'Observation in new Educational Climate'

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Observation in the time of Covid





- Face to face
- Remotely- Zoom/ Microsoft teams/Recordings

Placements in the FE & Skills Sector



Issues:

- Schools and colleges not taking trainee teachers
- New CV procedures delaying entry to placements
- Trainees isolating or becoming ill
- Moving to on-line teaching
- Smaller groups in colleges and schools

Semester 1- Blended approach to teaching

Face to face —one day
On line- one day
Tutorials on Zoom /Teams/Face to Face





TIRI Professors Top Tips for a Creative Classroom

TIRI Professors work hard to ensure high quality, intensive teaching, informed by research, is delivered across the University







Top Tip 1 Dr Sarah Telfer- Creative Teaching- Streaming Live!

Strike the Pose- Spotlight Theatre Lighting







Home alone –Embroidery-Lady M



Top Tip 2 Dr Sarah Telfer

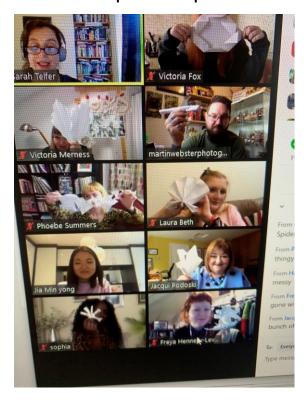
You can teach anything on line! Creative Practice Micro teaches on line



Illustration —character faces



Art- Paper Sculptures



Top Tip 3 Observation assessment Criteria-Covid Criteria





Challenges for Observers



Challenges:

- Reading classroom- learners' face behind masks –body language
- On line observations- 'elephant in the room' syndrome
- Online observations- no cameras on / passive students/ 'ghosting'
- Lack of physical and emotional interaction

Questions

