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**Cooperative Learning
For the 21st Century
The Brain:**

The Heart of Cooperative Learning

Research into how the brain works has progressed tremendously in the last ten years. This has sparked new interest in how we view classroom behavior and effective teaching. This interactive session will demonstrate why cooperative learning is such a powerful teaching strategy as it includes the necessary components for brain compatible learning to occur.

Presented by Jim Craigen
(bio on reverse)

Date: Tuesday, Dec. 6

Place: OISE (252 Bloor West room 2-279 (second floor)
(St. George Subway Station)

Time: 7:00 - 9:15 p.m

To register, email pdkut.register@gmail.com

This is a FREE event

Jim Craigen has been teaching for over 35 years and is a former head of English, head of physical education, vice-principal, English consultant and staff developer for the Durham District School Board. He was a member of the team that provided teachers with the instructional strategies that enabled the district to win the prestigious Bertelsmann Award for most innovative school district in the world. He has offered instructional strategies workshops in England, Scotland, Norway, Mexico, Germany, Holland, Australia, Russia, Vietnam, the United States and throughout Ontario and across Canada. Jim works on contract as an Instructional Facilitator. He is the co-author of "What's This Got To Do With Anything?" – A collection of team and class builders.

"Jim has been a member of the GLACIE executive for many years and is a highly skilled presenter and facilitator as well as a fine human being," John Myers

Our goal is to produce a **one-page tips sheet** for teachers and schools to be published in the PDK Newsletter based on the best ideas from presenters and participants in the series.

"How do we implement cooperative learning?"

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