

**A SUMMER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITY  
for WORLD LANGUAGE TEACHERS!**



**HOST A WORKSHOP BY  
SUE FENTON, M Ed**



Author, Consultant, Innovator, Speaker, Motivator, Creator of Virtual Residence Language™

School's budgets are strapped, but that shouldn't freeze professional development opportunities for teachers. We're looking for schools to host a workshop and invite neighboring districts so many teachers can benefit for a very minimal fee. A flyer that may be copied & distributed will be provided.

**WHAT:** A SPECIAL 5-hour all-day "potpourri" workshop, highlighting many of Sue's full-day workshop topics and more. Her workshops are dynamic, lively, enjoyable, & packed with ideas and fun. She uses a colorful Power Point presentation and Internet sources. Teachers apply ideas, brainstorm, & sharing.

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**"WORLD LANGUAGE TEACHER RE-ENERGIZING WORKSHOP"**

**TOPICS INCLUDE:**

**Reality Checks**

**Lessons Dripping with Speaking** (paired conversation techniques & many more speaking strategies)

**Culture and Context-Based Learning**

**Virtual Residence Language™** (rationale, set up, the Internet, strategies, IPA's)

**You Played a Song. Now What?** (strategies, activities, French & Spanish songs)

**Being the Best Teacher You Can Be**

**Participant Swap: Cool Ideas and Songs ... and more surprises!**

**WHERE:** YOUR SCHOOL or another location. Internet access is required. The host school will receive a gift of 5 of Sue's books for its resource library.

**WHEN:** Early August is available. Schedule as soon as possible to get the date you want.

**FEE:** Only \$29.95 per participant. (with a minimum of 40 participants )

**TO HOST A WORKSHOP ...**

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**SUE FENTON, M ED.** Sue is known for her energy, dedication, creativity, and passion to get students talking and make language real for them. Bio highlights:

Taught French 1, 2, 3, 4 AP & Spanish 1; President of Madame Fifi Publications; creator of the method "Virtual Residence Language™ which is being used by more and more teachers across the country; author of over 25 books and materials (bestsellers - *Over 1,000 Conversation Starters*, *French Chat Boosters*, *Power Talk*, *Move Your Students to a World City*;) National Alliance Française scholarship to study in Paris; spent many summers living in Paris, researching, writing, & traveling; her students placed up to 1<sup>st</sup> in the state of the National AATF Exam and ranked top 4 nationally; her students tested into second semester junior year for French majors at college; sessions and workshop around the country (University of South Carolina, Texas Region XV 4 times, school districts, Foreign Language Association of Northern California, for example;) keynote speaker; chaired 2 city-wide French Immersion days for 500 students of 25 schools; author & lyricist for 2 CD's and 1000-idea manuals of *Oh Là Là - Sing Your Way to French*; wrote 2 joke books for McGraw-Hill; her books have been reviewed in the AATF journal (4 times) and on APcentral.com.

### MORE ENDORSEMENTS

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*"Sue's workshop is the best developmental day we have had in years."* Maria DiVirgilio, Wallingford, CT

*"Excellent and fun. Definitely worth my time."* San Angelo, TX

*"Contagious enthusiasm! Very inspirational! Tons of ideas...leave me hungry for more, more, more!"* Faith Branhall, SC

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*"Thanks for empowering me to be the best teacher I can be."* Sally Barnes, WAFLE, NY

*"Great workshop. Best at 'Reflections' in years. I am a firm believer in speaking in the classroom from day one in order not to make speaking the hardest task. Sue has given me so many ideas, and as a plus, they include culture."* Ben Coates, SC (uses "Over 1,000 Conversation Starters" in his AP workshop.)

*"I have so many ideas about how to engage my students without having to completely re-work the curriculum. I am very excited about using Sue's ideas in my class."* Ashley Bourne, MA

### FOR MORE INFO or to SCHEDULE A WORKSHOP ...

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