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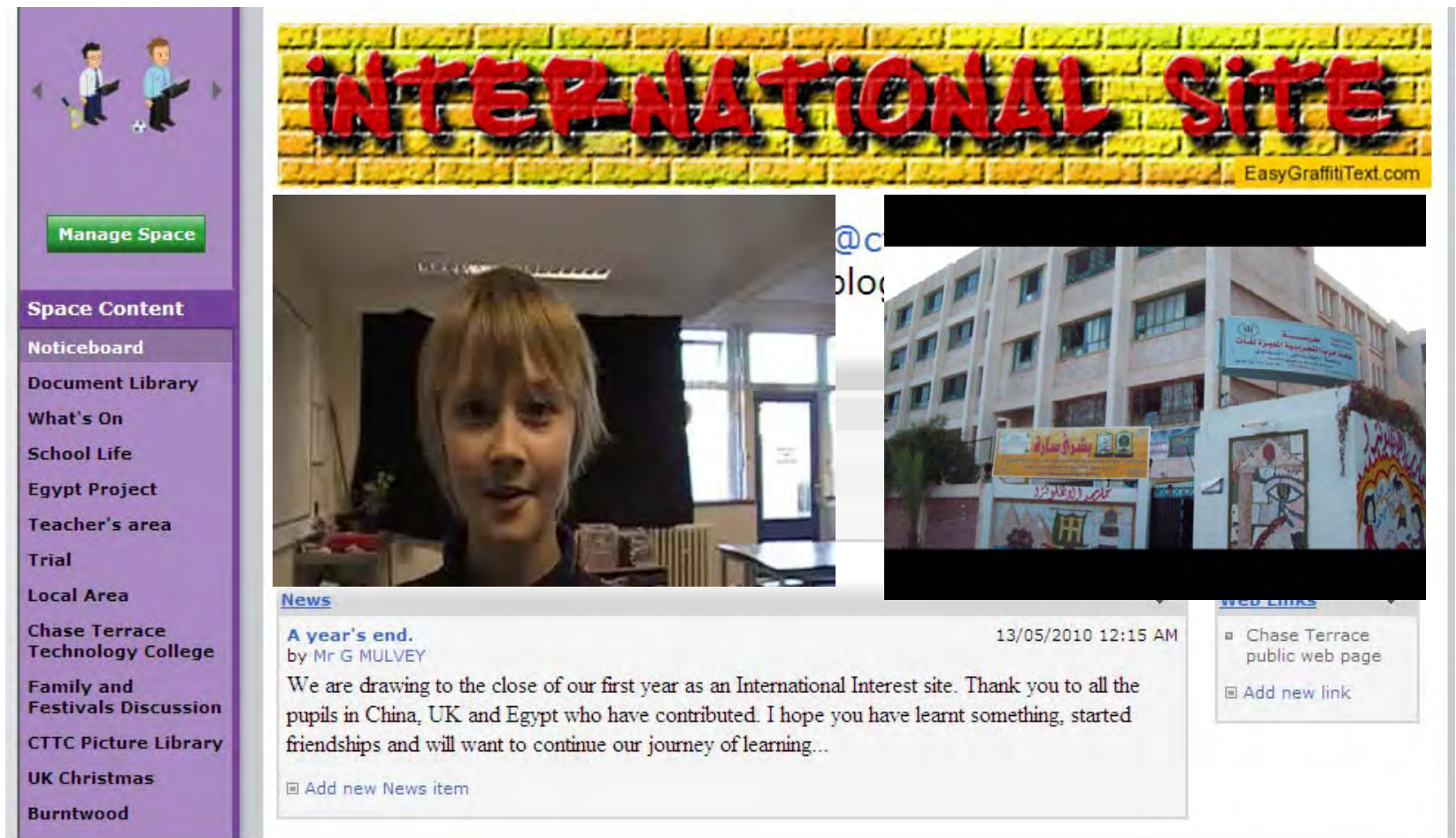
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The screenshot shows the landing page of the 'International Interest' website. The page has a purple sidebar on the left with a navigation menu. The main content area features a large banner at the top with the text 'INTERNATIONAL SITE' in red, 3D-style letters against a yellow brick wall background. Below the banner, there is a video player showing a young girl with blonde hair speaking. To the right of the video player, there is a thumbnail image of a school building with Arabic signage. Below the video player, there is a 'News' section with a post titled 'A year's end.' by Mr G MULVEY, dated 13/05/2010 12:15 AM. The post text reads: 'We are drawing to the close of our first year as an International Interest site. Thank you to all the pupils in China, UK and Egypt who have contributed. I hope you have learnt something, started friendships and will want to continue our journey of learning...'. There is a link to 'Add new News item' below the post. On the right side of the page, there is a 'WEB LINKS' section with a link to 'Chase Terrace public web page' and a link to 'Add new link'.

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Video conferencing

• Our friends in Egypt have to travel for two and a half hours to get to the British Council offices to take part.

So we only managed two last year, but have more planned.



Representatives
from two of our
primaries joined our
own students for a
1.5 hour portal to
Egypt!

Video conferencing

A lot of work went in on both sides to make this happen.



Pupils in Egypt waiting for the conference to start.



Video conferencing

- We played 'Guess the UK and Egyptian job!' Pupils mimed typical jobs in their countries. Some were very different, but many very similar.



Our fav was an Egyptian pupil who mimed “actor” by pretending to fall over dead on camera!

Video conferencing



Pupils had to use Arabic, maths, each other and their partners on the TV to solve problems.

Arabic lessons

Live International Chat Room (105) | Connect Pro Meeting

Meeting Present Layouts Pods Help

Science and maths Forum

Hello and welcome to the second collaboration event. We hope you confirm your friendships and learn in a more interesting way.

Attendee List (1) My Status: Active

Mr G MULVEY

Connecting Classrooms.pptx

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Session One Instructions

- Teachers will organise you into groups using the group notice board.
- You will be moved into a breakout room for each group. Here a UK student will be given control of the room and set a series of tasks and questions based on maths and science. Egypt students will take the lead in the next session :)
- You may use the whiteboard, chat, audio and video to complete the tasks.
- After 15 minutes you will be put back in the main room to feedback your answers to the rest of the groups.
- You will take a vote on which group you feel made the best work.

Note

For the next 5 min. What 10 items would you want in an emergency box if you were caught in the earthquake in Chile.

Next topic???? Miss Maysa has a topic.

So we know
Egypt 11 is Nardeen K
Egypt 7 is Nardeen B
Egypt 8 Mazen
Egypt 9 Aya.M
Egypt6 Andrew

Live Chat

Egypt Egypt4: nice
Courtney L. Brown: i speak a bit because i learn it at school
Egypt Egypt11: ditto courney
Egypt Egypt11: courtney
Egypt Egypt7: nice courtney
Egypt Egypt4: who win ?
Courtney L. Brown: mon matiere prefere l'dramatiques means i prefere drama
Egypt Egypt7: yes
Egypt Egypt11: thats so amazing
Egypt Egypt11: seems fun too
Mr G MULVEY: I think it was a draw Matthew as we

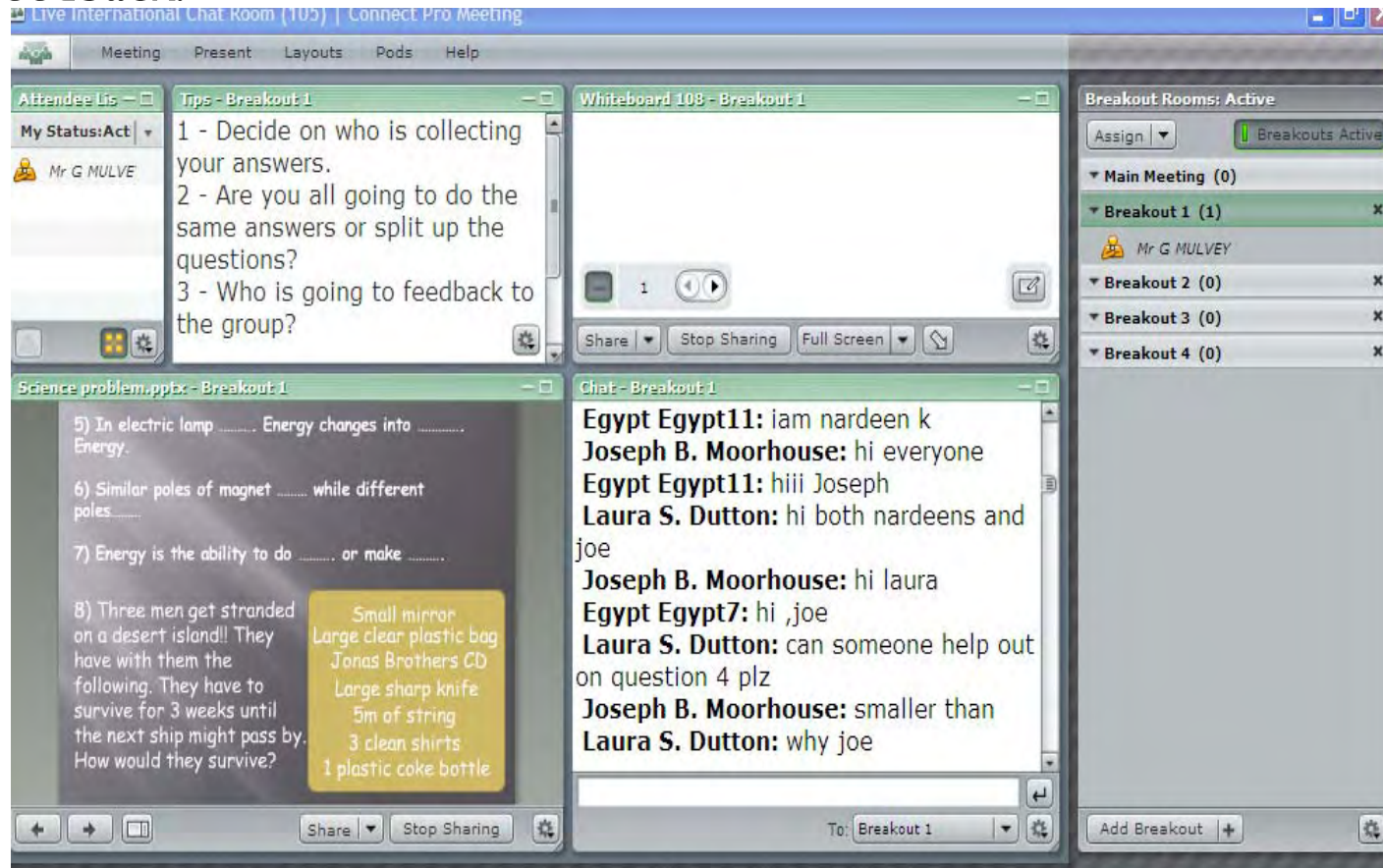
To: Main Meeting

Main Meeting

Broadcast a message to all rooms

A breakout room!

Pupils go into rooms in groups of 4 to 6. Half UK and half Egyptian. They then set about problems for 20 min before coming back to the main room to feedback.



Pupils can meet, share files, use webcams and live chat in a secure environment. They are only allowed in with staff present.




Egyptian teacher's view.

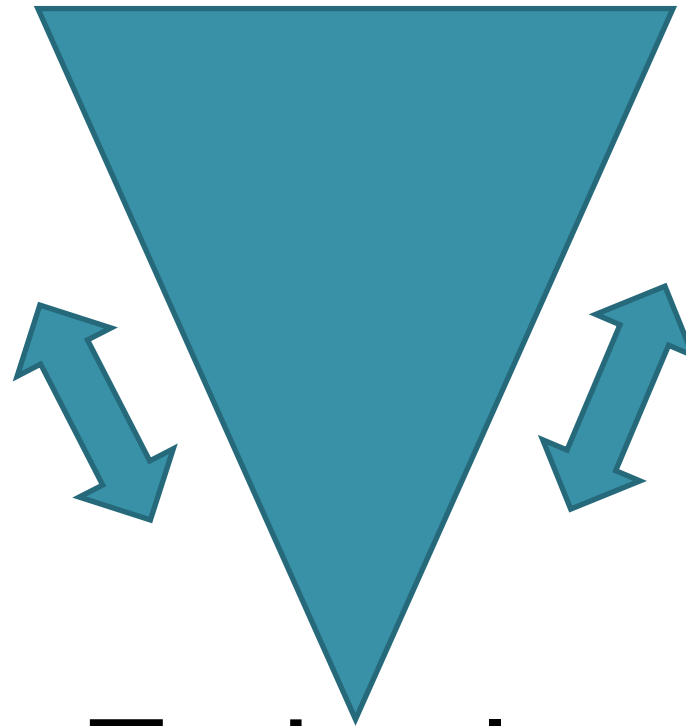


Summary

- What links do you already potentially have in school.
- Make the link personal between as many people as possible.
- Find out the communication method your partner **already** uses. Eg Email, skype, facebook.
- Look to draw in other staff and other schools (local secondary or primary).



International links ↔ Local links



Technology



**Thank you
for listening.**

Questions?