



SALOP TEACHING SCHOOL ALLIANCE

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[Salop Teaching School Alliance - What do we do?](#)

Teaching schools play a leading role in the below areas:

[training and professional development of teachers, support staff and headteachers.](#)

[contributing to the raising of standards through school-to-school support](#)

[initial teacher training opportunities via the school direct programme and we are pleased to announce our ITT provider is the University of Chester](#)

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Collaboration is at the heart of the teaching school model. All teaching schools will be expected to work with a number of schools and other strategic partners to form a teaching school alliance.

Our Vision

We firmly believe that we are 'stronger together' and that partnership and collaboration between practicing teachers in different schools is the only way to continually develop and improve teaching and learning for the benefit of students, parents and the communities in which we work.

[School to School Support/Specialist Leaders in Education](#)

Teaching Schools are a central point of contact for support school needs to ensure that the overall effectiveness of their organisation is good or better. This ranges from the identification of CPD needs and the provision of our Teacher Enrichment and Recently Qualified Teacher Programmes which are accredited by the University of Chester, to targeted SLE deployment.

We have a professional and experienced range of specialist leaders in education and support specialists

[To view our SLEs and specialists please click here](#)

[To view our support packages please click here](#)



Continual Professional Development

We host and offer a range of courses and programmes aimed at both teaching and support staff, across both the secondary and primary sector held at The Priory School, Shrewsbury. You can find out more and book on each course by clicking on the relevant course heading listed below:

[Recently Qualified Teacher Programme](#)

Secondary & Primary Phase – 6 sessions

15th, 31st January, 27th February, 6th, 26th March and 9th April 2019 from 4 - 6 pm - £200 for the first delegate then only £150 subsequent delegates

Facilitators: Ant Snowden, Teaching & Learning Specialist & Induction Manager and Hazel Stephens, ITP/OTP Facilitator

[Team Coaching Skills for Teachers & Support Staff](#)

Secondary, Primary & FE Phase – 19th March 2019 from 9 - 12.30 pm - £85

Facilitator: Jane Martin, Professional Development Manager, Shrewsbury Colleges Group

[Monitoring & Evaluation Maximise Impact!](#)

Secondary & Primary – 3 sessions

28th February, 21st March and 4th April 2019 from 4 - 6 pm

Facilitator: Ant Snowden, Teaching & Learning Specialist & Induction Manager and Lee Ferriday, School Improvement & Specialist and Director of TSA

[Behaviour Management for TAs, NQTs and lunch time supervisors](#)

Secondary & Primary Phase - 14th February 2019 from 9 - 3.15 pm - £150 for the first delegate, £100 subsequent delegates

Facilitator: Simon Dean, MA in Education, Behaviour Management Subject Specialist

[English as An Additional Language](#)

Secondary & Primary Phase – 6th February 2019 from 9.15 - 3.15 pm £150 for the first delegate, £100 subsequent delegates

Facilitator: Becky Knight, SLE

[Build to Express Lego Education](#)

Secondary & Primary Phase – 25th June 2019 from 9.30 - 3.30 pm - £180 per delegate includes the Build to Express Lego resource kit worth £49

[Pupil Premium Network Meeting](#)

Secondary Phase - 27th March from 3.30 - 4.30 pm - no charge

Facilitators: Liz Tinsley, Learning Mentor Support & PPI Champion and Lizzie Robey, Pupil Premium Mentor, The Priory

School

[Pupil Premium Review](#) - Secondary - 2.5 days on request

[To view Research and Development case studies please click here](#)

[To view CPD case studies please click here](#)

Maths Hub

The Salop and Herefordshire Maths Hub, is led by the Salop Teaching Alliance, with The Priory School, Shrewsbury as the lead school.

The geographical area we aim to cover is Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin and Herefordshire.

Our priority is to support schools to address changes to the Maths curriculum, including subject knowledge enhancement opportunities at all levels. Work groups and professional learning opportunities are being hosted throughout our Hub region to provide localised support for all.

Our Maths Hub offers schools the opportunity to participate in **free** workgroups/courses with funding provided for supply for eligible schools.

[To view information and find out about our Maths Hub please click here](#)



Women Leading in Education

The DfE have funded 9 school-led regional networks, aimed at supporting women at all stages of their career with career progression, facilitating leadership development and coaching, and providing opportunities to network and share effective practice.

The Salop Teaching School Alliance is delighted to be part of this initiative. We have held numerous network meetings and this term have organised 5 senior leader shadowing experiences for aspirant women leaders.

[To view feedback on our meetings and shadowing opportunities please click here](#)

[To find out more about WLiE West Midlands please click here](#)



SCHOOL DIRECT/ITT - GET INTO TEACHING

School Direct is a route into teaching. This route involves school led delivery of a PGCE and Qualified Teacher Status based within our partnership of local schools. Our programme is delivered by excellent current practitioners in local schools who share their wealth of experience to enable us to grow our next generation of teachers. We offer outstanding mentor support with a bespoke programme to fully support our trainees to become outstanding teachers. We are working with the University of Chester, based at the University Centre, Shrewsbury and local schools, to provide excellent academic and practical skills and are pleased to welcome 25 associate trainees this academic year.

If you are a school who would like to become more involved eg you have a member of staff who is looking for a school direct salaried place or you would like to become a placement school or have staff you would like to develop and wish them to be considered to deliver elements of our ITT programme then please contact Shirley Milner sam@tpstrust.co.uk

To find out more about the Salop Teaching School Alliance School Direct Programme please [click here](#).



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