

Community Educator



Triggers

Many migrants in my class struggle with basic local systems (housing, healthcare, banking) and need simple, accessible explanations. I have limited time and resources but want to support diverse learners with varying literacy levels and languages to access the services they need.

Goals

To provide practical, culturally relevant education that helps migrants navigate daily life in their new country.
To create a welcoming, low-pressure learning environment where students feel confident asking questions.

I need to know

How to simplify complex bureaucratic information (e.g., visa and work rules) without overwhelming learners. Which tools can help me translate materials easily or adapt lessons for mixed-ability groups. What are the existing tools and how can I adapt them to solve real world problems?

I need to feel

Empowered not replaced by technology, maybe using AI to save me time but keeping the human connection with my classes. Hopeful that it is possible to bridge the gaps when learners have low literacy in a new language or have local dialects to contend with

Intrinsic Motivations to learn

Seeing learners gain independence, helping to solve problems with them.

Extrinsic Motivations to learn

Student success, value added statistics, data for funders showing improved outcomes.

Notes

A volunteer, social enterp or NGO worker teaching life skills/cultural integration