



TALENT WITHOUT BORDERS – SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, JULY 9th

2:30 PM – 4:00 PM, BEGINNING

You'll reflect on your own educational journey and connect with peers, setting personal intentions for learning and talent discovery.

With Luis Manuel Pinto, Truus Van Putten, Lea Verzeroli and Maureen Crijns

4:30 PM – 6:30 PM, PLENARY

With Ruggero Poi and Esercizi di immaginazione



THURSDAY, JULY 10th

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM, TALENT, LEARNING AND WELL-BEING

Explore how talent, learning, and well-being are interconnected through group research and peer teaching in a dynamic gallery walk.

With Luis Manuel Pinto, Truus Van Putten, Lea Verzeroli and Maureen Crijns

11:30 AM – 1:00 PM, NOTICING TALENT

Experience and reflect on how students express talents through mental, emotional, and physical aspects – learning to recognise these in yourself and in real classroom examples.

With Luis Manuel Pinto, Truus Van Putten, Lea Verzeroli and Maureen Crijns

2:00 PM – 4:00 PM, INDIVIDUAL GUIDANCE OF STUDENTS

Learn how to guide students one-on-one using coaching tools that highlight their strengths and reframe challenges into opportunities.

With Luis Manuel Pinto, Truus Van Putten, Lea Verzeroli and Maureen Crijns

4:30 PM – 6:00 PM, PLENARY – EXERCISES IN WONDER

Wonder and amazement are fundamental elements for a deeper connection with the world around us. Cultural experience thus becomes a fertile ground for exploration, capable of igniting reflections on the beauty and complexity of reality. This participatory meeting investigates the educational value of wonder, understood as a powerful catalyst for soliciting interest and intellectual curiosity in people of all ages. Through an experiential and interactive approach, participants will be guided on a journey of discovery that, through some masterpieces of universal art, also becomes an opportunity to learn more about themselves.

With Marco Peri





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FRIDAY, JULY 11th

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM, COLLABORATIVE LEARNING (SMALL GROUP WORK)

Engage in fun, interactive group activities to learn how students' talents influence teamwork, and how to support collaborative learning.

With Luis Manuel Pinto, Truus Van Putten, Lea Verzeroli and Maureen Crijns

11:30 AM – 1:00 PM, CLASSROOM PRACTICES (WHOLE GROUP WORK)

Discover whole-class strategies to meet diverse learning needs, foster well-being, and create space for all students' talents to flourish.

With Luis Manuel Pinto, Truus Van Putten, Lea Verzeroli and Maureen Crijns

2:00 PM – 4:00 PM, CREATING A COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE

Form supportive peer groups, plan how to apply what you've learned, and creatively celebrate each other's talents through creativity.

With Luis Manuel Pinto, Truus Van Putten, Lea Verzeroli and Maureen Crijns

4:30 PM – 6:00 PM, PLENARY – SHAPES OF VISION

Train visual thinking from its basic foundations to recognize alternative points of view, experiment with new ways of storytelling, and enhance participation.

With Marco Lobietti and Rocco Lombardi from Scribing

SATURDAY, JULY 12th



9:00 AM – 10:00 AM, CLOSING OF SUMMER SCHOOLS IN SEPARATE GROUPS WITH FEEDBACK

With Luis Manuel Pinto, Truus Van Putten, Lea Verzeroli and Maureen Crijns

10:30 AM – 1:00 PM, FINAL CONFERENCE IN SPAZIO VARCO, WITH OPEN DIALOGUE ON SUMMER SCHOOL THEMES

With Anna Granata, Roberto Farnè and Monica Trigona

