

Personification as an ELT Aid

Personification is figurative language in which nonhuman objects are given human characteristics. Personification is prevalent in literature, film, and television. Students' favorite programs, like Spongebob Squarepants and Thomas the Train, as well as popular picture books, like The Giving Tree and The Day the Crayons Quit, showcase ordinarily inanimate objects possessing human qualities. Students are, therefore, exposed to the concept of personification at an early age. Children have been exposed to personification words in fairy tales, nursery rhymes, poetry, song lyrics, and fables. Presenter will highlight the significance of personification as one of the best English language teaching aid.

During this workshop teachers will:

- Recall personification from personal learning experiences.
- Equip themselves with sound knowledge and practice of skills offered
- Design activities in groups and demonstrate their learning



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TARGET AUDIENCE:

English Language Teachers, Remedial Therapists, Reading Specialist, School Leaders/Reformers

Date: May 23, 2019

Time: 10:00am to 12:00pm

Fee: PKR 1000/=

Venue: SPELT Head Office: No. 101 First Floor Plot No. C-28 Kh-e-Ittehad, Lane 12 Phase II Ext. D.H.A, Karachi

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Professional Qualifications: _____

Experience of Teaching Level (s) period _____

Please write briefly what your expectations of this course are: _____

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