

Dear Community Language Schools

Before we finish up this year, if you are looking for some excellent ideas for your teaching. If you are after some time saving tips. If you are interested in making your teaching go even further, why not register in a free teacher training/professional learning event. These are the last we are offering this year so feel free to take advantage of some excellent professional learning opportunities :

i) A free **short course for teachers about teaching practices and language learning** for community language teachers

ii) The last in our series of masterclasses - This is a excellent opportunity to engage with Jeremy Harmer - [a world authority in language teaching and globally acclaimed author of language teaching books and student text books](#)

SHORT COURSE FOR COMMUNITY LANGUAGE TEACHERS

'**Engaging community language learners**' is a new professional development program developed by the Multilingualism Research Centre at Macquarie University for community language teachers and offered by the NSWFLS. The program uses evidence-based innovative approaches to engage learners in community language learning. For information contact the Education Officer Alex Di Prinzio

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Date Topic / speaker

12 Oct **Engaging today's young language learners** Professor Phil Benson

19 Oct **Creativity through task-based learning** Dr. Robyn Moloney

26 Oct **Building a community of writers** Dr. Alice Chik

2 Nov **Teaching Pragmatics in Community Language Schools** Dr. Jill Murray

9 Nov **Translanguaging in teaching and learning** Dr. Sue Ollerhead

16 Nov **Learning-Oriented Assessment as a tool to engage students with their learning** Ms Agnes Bodis

23 Nov **Motivating students through meaningful learning and teaching** Dr. Hui Ling Xu & Dr. Jasna Novak Milic

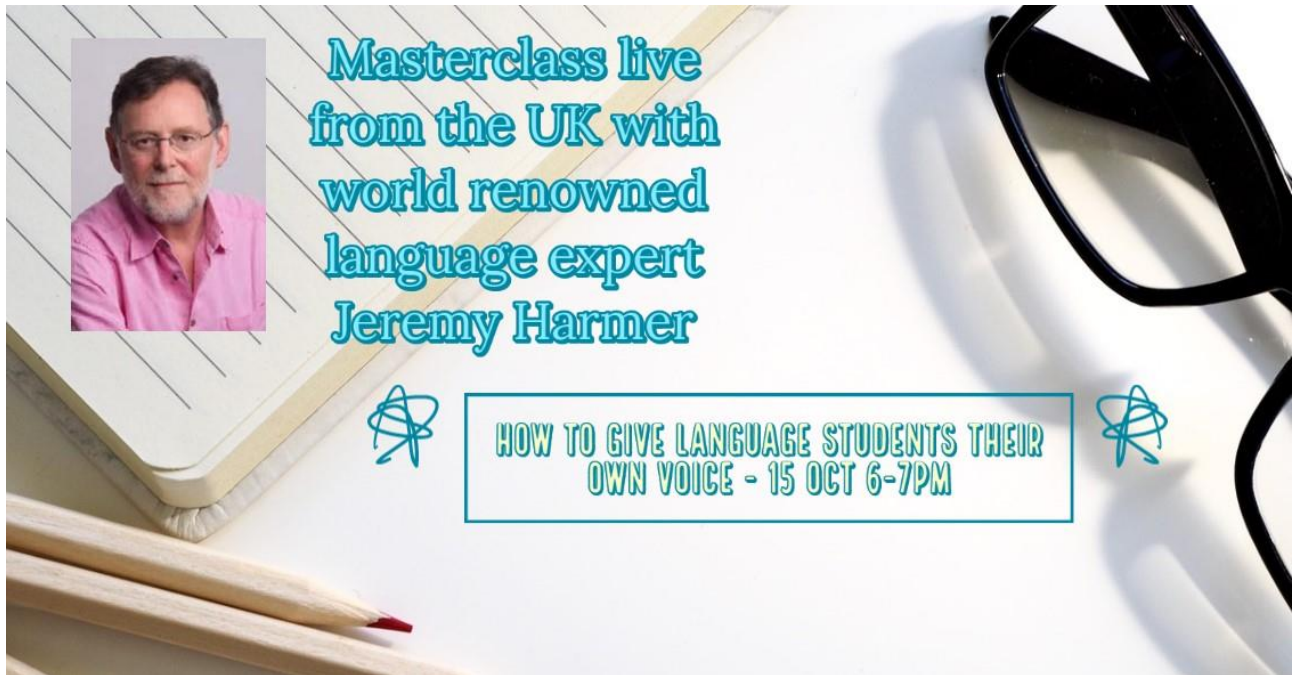
This program includes

- 1. Seven online sessions (Starting from 12 October, 6 – 7:30 pm) via Zoom;**
- 2. A set of teaching and learning resources; and**
- 3. An attendance certificate (for those who attend the live sessions)**

[Click here to register FREE](#)

(or paste this link in your browser <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/engaging-community-language-learners-short-course-tickets-123111673329>)

MASTERCLASS

A promotional graphic for a masterclass. It features a portrait of Jeremy Harmer, a man with glasses and a pink shirt, on the left. The background is a white desk with a notebook, pencils, and a pair of black-rimmed glasses. The text is in a teal, outlined font. A central box contains the event title and date.

Masterclass live
from the UK with
world renowned
language expert
Jeremy Harmer

HOW TO GIVE LANGUAGE STUDENTS THEIR
OWN VOICE - 15 OCT 6-7PM

[Register here for this last Masterclass or click on the link below](#)

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/masterclass-live-from-the-uk-with-special-guest-jeremy-harmer-tickets-122328189909>

For information regarding these sessions, please contact the Education Officer, Alex Di Prinzio.

We look forward to seeing you.

Alex Di Prinzio

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