

THE LANGUAGE MAGICIAN is live!

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THE LANGUAGE MAGICIAN online game was launched at Language World, UK on 23rd March 2018, and the game with many of its resources are already available on the website – free for teachers to access thanks to Erasmus+ funding
<https://www.thelanguagemagician.net/>



THE LANGUAGE MAGICIAN is an online game that draws in Primary children of all ages and challenges their language skills - in French, German, Italian, Spanish or English. It's a game they like to play again so that they can do better, and it is also a tool for teachers to capture data about how their pupils do.

There will also be a set of classroom resources - to set the game up, to fill in any gaps in those skills or to use independently - a Speaking module and a song in five languages.

The game exists at two levels, and the activities have a shuffle feature to allow children to play again at a later date without meeting exactly the same challenges. These challenges are designed by researchers and teachers to allow children to show what they can do, as well as what they know, and, as such teachers do not need to 'teach to the Game'. Researchers in piloting find that children are motivated to play even if they do not 'know' everything.

THE LANGUAGE MAGICIAN team is now looking forward to hosting the Final Conference of the Project at the University of Westminster in London on Saturday 19th May, by which time all of the accompanying project resources will also be available:

Trailers (already in place)

Project / Game Manual

Quick Guide

Video Tutorial (already in place – the nuts and bolts of using the game in class)
+ the classroom resources and Speaking Module.

Highlights of the Final Conference include individual language sessions with a detailed introduction to the Classroom Resources and the Speaking Module, chance to play, and a celebratory culinary session to end the day!

Places are free of charge and details are on THE LANGUAGE MAGICIAN website
<https://www.thelanguagemagician.net/assessment-with-a-magic-touch/>