

Wisdom of the Irish Proverb

©2009 Version 1.0 Windows PC and Mac

Wisdom of the Irish Proverb is a fun program teachers can use in the classroom to introduce students to these interesting tidbits and also stimulate their mental juices. The program can be used on screen, on an overhead projection, or on a whiteboard to stimulate class interest.

Lesson Plan

Introduce students to the proverb and their importance in Irish history. Use *Wisdom of the Irish Proverb* to project the proverbs (50 of them) on screen. You can ask the class to suggest meanings for the proverbs orally or on a sheet of paper.

As a writing assignment students can also 'translate' each of the proverbs into their own simple statements.

Using *Wisdom of the Irish Proverb*

Install the program on your Windows machines using the Installer Program setup.exe included in the Windows PC download.

There are three Mac zip files. Unzip the files of your choice to your Mac for use on these machines.

Once the program is running you will see a main screen similar to the one here.



If you click the shamrock off to the left of the screen, you will get the proverbs sequentially displayed, one at a time.

Read the instructions to the students and then begin showing and interpreting with the class.

Close the program by clicking the close button when you are finished.

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