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Safer Internet Day
10 February

#ConnectedByLearning

Free webinar

Dear colleagues,

Happy New Year! And all the best for you and your close ones on 2021 🎉

This is our first edition this year and we are thrilled to continue sharing virtual spaces with the community of English language teachers along Cuba. We really want this to be a year of achievement and reward for the wonderful effort that each of you makes every day.

We also take advantage of our **#English4U** newsletter to send you a big electronic hug (it must be this way for the moment) and our congratulations on the International Day of Education.

Let's break the ice! We are very pleased to announce that we will be presenting our experience of working together with the Ministries of Education and Higher Education at the International Congress "Pedagogía 2021".

Besides (and for the first time) the **British Council Interim Chief Executive Officer Kate Ewart-Biggs**, will also be speaking at the forum on our work in education and the teaching of the English language at the global, regional, and local levels.

Soon, we will be sharing more details of her intervention on our social media channels!

Until then, stay safe! 🌿

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What's new?	Partners & friends	Highlights
<p>Safer Internet Day 2021 is celebrated on 9 February and from the British Council we want to invite to exchange on how teachers can ensure that pupils are using the internet safely and how to critically assess the source and content of what they access during our new Education Exchange free webinar “Safer Internet Day” on Wednesday 10 February at 11am Cuba time. The event will be broadcast as a Teams Live event where you will be able to watch the live event and send questions to the panel of speakers through the moderated Q&A.</p>	<p>At the end of the year, the APC - ELI held the 5th Conference on Language Teaching and Culture with more than 100 Cuban delegates and the performance of foreign experts. The event, held for the first time on digital platforms due to the pandemic, had two important sessions: the pre-event course aimed at teacher educators from pedagogical faculties and the conference itself, with three (virtual) venues: Havana, Villa Clara, and Holguín.</p>	<p>During the British Week in Havana our colleagues from the ALC GELI presented their project “Learn English is fun”, a series of short and very funny videos made by children to children, seeking to encourage the learning of the English language from an early age. The audio-visual project, developed during these pandemic times with the support of parents and teachers, will be available on social medias and also will be used for pedagogical and didactic purposes on primary education. Expect more details soon!</p>
<p>Register now!</p>	<p>Let's see some impressions!</p>	<p>Let's take a look back at the British Week</p>

Our aim is that as many people as possible benefit from this initiative. For this reason, we would like to know if you have any **special visual or hearing needs**, and if so, please specify what changes would be required (lighter, darker, larger letters, in another colour, fewer texts, more or less audio content, among other).

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