**E-Terms**

**eTerms is a part of the e-Capability Cycle for the “Content “ area we are looking at this term as part of the ICT PD. I hope you find this interesting:**

**m-Learning**

“The term m-Learning has been coined to give a name to the learning that is enabled by and incorporates the use of mobile technologies. It is seen as the next step on from electronic learning – or eLearning by extending eLearning to being portable and mobile. It can be seen as a convergence of mobile, internet and eLearning. The focus of m-Learning is on just enough, just in time, on-location learning support”

*from Ubiquitous Information: e-Fellow report 2008, author Toni Twiss.*

**Food for thought:**

* is not about just cell phones but includes PDAs (personal digital assistants), MP3 players, portable game devices, handhelds, tablets, laptops etc.
* allows learning to take place in authentic environments;
* different kinds of learning demand appropriate strategies, tools, and resources;
* technology in and of itself may not guarantee better learning;

**Useful blogs**

Check out ideas on how to use in teaching and learning

<http://themobilelearner.wordpress.com/>

<http://www.cellphonesinlearning.com/>

<http://tonitwiss.com/mobile/>

**Brain teaser**

In what year was the first recorded call from a handheld mobile phone made?

(A chocolate fish for the first person who can tell me)

Cheers Bruce. (e-Lead Teacher)