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Teaching Grammar Outside of the Classroom: Creating a Rich Digital Environment

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Modern Languages room 201

We have seen many new tools and platforms in the digital realm over the past years. This workshop brings us back to older, veteran software, the Microsoft Office Suite. We are all familiar with how to type documents in Word and how to make the PowerPoint lecture, but I would like for us to dig deeper into unlocking the potential of these programs and think about the advantages they bring to students. First, we will discuss our old friend PowerPoint and how it can be used and enhanced to teach grammar outside of the classroom (the so-called flipped classroom). I developed a series of these slideshows under an ECLC curriculum development grant and am happy to share the product. For less commonly taught languages with complex scripts, this is an especially powerful tool. Next, I would like to demonstrate OneNote classroom notebooks. This tool can do much of what blackboard does, with the same levels of privacy, and without the need to be constantly connected to a network.

Please RSVP for a meal by Monday, March 14
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