



SALOP TEACHING SCHOOL ALLIANCE NEWSLETTER SPRING TERM 2017

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Salop Teaching School 2017 Conference

We are delighted to welcome Tom Bennett and Mike Cladingbowl as guest speakers to our Annual Conference 'Making the Little things Matter.... Securing Pupil Progress for All!' on the 26th April 2017.

Conference Programme

09.30 - 10.00 Registration and Refreshments

10.00 - 11.30 Welcome from Richard Gill, CEO Arthur Terry Learning Partnership and Teaching Schools Council Member for the West Midlands Teaching Schools; the future of collaboration

School to School Support - Michael Barratt, Principal, The Priory School

ITT - Alison Bell, Deputy Principal, The Priory School

Professional Development - Andy Cooke, Service Delivery Manager, T & W Local Authority

11.30 - 12.30 Tom Bennett "Better behaviour benefits everyone: how to make academic and social gains through in-class and whole-school routines"

12.30 - 13.30 Lunch and networking opportunity

13.30 - 14.30 Mike Cladingbowl "Doing the simple things well!"

14.30 pm Close

Conference Fee: £50 per delegate

Venue: The Priory School, Longden Road, Shrewsbury SY3 9EE

[To book your place please click here](#)

TEACHER SUBJECT SPECIALIST TRAINING

Modern Foreign Languages

A course for non-specialist teachers who could potentially teach MFL

A course for non-specialist teachers who are currently teaching MFL

A course for teachers who are looking to return to the profession.

The course will involve attending one full day and three half day x 3 hour sessions as below:

- 1) 10 May from 9.30 - 4.00pm
- 2) 6th June from 1 - 4 pm
- 3) 14th June from 1 - 4 pm
- 4) 4th July from 1 - 4 pm

Course objective

To achieve a good understanding of the new GCSE specification for MFL and the skills/ content required for delivery of effective KS3 lessons.

Topics to be covered will include-

- Personal language improvement- vocabulary, grammar, accuracy, fluency
- Effective introduction of vocabulary including games
- Teaching of phonics
- Grammar
- Translation
- Target language use in the classroom
- High Frequency vocabulary and phrases
- Use of authentic texts

Method of delivery-

- Classroom observations
- Access to foreign language assistants
- Mini teach activities
- Weekly completion of topic based gap tasks
- Extensive personalized feedback at every stage

Cost: This course is funded through the NCTL so there is no charge to schools and funding may be available for cover to eligible schools.

[Please click here to register](#)

CPD OPPORTUNITIES

please click on the title of the course to view further information and book.

Health & Safety Standards - Design & Technology Courses

[Circular Saw, Band Saw & Planer](#)

[Portable Power Tools](#)

[Wood Turning Lathe](#)

[Centre Lathe](#)

[Resistant Materials, machine & hand tools, processes & techniques](#)

Food Safety in Catering Certified Courses

[28th March 2017](#)

[17th October 2017](#)

[28th November 2018](#)

Healthy Eating & Special Diets Certified Course

[4th April 2017](#)

Secondary Science Course

[Mathematics in Science Teaching – Maths language and Skills for GCSE Science Secondary](#)

Maths Hub Various CPD Courses Available

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

SCHOOL DIRECT - GET INTO TEACHING

We are pleased to be able to offer people interested in becoming a secondary school teacher the opportunity to drop in to the school anytime between 5 - 7 pm and talk to teachers who will give you a real feel for the profession. These sessions are held on Tuesdays from now until the 23rd May 2017.

[To find out more and book your place please click here](#)

We are delighted to be working with the [University of Chester](#) as our ITT provider for the programme.

For Primary or Early Years School Direct places we are working in partnership with the North Shropshire Teaching School Alliance and Darwin Teaching School Alliances. Please visit school websites for further information below:

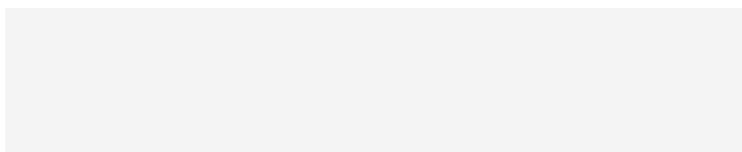
[North Shropshire Teaching School Alliance](#)

[Darwin Teaching School Alliance](#)

SCHOOL TO SCHOOL SUPPORT

Integral to the concept of Teaching Schools is the belief in system reform and improvement through mutual support and collaboration between practitioners. Teaching Schools are a central point of contact for the support schools need to ensure that the overall effectiveness of their organisation is good or better. This ranges from the identification of CPD needs within the secondary and primary sector and the provision of our Enrichment Teacher and Recently Qualified Teacher Programmes, to targeted SLE.

The Salop Teaching School Alliance can provide a bespoke school to school support service to find out more or [make an enquiry please click here](#)



Salop Teaching School Alliance 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.

