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www.cairoeducation.com has now been updated !!

Please take a look at our new training section where you can register your interest for any of our courses for the future.

Since starting Cairo Education last year, I have been privileged to meet a large number of fantastic educators who live and work in Egypt. It has been great to witness the willingness to collaborate shown by teachers in different schools which can only be of benefit to the students we teach.

The aim of the newsletter is to connect teachers and senior managers across the country and obviously to shamelessly push our services ! I would love to claim that the idea for this newsletter was my own but that would, unfortunately, be “fake news” - many thanks to the originator.

We’d love to hear from anyone who wishes to offer a workshop or a service together with those seeking a solution. Unfortunately, there are no current plans to open a dating service as has been requested by a teacher here.....

**Be in touch,
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In this issue....

**The experts from Yearwood Education come to Cairo !
TeachStart - the new professional development programme for teachers with little formal training.**

**A recruitment update - Cairo Education goes global !
Insite Youth Leadership specialists now offering programmes in Egypt.**



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Coaching & Leadership Experts in Cairo !



YEARWOOD EDUCATION

Tony Markowski - "is currently working nationally and internationally supporting school improvement initiatives, coaching Principals, their teams and teachers. Tony is excited about his upcoming accreditation by the Institute of Education Advisors."

Eamonn Whelan - "has been invited to join the first cohort of the Institute of Education Advisors, which provides schools, academies, MATS, colleges and local authorities the reassurance of advisor quality, professional credibility, consistency and value for money."

Do you want a:

Focused, motivated and impactful leadership team?

Happier, more effective, self-motivated and collaborative teaching staff?

Positive learning environment for students?

Or to:

Build succession planning and create internal capacity?

Create a self-improving school underpinned by sound principles?

Wednesday 6th December 2017

"A Coaching Masterclass"

Thursday 7th December 2017

"Leadership for Leaders by Leaders"

For full details, please see :

<http://www.cairoeducation.com/yearwood-education/>

Insite Youth Leadership specialists now offering programmes in Egypt.



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TeachStart is a new practical workshop offered by Cairo Education aimed at teachers who have not completed a formal teaching qualification but are looking to enhance their teaching knowledge and practice. Over two days, the course provides participants with effective practical strategies to take back to their classroom and improve students' learning.

The course covers the following topics; curriculum & lesson planning, classroom management, assessment & reporting, accommodating ESL & learning support students and student motivation.



What participants say ?

“A fantastically practical programme...” Glenn, South Africa

“Everything I needed to know to improve my teaching...” Vicky, Brazil

“Not like any other training I have ever had.....” Angie, Egypt

“My time is now more effectively spent on improving students' learning...” Nada, Egypt

The first cohort from the Egyptian British International School.

TeachStart can be delivered in groups on site in schools or teachers can privately sign up for the session run in the Maadi Training Centre.

**NEXT COURSE = December 10th & 17th
From 10am until 2.30pm at our Maadi Training Centre**

For full details, please see :

<http://www.cairoeducation.com/teachstart/>

Oh, did I mention that it helps you get a better job, shhhhhh !



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Recruitment goes global !

Cairo Education now offers the following :

Teachers :

Looking for a new job abroad or back home ?

Cairo Education works directly with the owners and senior managers of leading recruitment agencies so your details go straight to those in the know !

<https://goo.gl/forms/c3byFI6L4OyYvksX2>



Looking for a new job in Cairo ?

Cairo Education works with numerous International Schools in Egypt. Simply complete the following form in as much detail as possible and let us find you the job that you want !

<https://goo.gl/forms/LWHZDVBJ5ts4AG0v2>



Schools:

Need a teacher ?

Simply fill out the form below and we'll endeavour to find you a suitable candidate from our database.

<https://goo.gl/forms/WubdrmgmOD1vRxdd2>



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Cairo Education recommends.....

**Maria Markey
Therapist & Counsellor**



Maria Markey is a therapist with over 20 years experience in the UK health sector. Recruited in 2016 by the principal of one of the most prestigious schools in Cairo as a private therapist, Maria now calls Cairo home.

Seeking to offer a holistic, person centred approach to her work, Maria completed her counseling certificate from Jordanstown University in 2014. Following that, she went on to explore and become qualified in hypnotherapy, which is just one of the tools she offers to clients. Since moving to Cairo, Maria has worked here alongside Harley Street therapists in a multi disciplinary role to implement the highest level of support and therapy for children.

Her ethos is grounded in an individual, person centred approach. Maria holds strong a belief that, with the right support, her clients can overcome their physical and emotional challenges to live, not only fulfilled lives and careers, but also to inspire others to do the same.

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Are now offering the following in Egypt :

**3-day Youth Leadership Immersion Programme
prepares students with the skills needed for the
international marketplace.**

There are three main topics of focus which have been selected as the most relevant skills needed in today's job market - and for living a meaningful and engaged life.

- 1. Everyday Leadership - Leadership is accessible to everyone and is the foundation for a successful life and career. There are 3 main components: the power of choice, personal responsibility for one's actions and feelings and demonstrating compassion for others.**
- 2. Personal Development - Explore yourself and how you can best interact with the world around you. We live in a complex and global world. Self-awareness skills to build social and emotional intelligence are vital in working in international environments.**
- 3. Design Thinking Solutions - Engage in creative problem solving skills which allow one to think in different ways in solving real life problems.**

**Please note that these camps can also be tailored for
IB CAS students.**

For more details, please contact phil@cairoeducation.com



Did you know ?

We have contacts who are fully qualified to assess Access Arrangements for students sitting examinations ?

Our Maadi Training Centre is available for hire - meetings, tuition or training ?

Please contact dina@cairoeducation.com for more details.

ARTICLE



Putting the 'A' in Steam lessons

SAVVY STEAM COORDINATOR, ROBERT BULMER, OFFERS HIS INSPIRATIONAL IDEAS FOR MAKING THE TRANSITION FROM TEACHING STEM TO STEAM

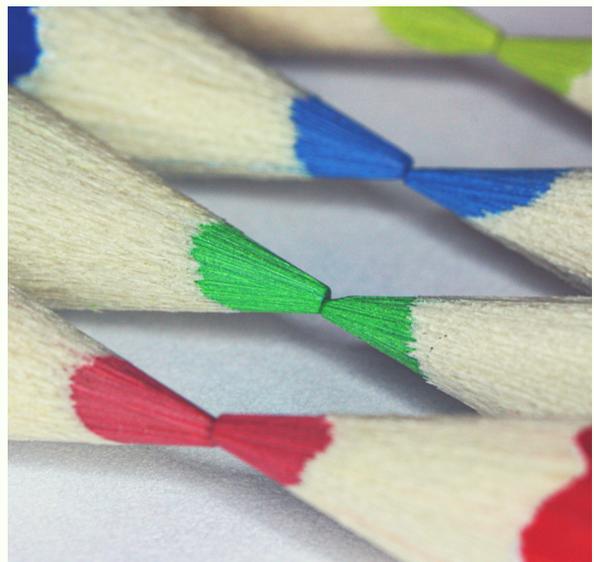
Like many teachers, I'm very familiar with Stem. But just imagine my surprise when I accepted a job offer and spotted that the additional responsibility of Steam coordinator. Was it just a typo? Apparently not.

We all know that Stem is a well-known curriculum using four disciplines, science, technology, engineering and maths, to solve problems based on real-world scenarios. Ultimately, the inclusion of 'A' for 'arts' turns Stem to Steam, with the goal of enabling true innovation and a new way of thinking creatively.

Here are just some of the ways that I'm planning on making the transition in the new academic year:

Use art lessons as your starting point and add in Stem subjects

Photographic manipulation is a great way of getting to know a group of students. Start by taking a look at a few different artists; as I'm in Italy, we are taking a closer look at the works of Michelangelo, Leonardo da Vinci and Raphael. Ask pupils to choose a painting which inspires them and take a selfie that mirrors the pose in the picture. They can then experiment with manipulation software using tools such as the 'magic wand' and 'lasso' to create their very own masterpiece.



Rethink classic Stem lesson ideas and find ways to add art into them

One of the most famous tried-and-tested Stem projects is to design and build a catapult or a projectile launcher. Students have to simultaneously use knowledge of angles and distance, basic trigonometry, geometry, ratios, engineering, critical thinking and teamwork to formulate and implement their designs. To add an element of art, my classes examine the work of Da Vinci, in particular his inventions, and explore how these are conveyed through detailed working drawings. It's historical Steam in action!



Investigate the unity between art and science in everyday life

Steam, as with Stem, is all about grounding critical thinking and problem-solving within real world examples. Continuing with theme of great artists, classes can explore perspective and composition and use their findings and 3D software to produce architectural models of their dream homes. Alternatively, investigate Da Vinci's anatomical studies to give learners a greater understanding of ergonomics and anthropometrics, as well as how products are designed to suit peoples' specific needs.



Add a little bit of body text

Next steps

Art adds a new dimension to the creativity and flair that Stem seeks to promote, therefore adding the 'A' can only be a positive step. This is a chance to really think outside the box with much greater scope for experimentation.

Steam activities encourage the use of different, unconventional materials and the opportunity for students to learn many new and exciting skills. For me, the aim is to include performing arts and drama with scope for set design, puppeteering and animation for a complete cross-curricular extravaganza!





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Technology Corner

I saw this at the recent IBO Conference in The Hague, it is fantastic.



SAM LABS.. What is SAM?

SAM is a smart construction kit. SAM blocks connect wirelessly to the SAM app. You create awesome inventions.

Watch what it can do and how easy it is.....

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAdCYul3ZKxSIMlx1w7DFYw>

For a demonstration, please contact phil@cairoeducation.com

For further details about all Sam Lab products, please contact Tom Martin, Educational Business Development Manager - tom@samlabs.com.

Coming soon.....



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Training - REST for teachers at international schools. (Looking after your mental health.)

Recruitment - An online job board for teachers and schools.

School Trips - EcoActivity Camps in Egypt for 11 - 14 year old students.

And lots more.

We hope that you have enjoyed our first newsletter - please send us your feedback.

Please contact us at any time if you think that we can be of any assistance.

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-Nelson Mandela