

**Ontario English Catholic Teachers
Association
Halton Unit**



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**ETFO Credit Course
Wine and Beer Tasting Flyer**

“ Building Communication & Teamwork In The Classroom ”

An ETFO Credit Course Opportunity Please Note :
This course is the REVISED Edition of “ Project T.E.A.C.H. ” .
If you already received credit for “ Project T.E.A.C.H. ” ,
you CANNOT receive credit for this course.

This course equips experienced and beginning Teachers with the strategies necessary to foster an emotionally engaging, supportive classroom where students are connected to school, to learning, and to improved relationships with Teachers and their peers. The course will help Teachers to:

- * LEARN the best methods for CONNECTING WITH STUDENTS
- * MASTER POSITIVE COMMUNICATION SKILLS
- * USE TEAM BUILDING to CREATE a POSITIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT
- * DECREASE DISRUPTIONS by using NONCONFRONTATIONAL STRATEGIES
- * CREATE an “ EMOTIONALLY SAFE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT ”

Practical Skill Based Activities

Accepted by QECO and OECTA Certification for Salary / Category Upgrading

Course Fees are Tax Deductible. Income Tax receipt for course fee will be issued.

Funding *may* be available from your local Federation depending on it's criteria.

Money Now Money For Life MAXIMIZE YOUR PENSION

This will be as “ *Stress-Free* ” as I can possibly make it !!!!

Instructor : Murray M. Mulligan

WHEN : Fridays Jan. 16 & Jan. 23 4:15 – 9:15

Saturdays Jan. 17 & Jan. 24 8:30 - 4:30

Sundays Jan. 18 & Jan. 25 8:30 – 1:30

LOCATION : ETFO Office, 4475 North Service Rd., Burlington, ON L7L 4X7

**COST : \$ 475.00 for Credit \$ 350.00 for Professional Growth
(Plus : a \$ 10.00 Paper/Photocopy/Resource Fee)**

QUESTIONS/ or TO REGISTER PLEASE CONTACT :

Murray M. Mulligan
Phone 905 - 735 - 0607
Email “ mulligan@vaxxine.com ”

To : Federation Reps / Teachers

From : Murray M. Mulligan

On the other side of this sheet, please find a copy of the larger flyer that is attached, concerning an up - coming course that I will be teaching in the area. Would you be so kind as to bring it to the attention of your Staff by :

- * POSTING the large flyer ABOVE THE PHOTOCOPIER**
- * GIVING a copy of this small sheet to any interested staff**
- * MENTIONING this at your next Staff Meeting**
..... especially the information below which outlines the benefits of taking this course (and other ETFO Credit Courses)

ETFO CREDIT COURSES

WHY SHOULD YOU TAKE THESE ?

- 1. Each course is recognized by QECO & OECTA as a “ *half - credit* ” towards moving up a Salary / Category level. (Because each Teacher’s qualifications are different, you should check with QECO or OECTA to ensure this course will be approved for your particular file. This can take awhile inquire early.)**
- 2. Each level you move up will INCREASE YOUR CURRENT PAY from that point on in your career. As well, this will GREATLY INCREASE YOUR PENSION. This is an INVESTMENT of your time and money that is 100 % GUARANTEED to pay off in the end.**
- 3. Upon successful completion of a course, a half-credit will be issued by Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa, which can go towards a CATEGORY / SALARY LEVEL RAISE.**
- 4. These courses are PRACTICAL in nature . Work in class is done in pairs, triads, or small groups and can be used immediately in your own classroom.**
- 5. ETFO Credit Courses are the most practical, most convenient, and far and the easiest way to go from one QECO / Salary level to the next.**
- 6. The few take home assignments are directly related to your classroom.**
- 7. I will do my best to make this course as “ *stress – free* ” as I can. Check with Any of your colleagues who have ever taken one of my courses.**
- 8. You may be eligible for funding by your Federation, depending, of course, on your local guidelines.**
- 9. Income Tax receipts for the Course fee will be issued.**



Wine / Beer Tasting Tour

WHEN: FRIDAY, JANUARY 23, 2009

WHERE: Better Bitters Brewing Co.
864 Drury Lane
Burlington

TIME: 6:30 p.m.

COST: Free!

LIMIT: 60 people

REGISTER: oectaoffice@on.aibn.com

(905) 335-6660



