far that there will be a new JC exam v soon, don't count chickens: no money, no CPD planned

04-Jul-11 20:12 | levdaavidovic



@saorog exactly. Nobody is a blank canvas. How can maximise experiential learning? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:11 | chrissinerantzi



@pamelaaobrien @conpower @magsamond Ooh, games based learning! Now that's something that could be assessed on lots of levels #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:11 | simonmlewis



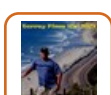
@conpower @magsamond This is what we need to get better at, giving credit for "portfolio" work -3rd level struggling with this too #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:11 | pamelaaobrien



@chrissinerantzi #Edchatie Seems to be a big movement to game based learning, must look into it more, I see Mission V etc promoting

04-Jul-11 20:10 | conpower



@emernowlan RT @DonaldClark Never praise a child - praise the work not the child - evidence is clear bit.ly/ICrCd1 #Edchatie Discuss?

04-Jul-11 20:10 | darkone



@conpower games for learning, learning through play. Why do we stop playing or do we just play different games? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:09 | chrissinerantzi



@conpower @gersharpe1 that's the bit that really freaks me out #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:09 | pamelaaobrien



@magsamond #Edchatie Look at all the fantastic work at Young Scientist, no academic credit for it

04-Jul-11 20:09 | conpower



@saorog @chrissinerantzi not sure that they always know something when they get to 3rd level. Learned for exam and then wiped! #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:09 | pamelaaobrien



@simonmlewis the trick is not to stop there and many times it shouldn't be the starting point (rote learning) #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:07 | chrissinerantzi



#Edchatie Sec sch in Dub used to come back to us after the entrance exam to ask teacher if result was a true reflection of the pupil.

04-Jul-11 20:07 | seomraranga



@simonmlewis @chrissinerantzi agreed, very hard to move past rote learning. Huge resistance from students when they get to 3rd level #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:07 | pamelaabrien



Seriously, though - there is an opportunity to really change things, starting with Junior Cycle reform. If people are brave! #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:07 | emernowlan



@seomraranga 6th class had a transition day where they learned of the changes they'd expect. Prob nothing to do with learning tho #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:07 | simonmlewis



RT @magsamond: #edchatie Flowing system, joined up ideas, from first to second to third level..wouldn't it be nice?...>we can dream!

04-Jul-11 20:06 | emernowlan



@emernowlan absolutely, always shocked when I hear of students learning off essays etc #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:06 | pamelaabrien



Anyone considered Future Problem Solving Program International? <http://ow.ly/5wrBV> Teens we have done it with just love it. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:06 | Frazzld



Like it RT @conpower: #Edchatie One school I know used to send a project to be started in 6th class and finished the first few weeks of sec

04-Jul-11 20:06 | seomraranga



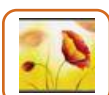
@saorog No. Still a shorter list if you call out subjects you're NOT doing :-)) meant to all change in a year though #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:06 | fboss



RT @emernowlan: RT @johnmayo: #edchatie I would also bring freedom to fail as they learn > 'Failure' a necessary tool. Comes up again and again. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:05 | ElaineHanley72



RT @magsamond: needs to be a flowing system, vertical joined up ideas, from 1st to 2nd to 3rd level..wouldnt it be nice? Sigh... #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:05 | pamelaabrien



RT @johnmayo: #edchatie Some JC exams could pass off as round in table quiz -ans 10 short History Questions v fact based ~ come on!

04-Jul-11 20:05 | levdavidovic



#Edchatie One school I know used to send a project to be started in 6th class and finished the first few weeks of secondary.

04-Jul-11 20:05 | conpower



RT @pamelaabrien: not sure it's always done that way though #Edchatie Never done that way. Content-based exams dominate. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:05 | emernowlan



RT @pamelaaobrien: @seomraranga @magsamond better links between the levels could have significant impact #edchatie Agreed!

04-Jul-11 20:03 | emernowlan



@emernowlan not sure it's always done that way though #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:03 | pamelaaobrien



RT @gersharpe1: @seomraranga Agreed. We had primary principal give us a talk last year on the way his pupils are taught. Was an eye opener #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:03 | seomraranga



@seomraranga Agreed. We had primary principal give us a talk last year on the way his pupils are taught. Was an eye opener #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:03 | gersharpe1



@seomraranga @magsamond better links between the levels could have significant impact. Seems to me very different approaches #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:03 | pamelaaobrien



RT @seomraranga: @magsamond #Edchatie There is no follow up between primary and sec. The sec sch visit us, but just to promote their school to the pupils.

04-Jul-11 20:03 | simonmlewis



@simonmlewis @magsamond #Edchatie And then we visit the 2nd level to promote the 3rd level!

04-Jul-11 20:03 | saorog



@gersharpe1 Once it's not just change for the sake of it though #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:02 | fboss



RT @simonmlewis: RT @magsamond #Edchatie There is no follow up between primary and sec. The sec sch visit us... (cont) <http://deck.ly/~Y9tIR>

04-Jul-11 20:02 | conpower



@JoeGarde what is wifi management? #edchatie #willfullyIgnoringFeigningInterestManagement

04-Jul-11 20:02 | saorog



All good teachers know how to assess students - over a broad range of knowledge, skills and attitudes. Not rocket science. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:02 | emernowlan



@conpower if we could somehow introduce problem solving skills it would be a major step forwards #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:01 | pamelaaobrien



@chrisinerantzi #edchatie Need more engagement - students will spend hours solving a problem in a computer gamee.

04-Jul-11 20:01 | conpower



RT @magsamond #Edchatie There is no follow up between primary and sec. The sec sch visit us, but just to promote their school to the pupils

04-Jul-11 20:01 | simonmlewis



@simonmlewis @emernowlan @gersharpe1 @saorog just know current system not working!! #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 20:00 | pamelaaobrien



@pamelaaobrien #edchatie They assess levels in Key Skills in the UK, nothing like that here

04-Jul-11 19:59 | conpower



RT @chrisinerantzi: @gersharpe1 @johnmayo - in a supportive environment #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:58 | johnmayo



@gersharpe1 should be key skills examined, which seem to have gotten list somewhere along the way #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:58 | pamelaaobrien



@conpower agree that more continuous assessment would be good but assessment needs to be consistent #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:57 | pamelaaobrien



@emernowlan @johnmayo - I agree it is ok to make mistakes, necessary I would say - do we all always learn from our mistakes? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:57 | chrisinerantzi



@johnmayo #edchatie mmm...smart non-ict-using teachers can be just as engaging though - it is a mindset, one that will let students think...

04-Jul-11 19:57 | magsamond



@conpower Research shows much easier to get students engaged when curriculum more relevant to them. Don't need exams as motivator #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:57 | emernowlan



#edchatie Some Junior Cert exams could easily pass off as a round in a table quiz - answer 10 short History Questions very fact based

04-Jul-11 19:57 | johnmayo



@simonmlewis @pamelaaobrien @emernowlan @gersharpe1 "Should the first exam be the Leaving Cert?" Maybe not, I'd scrap that too. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:57 | saorog



#edchatie Marie Primary. sorry I'm late . Don't know how much I have to offer the chat tonight but I'm listening

04-Jul-11 19:57 | mariefarren



@pamelaaobrien Agreed but surely key skills should be examined and not particular subjects #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:56 | gersharpe1



@pamelaaobrien @emernowlan @gersharpe1 @saorog Should the first formal exam be like the Leaving Cert? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:55 | simonmlewis



#edchatie How can we engage ICT with that ?

04-Jul-11 19:55 | johnmayo



@gersharpe1 @simonmlewis can see that time is a problem but rote learning is causing huge problems #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:55 | pamelaaobrien



Risk that reform will only cut no. of subjects. Instead of moving to cross-curricular, learner-centred real-life based curriculum.#edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:55 | emernowlan



@pamelaaobrien @gersharpe1 @saorog Have to question need for qualification at all at 16. Imagine freedom to learn without it. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:53 | emernowlan



@johnmayo Broad curriculum is fine but no need for the state to examine every subject #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:53 | gersharpe1



#edchatie problems in secondary school are not real = hence no engagement

04-Jul-11 19:53 | johnmayo



@johnmayo Agree re: broad curriculum but should be to achieve something not just to say you've done it! #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:53 | pamelaaobrien



@simonmlewis this is part of the problem, problem solving skills very sadly lacking after secondary #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:52 | pamelaaobrien



#edchatie Still a broad curr. is a good thing IMO

04-Jul-11 19:52 | johnmayo



#edchatie you need the smart ICT using teachers to show case what engagement benefits with studentsblogging etc

04-Jul-11 19:51 | johnmayo



@gersharpe1 @saorog dont see why 11 subjects need to be taken at JC -wonder what it really achieves #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:51 | pamelaaobrien



RT @johnmayo: #edchatie I would also bring freedom to fail as they learn > 'Failure' a necessary tool. Comes up again and again. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:51 | emernowlan



#edchatie some schools reduce Hist/Geo to 2 period s to cover add. subjects

04-Jul-11 19:50 | johnmayo



RT @johnmayo: #edchatie I would also bring freedom to fail as they learn #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:50 | gersharpe1



Trying desperately hard to think of a time where I had to problem solve outside of maths class when I was in secondary school. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:50 | simonmlewis



RT @johnmayo: #edchatie any thing is better than teacher talking and students highlighting textbooks :-(>> agreed #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:50 | pamelaaobrien



#edchatie I would also bring freedom to fail as they learn

04-Jul-11 19:50 | johnmayo



@saorog @pamelaaobrien our students take 14 subjects in 1st year of which 11 will be done in Junior cert exam. Crazy #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:50 | gersharpe1



RT @jonmbryant Watch this! @fboss: RT @Mike_Kiely: iPad music in the classroom : <http://t.co/6ccZfEV> #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:49 | supermike



#edchatie any thing is better than teacher talking and students highlighting textbooks :-)

04-Jul-11 19:48 | johnmayo



@johnmayo could the use of technology be encouraged through problem-based learning strategies? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:48 | chrissinerantzi



#edchatie I always founded motivated students are very easy to teach only problem getting all in the calls motivated at same time

04-Jul-11 19:47 | johnmayo



@johnmayo #edchatie Powerful enough

04-Jul-11 19:46 | saorog



@pamelaaobrien "think more subjects taken now" More than 9!? #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:46 | saorog



RT @johnmayo: #edchatie do students find it useful, interesting or a waste of time? > Research shows students bored <http://bit.ly/me3IB2>

04-Jul-11 19:46 | emernowlan



#edchatie I womder how powerful are the book publishers ?????

04-Jul-11 19:46 | johnmayo



That's just the medium all subjects should be less abt content and more learner focused #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:45 | cnaamani



#edchatie DKIT done something like that using a tool called Booki (I think)

04-Jul-11 19:45 | johnmayo



Excellent idea -> RT @chrissinerantzi: @ - why not ask student to create their own textbook? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:45 | simonmlewis



#edchatie @chrissinerantzi @chrissinerantzi because it couldn't be sold to them and no one would make a PROFIT

04-Jul-11 19:45 | saorog



@ - why not ask student to create their own textbook? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:45 | chrissinerantzi



#edchatie Sorry Pam it was Emer that I should have directed that tweet

04-Jul-11 19:45 | johnmayo



Hi all, Simon Lewis, principal of Carlow Educate Together NS, still not on summer holidays yet :- (#edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:44 | simonmlewis



RT @gersharpe1: LOL RT @johnmayo: #edchatie Pam Squirrel Nut Zippers? >> ??? Is this code? #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:43 | pamelaaobrien



#edchatie I did English, Irish, Maths, French, History, Geography, Science, Classical Studies & Art for my junior. Has it changed much?

04-Jul-11 19:43 | saorog



#edchatie that was the link

04-Jul-11 19:43 | johnmayo



LOL RT @johnmayo: #edchatie Pam Squirrel Nut Zippers? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:42 | gersharpe1



#edchatie Pam Squirrel Nut Zippers?

04-Jul-11 19:42 | johnmayo



Pam 3rd level #Edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:41 | pamelaaobrien



@gersharpe1 Agreed. But consultation showed vested interests reluctant to go too far. Afraid they will listen <http://bit.ly/k4P2> #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:41 | emernowlan



@saorog @gersharpe1 Barrier to creative learning. Present system encourages didactic teaching #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:40 | gersharpe1



RT @emernowlan: NCCA consultation - junior cycle reform <http://bit.ly/k4P2> Need independent, confident, resourceful learners; good communicators #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:40 | fboss



Just getting a quick look-in. Our suggestion for a new Junior Cycle involves personal portfolios: <http://ow.ly/5wqLV> #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:40 | Frazzld



@johnmayo I know some teachers who want change. I think all would prefer students to be more engaged - which means change needed #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:40 | emernowlan



#edchatie do students find it useful, interesting or a waste of time ?

04-Jul-11 19:39 | johnmayo



@gersharpe1 #edchatie Barrier to what?

04-Jul-11 19:38 | saorog



@johnmayo No teaching should ever be text-book based - should be learner-based. Have to use online cause that's where sts are #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:38 | emernowlan



RT @johnmayo: @emernowlan but do you think teacher want to change? ;-) #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:37 | johnmayo



Having worked in teacher education the past year- I see very little fire in new teachers to use ICT? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:35 | johnmayo



@johnmayo Teachers and resources #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:35 | gersharpe1



My worry would be that the new 'exam' itself will be a barrier. There is reluctance to move far away from current model. #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:34 | emernowlan



Amazing Video! You have to watch it! RT @fboss: RT @Mike_Kiely: iPad music in the classroom : <http://youtu.be/2W9z-nrTQD4> #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:34 | seomraranga



Yezz are all very quiet or you are distracted by #socialmediamovies #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:34 | johnmayo



What do you think will be the barriers ? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:33 | johnmayo



ESRI : students lose interest in junior cycle <http://bit.ly/IL8OdL> ICT no magic wand but important tool for student engagement #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:32 | emernowlan



Second Level Maths and Science. All for reforming J.Cert for tons of reasons One being to prevent me getting S.P.H.E classes #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:32 | gersharpe1



#edchatie Stephen Howell, lecturer in Computing IT Tallaght, on a bus with wifi, did the very first ever junior cert many years ago

04-Jul-11 19:31 | saorog



John from Mayo #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:31 | johnmayo



Kicking off #edchatie tonight - Please introduce yourselves and say how you're connected to education first of all, then we'll get started.

04-Jul-11 19:30 | fboss



5mins to go to tonight's #edchatie Talking about Will the new junior cert course be the ideal opportunity to get all teachers using ICT?

04-Jul-11 19:26 | fboss



RT @Mike_Kiely: iPad music in the classroom : http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2W9z-nrTQD4&feature=player_embedded #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:23 | fboss



Second-level teacher (once). Passionate about need for junior cycle change (Bit early sorry, but have to go soon). #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:18 | emernowlan



Found these on Jr Cert as it is: Factsheets - <http://bit.ly/iTBPoI> -All note "internet/computer software to help find out more" #edchatie

04-Jul-11 19:17 | fboss



In 25mins #edchatie is open for discussion about: Will the new junior cert course be the ideal opportunity to get all teachers using ICT?

04-Jul-11 19:06 | fboss



Good luck to all in #edchatie tonight! I am busy preparing for travelling to #ece11 tomorrow, but will catch up with transcript tomorrow.

04-Jul-11 18:57 | catherinecronin



1hr to go to #edchatie tonight: Will the new junior cert course be the ideal opportunity to get all teachers using ICT? 8.30-9.30pm

04-Jul-11 18:31 | fboss



The Exam: <http://t.co/opVD35z> The start of the summer school #edchatie #teachers #commentsforkids

04-Jul-11 17:36 | AnseoAMuinteoir



2hrs until #edchatie tonight: Will the new junior cert course be the ideal opportunity to get all teachers involved in using ICT?

04-Jul-11 17:17 | fboss



RT @JamiePortman: 40 ways to start using Google Apps in the classroom & schools >>> My brain is buzzing with ideas <http://t.co/VGUSwhx> #ukedchat #edchatie

04-Jul-11 16:32 | muckyartist



@donenda funny, I'd have thought DB needs us more than we need it - we have alternatives, what's in it for them? #dropboxornot #edchatie

04-Jul-11 15:41 | magsamond



RT @donenda: What's the general feeling about Dropbox? Will *you* keep using it? #edchatie

04-Jul-11 15:39 | donenda



Interested in building working partnerships with teachers? please take a look at <http://muuuu.com/>, our online app #edchatie

04-Jul-11 14:54 | john_at_muuuu



#edchatie tonight asks whether the new junior cert course could be the ideal opportunity to get all teachers involved in using ICT.

04-Jul-11 13:53 | ireland



iPad music in the classroom : http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2W9z-nrTQD4&feature=player_embedded #edchatie

04-Jul-11 13:30 | Mike_Kiely



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04-Jul-11 13:27 | slaneybar



#Happy4thofJuly @EDSITEment - Countdown to the #Constitution continues – Gerry Committee <http://t.co/bVFik0c> #edchatie #sschat #89signers

04-Jul-11 13:02 | BRIInstitute



Join in with #edchatie tonight: Will the new junior cert course be the ideal opportunity to get all teachers using ICT? 8.30-9.30pm

04-Jul-11 12:44 | fboss



<http://bit.ly/I9tZ98> Food for thought before tonight's edchat #edchatie

04-Jul-11 12:42 | gersharpe1



Last hour to vote for your topic for the #edchatie discussion tonight: <http://bit.ly/kRBDvX> Plz RT

04-Jul-11 09:56 | fboss



RT @catherinecronin: Futurelab Digital Literacy project: Support students becoming active meaning-makers w/ tech+media <http://ow.ly/5vMgM> @futurelabedu #edchatie

04-Jul-11 09:32 | emernowlan



Vote for tonight's #edchatie topic at <http://t.co/yHJykKg>. Closes today at noon

04-Jul-11 09:22 | pamelaobrien



RT @gaelick "The trials of being gay in the classroom" Teachers & pupils speak on Today with Pat Kenny, RTÉ Radio 1 10am. #todaypk #edchatie

04-Jul-11 08:56 | mrNeilButler



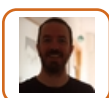
RT @nytimesworld: Education: Newcomer Makes Good in Credentials Market <http://t.co/RKce4ve> ~growth of International Baccalaureate #edchatie

04-Jul-11 08:44 | levdavidovic



RT @mrNeilButler: come on game-based learning! <http://bit.ly/kRBDvX> #edchatie (despite me asking the question about excellence)

04-Jul-11 08:40 | saorog



come on game-based learning! <http://bit.ly/kRBDvX> #edchatie (despite me asking the question about excellence)

04-Jul-11 08:29 | mrNeilButler



RT @JamiePortman: 40 ways to start using Google Apps in the classroom & schools >>> My brain is buzzing with ideas <http://t.co/VGUSwhx> #ukedchat #edchatie

04-Jul-11 05:49 | mattbuxton10