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# **Continuous Professional Development and Formation Plan 2025-2026**

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**30 YEARS**



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## Dear School Leaders,

We are pleased to continue supporting you and your school communities by providing high-quality CPDF (Continuous Professional Development and Formation) for leaders at all levels. Our goal is to help you and your teams grow into the best versions of the people God has called you to be, with the hope that this commitment will inspire and positively impact your wonderful pupils.

### CPDF Brochure Update

In response to your feedback, we have refined the layout of our CPDF brochure. All sessions are now listed in *date order* rather than by general headings. We hope this new format makes it easier for you to plan and select sessions that align with your school's needs.

### Providers: Tell Us What You Need!

This year's CPDF offer includes a mix of well-loved favourites and exciting new providers. Your feedback is invaluable in shaping next year's programme, so please let us know:

- If an old favourite is missing, you would like them to return.
- If you have heard of an extraordinary speaker or facilitator based in the UK or internationally, share their details, and we'll do our best to book them!

### DRB Leadership Briefings

We are thrilled to continue offering access to DRB Leadership Briefings—a 'one-stop shop' for all the essential updates, ensuring 'they do the reading, so you don't have to!' We can provide a fantastic offer for schools subscribing to the Catholic Primary Partnership in 2025-26: access to the termly *online* DRB Leadership Briefings and weekly updates/support for just an additional **£330 for the year**. This is exceptional value, as the usual cost for DRB is £140 per term (£420 per year).

Call me if you're unfamiliar with DRB briefings and want to know more. I'd be happy to explain them to you. Alternatively, contact us if you'd like us to arrange this for you.

### Supporting Collaboration

For those in a MAC/MAT/CMAT or any other school collaboration, why not maximise the impact of your Support and Development Groups? We can help facilitate middle leader meetings immediately after these sessions—just let us know, and we'll work with you to make it happen.

### Our Vision

Our vision guides everything we do. We *believe in it, review it, live it, and report it* to our Management Board. This is our way of ensuring we deliver the absolute best for you and your school communities. Your feedback helps us refine this mission, so please share your thoughts.

In the meantime, please use the hyperlinks in the brochure to book your CPDF sessions. We look forward to welcoming you and your teams.

With every blessing,

*Julie-Anne Tallon*

**Director of the Catholic Primary Partnership**

We are passionate about servant leadership and provide excellent CPDF to ensure all stakeholders become who God has called them to be. We want to evolve constantly, so we nurture a culture of constant review, evaluation, and planning for the next steps. We build upon strengths and offer our schools the absolute best.

## What is the Partnership Vision?

### Servant Leadership

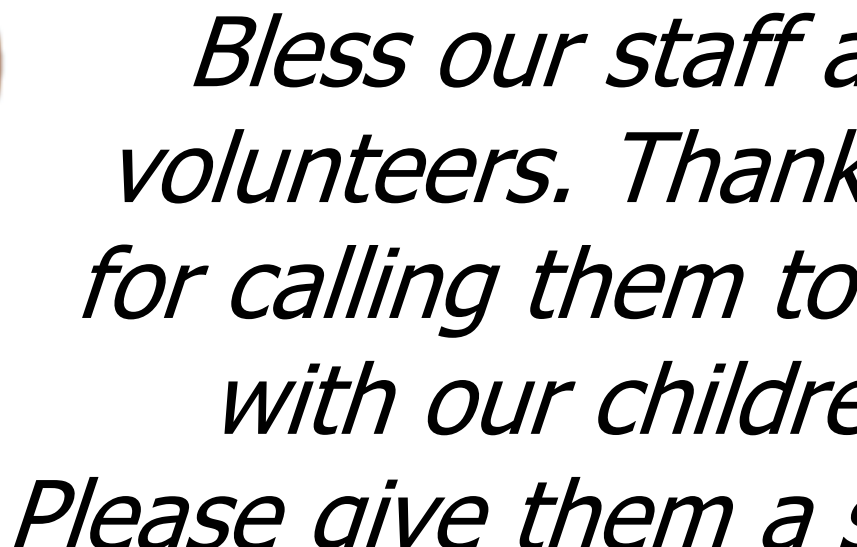
Mission integrity - a commitment to Servant Leadership; evident through interactions, service and SUPPORT to all.

### Excellent CPDF

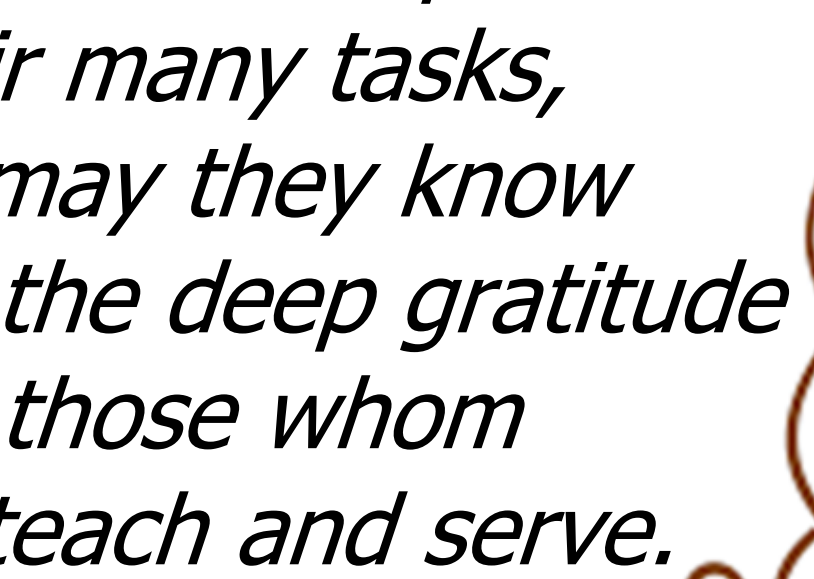
Inclusive of Leaders at all levels- developing all stakeholders to be the person God has called them to be and empowering them to develop the children in our care to achieve their best.

### Evolving

A culture of constant evaluation, reflection and improvement to provide the very best for our schools.



*Bless our staff and  
volunteers. Thank You  
for calling them to work  
with our children.  
Please give them a spirit of  
grace  
and compassion.  
Bless them with strength  
and endurance to perform  
their many tasks,  
and may they know  
and feel the deep gratitude  
of those whom  
they teach and serve.*



# *Marian Term*



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# MARIAN TERM

## (AUTUMN 1)

### September 2025

#### **Annual Update to KCSIE**

#### **With Oliver Welsby**

**Monday 1st September  
2025**

11.30am–12.30pm

Zoom

For: all staff

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#### **Update and Review of Key Changes**

During this one-hour virtual session we will cover the key changes and themes within KCSIE-24 to ensure that all staff are up to date with the latest statutory requirements for people working in Education settings.

There is also a quiz to assess understanding.

To Book: <https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-kcsie-update>

**Sign up one member of staff only (everyone else sits with them).**

#### **Director's note:**

*This is a session that all schools must do. We are trying to save you a job by sorting this for you. Plan your first day back around this, it is one job ticked off the 'to do' list. Sign up one person to be the lead, they will have the link to the session (show it on one device in the hall). This person will receive the quiz, and it is their job to share it and collate responses.*

*We are not recording this session this year, it had an additional cost and was not in demand, if you would like to discuss this with us, get in touch ASAP.*

**Decide which member of staff is going to be named to receive the link and distribute quiz info, they are the person to sign up for the session.**



<p><b><u>Performance management can be improved without performance related pay</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Andrew Pilmore</u></b></p> <p><b>Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2025</b></p> <p>9:30am–11:00am</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: HT's and Senior Leaders</p>	<p><b>Performance Management can be improved without performance related pay.</b></p> <p>During this session we will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explore the current guidance for appraisal and capability and look at model policies.</li> <li>• Discuss the benefits of appraisal not linked to pay.</li> <li>• Explore a coaching/mentoring approach to performance management.</li> <li>• Look at a new system for performance management</li> </ul> <p>To Book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-performance">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-performance</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>You asked for guidance on delivering successful performance management without performance-related pay. Here it is. Book on and see if it helps you develop your thought processes...</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



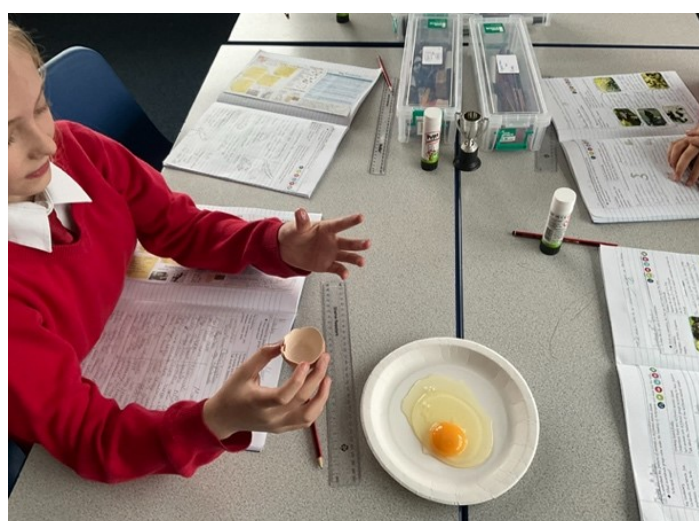


<p><b><u>Safeguarding Compliance</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Oliver Welsby</u></b></p> <p><b>Tuesday 9th September 2025</b></p> <p>9.30am–12.30pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: Headteachers, CEO's, CSELs (Catholic Senior Executive Leaders), DSLs (Designated Safeguarding Lead) (Designated Safeguarding Lead), SENDCOs</p> <p>#SEN #HT #Safeguarding</p>	<p><b>Safeguarding Compliance</b></p> <p>During this session we will cover the latest statutory and non-statutory guidance documents and updates from a safeguarding perspective, highlighting key aspects and recommendations from each that schools will want to ensure are in place.</p> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-safeguarding-compliance">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-safeguarding-compliance</a> </p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>Imagine how relieved you will feel when you come away knowing exactly what it is that is required. Ollie did this session last year and your feedback was – 'we want him to do this every year'. Ollie really knows his stuff-get booked on!</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>





<p><b><u>New to DSL-full training</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Oliver Welsby</u></b></p> <p><b>Tuesday 16th and Tuesday 23rd September 2025</b></p> <p>9:00am-4:00pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: New DSLs</p> <p><b>NOTE-ADDITIONAL CHARGE FOR THIS SESSION is a discounted price of £120.00 (normally £155) for both days! Best value around!</b></p>	<p>The New to the Role of Designated Safeguarding Lead Course is an expert-led course for those new to the role of school DSL and or Deputy DSL. It is an extensive, authoritative and highly rated, <b>two</b> full-days training course that ensures DSLs &amp; DDSLs have the most comprehensive, effective and up-to-date understanding of and knowledge of how to lead the safeguarding provision in their setting.</p> <p>On this <b>two day</b> course, working with an expert trainer and highly experienced DSL, you will not only meet your statutory training requirements, but will also benefit from the latest research, presented in an engaging and motivating format, designed to ensure that you stay up to date on current developments, emerging risks, and best practice, whilst discussing case studies and sharing best practice with your co-delegates.</p> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-new-dsl-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-new-dsl-1</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>In my experience, the price of DSL training from LA' was extortionate. That's just not OK. WE are subsidising these sessions so that you can access <b>two full days DSL training for £155</b>. If this proves to be successful, we will do this every two years. Let us know what you want. You won't find better value for this anywhere.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<b><u>SCIENCE</u></b>  <b><u>Science Leaders' Support and Development Group day 1 of 6</u></b>  <b><u>With Kate Redhead</u></b>  <b>Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2025</b>  2.00pm–3.30pm  Zoom  For: Science Leaders	Half termly support sessions for your Science Leader  <b>Future dates for your diary:</b>  Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> November 2025 Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January 2026 Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> April 2026 Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-1</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>Get your science leaders booked on this. It's your way of developing and supporting middle leaders as they attend CPDF led by a nationally renowned science expert with colleagues from across the country.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<p><b><u>Welcome the stranger?</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Dr James Trewby of the Columban Missionaries and Steph Neville of Stories of Hope and Home</u></b></p> <p><b>Session 1 (of 5)</b></p> <p><b>All sessions must be attended.</b></p> <p><b>Monday 22nd September 2025</b></p> <p>1.00pm–3.00pm</p> <p><b>Zoom</b></p> <p>For headteachers</p> <p>#HT</p>	<p><b><i>Learning together:</i></b></p> <p>One of Pope Francis’ major themes has been calling everyone, and particularly Catholic Communities, to challenge ‘indifference’ and act in solidarity with people forced to leave their homes. The Bishops’ Conference of England and Wales have seconded this with their publication, ‘Love of the Stranger’. As Catholic educators and leaders we have been called to action, but do not always have the information, experience or understanding required – or indeed the time and space – to explore the issues related to ‘Welcoming the Stranger’.</p> <p>This programme will include CST, prayer, reflection and a residential ‘Festival of Encounter’ together with people seeking safety in Britain.</p> <p>This is session 1 of 5 and <b>we need you to commit to all 5 sessions.</b></p> <p><b>Future dates for your diary:</b></p> <p><b>Session 2 - Zoom</b> – Monday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2025 - 1.00pm–3.00pm</p> <p><b>Session 3</b> – Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2025 10.00am – 2.00pm  <b>Face to Face:</b> SS John and Monica Catholic Primary School, Chantry Rd, Moseley, Birmingham B13 8DW</p> <p><b>Session 4 - Residential</b> - Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - Loreto Centre, Llandudno</p> <p><b>Session 5 – Zoom</b> - Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - 1.00pm–3.00pm</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-1</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director’s note:</u></b></p> <p><i>This opportunity took place in 2021 and 2024, the head teachers who attended found it <b>life changing</b>.</i></p> <p><b><i>Only sign up if you are fully committed to being part of a new experience.</i></b></p> <p><i>Only 12 places available.</i></p> <p><b><u>Feedback from last year’s attendees:</u></b></p> <p><i>The ‘welcome the stranger’ programme has been truly transformational and life changing. It has taken me completely out of my comfort zone and challenged my thinking. Yes, I’m a Catholic Head</i></p>	

*but this has given me a real sense of responsibility to make change. I am making a long-term plan for my school and staff.*

*Definitely worth doing again and trying to persuade as many people to come on it as possible!*

*It will help to broaden your outlook and think about what matters.*

*The whole experience has strengthened my faith and brought a different dimension to my prayer life and reflections. It's an opportunity to live the gospels and to 'use and apply' their messages.*

**Staff to be booked on:**

**Cover arrangements in school:**





<p><b><u>DSL refresher/update training</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Oliver Welsby</u></b></p> <p><b>23rd September 2025</b></p> <p>9:00am-4:00pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: DSLs, Deputy DSLs</p> <p><b>NOTE-ADDITIONAL CHARGE FOR THIS SESSION is a discounted price of £120.00 (normally £155)! Best value around</b></p>	<p>The Designated Safeguarding Lead Refresher / Update Course is an expert-led update and refresher course for school DSLs and their Deputies.</p> <p>It is an extensive, authoritative and highly rated, full-day training course that ensures DSL/DDSLS have the most comprehensive, effective and up-to-date knowledge and strategies in place to lead the safeguarding provision in their setting.</p> <p>Full Day Course: 9:00am to 4:00pm (note this course is the same as the New to DSL Day 2).</p> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-new-dsl-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-new-dsl-2</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>We have had several requests for a more in-depth refresher for DSLs with an opportunity for them to ask questions and get advice. Here it is. <b>There is an additional charge of £155 for this session.</b> If you want it, we will offer this every two years, just let us know. There will still be the option to access the online course, if that suits your needs/ learning style better. You won't find better value for this anywhere.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<p><b><u>EYFS</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Me, myself and I: supporting young children's personal, social and emotional development. Session 1 of 3</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Ruth Swailes</u></b></p> <p><b>Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2025</b></p> <p>4:00pm-5:00pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: Whole reception staff team</p>	<p><b>A three part course</b> designed to support delegates to understand how young children's sense of self develops from an early age, and what they can do to support, teach and scaffold children's emotional development, so that they can become confident, capable, resilient learners.</p> <p>In sessions one and two Ruth will share research and information about early cognitive development, practical ideas and tips to take back to the classroom to support personal, social and emotional development.</p> <p>Session three is a 'drop- in' session for delegates to ask questions and share thoughts and ideas after putting some of the suggested ideas into practice.</p> <p><b>Future Dates for your diary:</b>          Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2025          Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2025</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-1">https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-1</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>This has been booked as a direct result of your requests. We listened to your feedback and the timings would allow all of your EYFS team to attend, if you want them to. Additional places can be booked at a very low cost.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>





<b><u>Introduction to Behaviour 360</u></b>  <b><u>With Emma Shackleton</u></b>  <b>Thursday 25th September 2025</b>  9:30am-10:15am Zoom  For: Headteachers, CSELs	Join Emma for a quick tour of the fantastic, online platform of SEMH and behaviour resources, tools and strategies: Beacon Behaviour 360.  Inside the platform, you'll find everything you need for immediately accessible, high-quality training for teachers, Tas, lunchtime supervisors and parents.  Get all of your adults pulling in the same direction for the biggest impact for your pupils.  To Book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-behaviour-360">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-behaviour-360</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>If you like what Emma and her team do, this is your chance to find out more about how they can support your school.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>  Headteachers, Senior Leaders	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>EYFS</u></b>  <b><u>'I think it's good but...'</u></b>  <b><u>What you need to know about Reception.</u></b>  <b><u>With Ruth Swailes</u></b>  <b>Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2025</b>  9.30am-12.30pm Zoom  For: EYFS leaders and Headteachers  #HT #Middleleaders #EYFS	Everything you've ever wanted to know about EYFS but were too afraid to ask!  This session is for leaders who may not have much experience of working in EYFS or experienced leaders who want to refresh and develop their understanding of effective pedagogy. The session will cover statutory legal requirements and bust some of the myths that have developed around the EYFS. We will explore the purpose of the learning environment in supporting children's leaning and talk about effective pedagogy for young children, why it looks different from Key Stage One and what makes the greatest difference to young children's learning.  To Book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-reception-ntk">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-reception-ntk</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>This is a no-brainer. Get your EYFS leader booked on and get yourself booked on. Maybe your deputy too? Ruth is phenomenal.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

# MARIAN TERM

## (AUTUMN 1)

### October 2025

#### **HT Support and Development Group – Day 1 of 5**

#### **Developing an effective and sustainable school improvement strategy – EEF Implementation in action. Day 1 – Identifying key improvement priorities**

#### **All Sessions Must Be Attended**

#### **With Clare Cheetham**

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2025**

9:30am–12:30pm

Zoom

For: Senior Leaders  
#HT

This 5 day course is aimed at Executive Head Teachers, Head Teachers, Heads of School, Principals and Senior Leaders who are responsible for school improvement. It will provide an in depth opportunity to conduct a deep dive into your school's effectiveness and provide practical support to prioritise key areas for improvement.

Gap tasks will support you in collecting relevant evidence and designing an effective implementation plan for school improvement using the principles set out in the EEF Implementation guidance. \*It may be beneficial for 2 leaders from the same school to attend together. Day 1 – Day 1 will examine the effectiveness of your current School Development Plan and help you to rationalise your priorities, reframing them as key issues that need to be solved.

You will leave the session with a clear idea of what needs to improve and what next steps you need to take to further EXPLORE the issues you have identified.

#### **Future dates for your diary:**

Day 2 – Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2025

Day 3 – Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Day 4 – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2026

Day 5 – Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2026

To book:

<https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-1>

#### **Director's note:**

*You need to invest in yourself and your own professional development. Recommend you access these sessions off site to allow you to concentrate 100%.*

#### **Staff to be booked on:**

#### **Cover arrangements in school:**

<b><u>DRB Leadership Briefing</u></b> <b><u>Day 1 of 3</u></b>  <b><u>With Andrew Pilmore</u></b>  <b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2025</b>  10:00am–12:30pm Zoom  For: Senior Leaders #HT #DHT	Leadership briefings on all of the latest updates and associated weekly updates/support.  <b>Future dates for your diary:</b>  Day 2 – Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> February 2026 Day 3 – Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  These are chargeable sessions, if you book on to one, we will book you onto all three at the reduced rate of £330.  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-1</a>
<b>Director's note:</b> <i>From personal experience, I found these briefings on the ball and up to date, they do the reading so you don't have to. Find out about Ofsted updates, policy changes, everything you need to know but don't have the time to research. A great time saver for busy leaders.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>Computing Leaders' Support and Development Group</u></b>  <b><u>Session 1 of 3</u></b>  <b>Sharon Cufflin and Vikki Woodfield</b>  Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> October 2025  1:15pm-3:15pm  Teams  For computing leaders	This 2-hour session will look at the role of subject leadership and delivery of the computing curriculum, packed with the latest news and updates. It provides a fantastic networking opportunity to learn from your colleagues and share insights and best practice, as well as being guided by the trainers. This meeting is designed to support you in your role as an effective computing leader. Topics may include: Monitoring and evidencing computing, action planning, programming, AI, guidance, frameworks, tools and resources for technology and online safety.  <b>Future dates for your Diary</b> Session 2: Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> February 2026, 1:15pm-3:15pm Session 3: Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> June 2026, 1:15pm-3:15pm  To Book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-computing-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-computing-support-group-1</a>
<b>Director's note:</b> <i>These sessions are absolutely fabulous for experienced and new computing leaders. An opportunity to keep up to date with the latest information and share best practice.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<p><b>Attendance Inclusive Attendance – Empowering Schools to Change Attendance Cultures!</b></p> <p><b>With Wayne Harris CEO &amp; Founder Inclusive Attendance.</b></p> <p>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2025</p> <p>9:30am-10:30am</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: Senior Attendance Champions, HTs, DHTs, Attendance leads in schools and MATs</p>	<p><b>Explore the DfE 2024 statutory paper and understand how the Inclusive Attendance programme can prepare your school for these upcoming change.</b></p> <p>Join us for an exclusive webinar led by Wayne Harris, a distinguished attendance leader with a remarkable record in enhancing attendance rates within both Primary and Secondary school settings. With over a decade of experience, Wayne's expertise has propelled him to the forefront of attendance national improvement strategies. The Inclusive Attendance model is recognised both nationally and internationally.</p> <p><b>Webinar Session Highlights:</b></p> <p><b>1. The Post-Pandemic World</b> Explore the challenges confronted by schools, children, and families in the aftermath of the pandemic. Understand how the Inclusive Attendance approach aligns and surpasses the requirements within the 2024 DfE 'Working Together to Improve School Attendance' paper.</p> <p><b>2. Create a New Attendance Culture</b> Learn to cultivate a culture where collective responsibility for school attendance is embraced. Explore two Key Strands from the Inclusive Attendance Model. Gain exclusive insights into the Inclusive Governance accredited attendance programme.</p> <p><b>3. Redefine Your Approach</b> Explore the process of moving towards a culture where everyone actively engages in school attendance responsibility. Briefly focus on the Inclusive Attendance Implementation programme, built on the foundation of EEF Professional Development guidance.</p> <p><b>Just one of the benefits of attending:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Receive a FREE £30 membership for the Inclusive Attendance website.</li> </ul> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-inclusive-attendance">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-inclusive-attendance</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>I was really impressed with the training provided by Wayne and his team and excited by the accredited opportunities available for staff and governors. Wayne makes it really clear how you can support your team in understanding that developing great attendance is the responsibility of all. I fully recommend attending this one-hour session to hear what he has to say.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>EYFS</u></b>  <b><u>Me, myself and I: supporting young children's personal, social and emotional development. Session 2 of 3</u></b>  <b><u>With Ruth Swailes</u></b>  <b>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2025</b>  4:00pm-5:00pm  Zoom  For: Whole reception staff team	<b>This is session two of a three part course.</b>  Ruth will share research and information about early cognitive development, practical ideas and tips to take back to the classroom to support personal, social and emotional development. Session three is a 'drop- in' session for delegates to ask questions and share thoughts and ideas after putting some of the suggested ideas into practice.  <b>Future Dates for your diary:</b>  Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> October 2025  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-2</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>If you missed the first session, there's still time to join session 2.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	

<b><u>MATHS</u></b>  <b><u>Maths Leaders' Support and Development Group</u></b>  <b><u>With Nathan Crook</u></b>  <b>Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2025</b>  Session 1 of 3  9:30am–12:00pm Zoom  For: Maths leaders #DHT #middleleaders #maths	The first termly meeting of three, which will provide thinking related to undertaking the role effectively, as well as national updates and themes that were previously reported by the 2024/25 group as being topical.  <b>Future dates for your diary:</b>  Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> February 2026 Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> April 2026  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-support-group-1</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>Feedback from last year has resulted in us running once termly, longer sessions, for maths leaders. This is what maths leaders said had maximum impact for their subject. Get them signed up. Get them to share updates with staff. Book it all in the diary now.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>Governors update on KCSIE</u></b> <b><u>With Oliver Welsby</u></b> <b>Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2025</b> 6.00pm-7.30pm Zoom #Governors	This session is valuable for all governors, not just the nominated Safeguarding Governor, as all governors have 'strategic leadership responsibility for safeguarding', as outlined in KCSIE.  This session will provide a clear update for governors as to the latest developments in terms of risk, updates on statutory guidance and KCSIE requirements from the governance perspective, and an overview of what the safeguarding team should be working on.  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-gov-kcsie">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-gov-kcsie</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>This is a slightly longer governor's session than usual, it's because we are sharing the information and giving them guidance on what to do.</i>  <i>I'd get all my governors booked on this – a non-negotiable for me (you are giving them plenty of notice).</i>	
<b><u>Governors to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>





<p><b><u>ENGLISH</u></b></p> <p><b><u>English Leaders' Support and Development Group – Day 1 of 5</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Susie Spolander</u></b></p> <p><b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2025</b></p> <p>2:00pm–3:30pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: English Leader</p> <p>#ENGLISH #MIDDLELEADERS</p>	<p>This series of half termly network meetings is aimed at providing updates and <b>ensuring subject leaders have the latest information to support their strategic role in schools.</b></p> <p>Each meeting will have a different focus, planned in response to current research and priorities, and will also allow for time to share school developments and best practice, as well as to network with other English subject leaders.</p> <p>Meetings will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• updates from Ofsted, DfE and STA</li> <li>• information from current research</li> <li>• details of relevant projects, events, and competitions</li> <li>• sharing of resources to support teaching and learning</li> <li>• information of relevant CPD opportunities</li> <li>• opportunities to share school developments and best practice</li> <li>• opportunities to network with other English Subject Leaders</li> </ul> <p><b>Future Dates for your diary:</b>  Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2025  Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2026  Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2026  Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2026</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-1</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>Headteachers/ Principals are constantly telling me they need to support and develop middle leaders. This is an effortless way to start that. Book your English leader on this and ensure they have time to attend.</i></p> <p><i>English leaders- this is your uncomplicated way to hear the latest updates from an expert and liaise with other English leaders from across England. This is ideal for both new and experienced leaders. Come and join us.</i></p> <p><i>Susie is absolutely brilliant and the feedback from English leaders is overwhelmingly positive.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<p><b><u>PE Leaders' Support and Development Group – Day 1 of 3</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Dan Wilson From Beyond the Physical</u></b></p> <p><b>Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2025</b></p> <p>1:30pm-3:00pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: PE leaders</p>	<p><b>Inspiring schools to deliver transformative Physical Education.</b></p> <p>Our first session will focus on creating a holistic approach to Primary Physical Education which goes beyond the physical through examining National Curriculum content and Physical Literacy research.</p> <p>We will then explore how we can create a mastery-based curriculum within Physical Education, providing opportunities for children to master fundamental movement skills, knowledge and understanding creating more depth to their learning.</p> <p><b>Future Dates for your diary:</b>  Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2026  Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2026</p> <p>To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pe-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pe-support-group-1</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>You asked for support for your PE leaders, we searched to find you the very best. We are really impressed with the team at Beyond the Physical and hope to be offering some very exciting opportunities with them next academic year. Remember, PE and School Sports Premium is available to develop PE in school and that includes CPDF (and cover so PE leader can attend).</i></p>	
<b><u>Governors to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<p><b><u>EYFS</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Me, myself and I: supporting young children's personal, social and emotional development - Day 3 of 3</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Ruth Swailes</u></b></p> <p><b>Tuesday 21st October 2025</b></p> <p>4:00pm-5:00pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: Whole reception staff team</p>	<p><b>Day 3 of 3 - A three part course</b> designed to support delegates to understand how young children's sense of self develops from an early age, and what they can do to support, teach and scaffold children's emotional development, so that they can become confident, capable, resilient learners.</p> <p>Session three is a "drop- in" session for delegates to ask questions and share thoughts and ideas after putting some of the suggested ideas into practice.</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-3</a></p>
<p><b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b></p>	

The following online sessions are available all year.

We have negotiated a discount on these; by buying through us, you get them cheaper. If there are other 'bread and butter' sessions you need, just let us know.

### **Safer Recruitment Training**

#### **With High-Speed Training**

You have 12 months to complete this course.

For: School staff and Governors involved in the recruitment process. (You need to do every 3 years.)

#HT #DHT #Governor #DSL

Online training, this course takes approximately **3** hours to complete, and the certificate will be posted out to you 24 hours after successful completion.

We have negotiated a discount for this online CPDF. This course has an additional charge of **£30** per person.

If you order these before the Summer or in September, the online codes for these will be sent out by Sarah the first week in October 2025. They are also available throughout the year-just get in touch.

To book: <https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-safer-recruitment>

#### **Director's note:**

*Ensure you are fully covered by getting people trained up on this. Always good to have a governor and your deputy head trained.*

#### **Staff to be booked on:**

### **Asbestos Awareness Training**

#### **With High-Speed Training**

You have 12 months to complete this course.

For: School staff with responsibility for Asbestos Management

#HT #Governor

Online training, this course takes approximately **2** hours to complete, and the certificate will be posted out to you 24 hours after successful completion.

We have negotiated a discount for this online CPDF. This course has an additional charge of **£30** per person.

If you order these before the Summer or in September, the online codes for these will be sent out by Sarah the first week in October 2025. They are also available throughout the year-just get in touch.

To book:

<https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-asbestos-awareness>

#### **Director's note:**

*Remember, all site managers/supervisors/caretakers must have Asbestos training.*

#### **Staff to be booked on:**

<p><b><u>DSL (Designated Safeguarding Lead) refresher training- Level 3</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With High-Speed Training</u></b></p> <p>You have 12 months to complete this course.</p> <p>For: DSL's</p> <p>#HT #DHT #SENDSCO #DSL</p>	<p>Online training, this course takes approximately 3 hours to complete, and the certificate will be posted out to you 24 hours after successful completion.</p> <p>We have negotiated a discount for this online CPDF.</p> <p>This course has an additional charge of £63 per person.</p> <p>If you order these before the Summer or in September, the online codes for these will be sent out by Sarah the first week in October 2025. They are also available throughout the year-just get in touch.</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-dsl-level3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-dsl-level3</a></p>
<p><b>Director's note:</b></p> <p><i>This refresher training is online. It is value for money, excellent quality and can be completed in sections before the formal assessment and certificate. I have completed it; I was impressed with it. (And yes, I passed!)</i></p>	
<p><b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b></p>	



# Marian Term

## CPDF at a glance

If you click on the link in the description, it will take you to the information about the course.  
If you want to book, click the 'To book' link, which will take you directly to our booking website.

## September 2025

Course title	Date	To book
Annual Update to KCSIE  With Oliver Welsby	Monday 1st September 2025  11:30am-12:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-kcsie-update">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-kcsie-update</a>
Performance Management without Performance related pay  With Andrew Pilmore	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> September 2025  9:30am-11:00am	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-performance">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-performance</a>
Safeguarding Compliance  With Oliver Welsby	Tuesday 9th September 2025  9:30am-12:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-safeguarding-compliance">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-safeguarding-compliance</a>
New to DSL-full training  With Oliver Welsby	Tuesday 16th and Tuesday 23rd September 2025  9:00am-4:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-new-dsl-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-new-dsl-1</a>
Science Leaders' Support and Development Group day 1 of 6  With Kate Redhead	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> September 2025  2:00pm-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-1</a>
Welcome the Stranger?  With Dr James Trewby of the Columban Missionaries and Steph Neville of Stories of Hope and Home  Zoom and residential	Monday 22nd September 2025  1.00pm-3.00pm Session 1 (of 5)  All sessions must be attended.  Session 2 - Zoom – Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> September 2025 - 1.00pm-3.00pm Session 3 – Wednesday 8th October 2025 10.00am-2:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-1</a>

	<p>Face to Face: Venue to be confirmed. (It will be Birmingham)</p> <p>10:00am-2:00pm</p> <p>Session 4 - Residential</p> <p>Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2025- Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2025</p> <p>Session 5 - Zoom</p> <p>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2025</p> <p>1:00pm–3:00pm</p>	
<p>DSL refresher - New to DSL day 2</p> <p>With Oliver Welsby</p>	<p>Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2025</p> <p>9:00am-4:00pm</p>	<p><a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-new-dsl-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-new-dsl-2</a></p>
<p>Me, myself and I – 1 of 3</p> <p>With Ruth Swailes</p>	<p>Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2025</p> <p>4:00pm-5:00pm</p> <p>Session 2 – Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2025</p> <p>Session 3 – Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2025</p>	<p><a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-1</a></p>
<p>Introduction to Behaviour 360</p> <p>With Emma Shackleton</p>	<p>Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2025.</p> <p>9:30am-10.15am</p>	<p><a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-behaviour-360">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-behaviour-360</a></p>
<p>Welcome the Stranger? – Day 2 of 5</p> <p>James Trewby and Steph Neville</p>	<p>Session 2 - Zoom –</p> <p>Monday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2025 - 1.00pm–3.00pm</p>	<p><a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-2</a></p>
<p>What you need to know about Reception</p> <p>With Ruth Swailes</p>	<p>Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2025</p> <p>9:30am-12:30pm</p>	<p><a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-reception-ntk">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-reception-ntk</a></p>



# October 2025

Course title	Date	To book
HT Support Group day 1 With Clare Cheetham	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> October 2025 9:30am-12:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-1</a>
DRB Leadership Briefing With Andrew Pilmore	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 10:00am-12:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-1</a>
Computing Leaders' Support Group With Sharon Cufflin and Vikki Bott	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 1:15pm-3:15pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-computing-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-computing-support-group-1</a>
Attendance with Wayne Harris	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 9:30am-10:30am	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-inclusive-attendance">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-inclusive-attendance</a>
Me, myself and I – 2 of 3 With Ruth Swailes	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 4:00pm-5:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-2</a>
Welcome the Stranger? day 3 of 5 With James Trewby and Steph Neville	Session 3 – Wednesday 8th October 2025 10.00am–2:00pm Face to Face venue to be confirmed	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-3</a>
Maths Leaders' Support and Development Group With Nathan Crook	Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 9:30am-12:00pm  Session 2 Wednesday 11th February 2026 1:30pm-4:00pm  Session 3 Wednesday 29th April 2026 1:30pm-4:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-support-group-1</a>
KCSIE for Governors With Oliver Welsby	Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 6:00pm-7:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-gov-kcsie">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-gov-kcsie</a>
English Leaders' Support and Development Group With Susie Spolander	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 2:30pm-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-1</a>
Welcome the Stranger? Residential With James Trewby and Steph Neville	Session 4 - Residential Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> October 2025- Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-4">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-4</a>

PE Leaders' Support and Development Group With Dan Wilson from Beyond the Physical	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 1:30pm-3:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pe-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pe-support-group-1</a>
Welcome the Stranger? With James Trewby and Steph Neville	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 1:00pm–3:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-5">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-5</a>
Me, myself and I – 3 of 3 With Ruth Swailes	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> October 2025 4:00pm-5:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-me-myself-3</a>



# Remembrance term



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# REMEMBRANCE TERM

## (AUTUMN 2)

### November 2025

#### **EYFS leaders' Support and Development Group session 1 of 3**

**With Ruth Swailes**

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2025**

1:15pm-2:45pm

Zoom

For: EYFS leaders

These three sessions (one per long term) are an opportunity to keep up to date with the latest information from Ofsted and the DFE about Early Years. In the world of Education, the only constant is change and keeping up with all the latest information can be a challenge. It's easy to miss things when you're busy in the classroom.

Ruth will ensure that everyone who attends has links to all the information they need to ensure that they're fully informed of the current thinking in Early Years and provide a safe, supportive space to ask any questions.

Come and be part of our community of practice!

#### **Future dates for your diary:**

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2026

To book:

<https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-support-group-1>

#### **Director's note:**

*With so much focus on EYFS at the moment, this is a great way to support your EYFS leader.*

#### **Staff to be booked on:**

#### **Cover arrangements in school:**



<p><b><u>Lunchtime support training – Day 1 of 3</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Helen Guest</u></b></p> <p><b>Thursday 6th November 2025</b></p> <p>10:30am-11:30am</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: All staff who support pupils at lunchtimes.</p> <p>#supportstaff</p>	<p>Pupils with complex needs are increasing in our mainstream schools.</p> <p>Wherever you are teaching, building positive relationships with children is crucial when it comes to getting students on board.</p> <p>Find out why children thrive when we use a positive approach and explore strategies that we can start using straight away to build strong relationships with all children.</p> <p><b>Future dates:</b> Tuesday 3rd February 2026 Tuesday 28th April 2026</p> <p>To Book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-ls-positive-relationships">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-ls-positive-relationships</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>We know that this can be a challenging time in school, help the amazing staff that look after the pupils at lunchtime by supporting them additional training. Sessions are an hour and timetabled just before lunchtime so learning can be trialled straight away.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<p><b><u>Managing Challenging Conversations with Parents – Session 1 of 3</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Helen Guest</u></b></p> <p><b>Thursday 6th November 2025</b></p> <p>1:30pm-3:00pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: Experienced class teachers, ECTs, HLTAs, office staff are also encouraged to join the training.</p>	<p><b>Parents are under stress too!</b> And that can mean that sometimes their behaviours towards us are challenging. It's not ok for parents to get angry and cause conflict. But when that happens, we all need to know how to be prepared.</p> <p>We all know that outcomes for children are better when home and school can work together. Here we explore why challenging situations can arise when dealing with parents and carers, along with practical strategies to help these tricky conversations run more smoothly.</p> <p><b>Future dates:</b> Tuesday 3rd February 2026 Tuesday 28th April 2026</p> <p>To Book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-challenging-conversations">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-challenging-conversations</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>School staff are having to deal with challenging conversations daily: help them to manage these situations by up-skilling them.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<b><u>Mental health support</u></b>  <b><u>Supporting Pupils Develop A Positive Mindset</u></b>  <b><u>With Rachel Chilver</u></b>  <b>Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2025</b>  1:30pm-3:00pm  Zoom  For: Teaching Assistants	<p>In this session, staff will develop strategies to help them support pupils struggling with low self-esteem to achieve a more positive mindset. Attendees will understand how to reframe negative thinking and learn a range of strategies to support pupils build their emotional resilience. Key focus areas include self-esteem, affirmations, gratitude, reframing negative thought patterns and celebrating personal powers.</p> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-positive-mindset">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-positive-mindset</a> </p>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>TAs have shared that they often don't feel prepared to deal with some of the issues they are being faced with when supporting pupils with their emotional resilience. This session is aimed at supporting them to do this. Perhaps a session for all TAs and SENDCO to attend together?</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>SCIENCE</u></b>  <b><u>Science Leaders' Support and Development Group day 2 of 6</u></b>  <b><u>With Kate Redhead</u></b>  <b>Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2025</b>  2.00pm–3.30pm  Zoom  For: Science Leaders	<p>Half termly support sessions for your Science Leader</p> <p><b>Future dates for your diary:</b></p> <p>Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2026  Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2026  Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2026  Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2026</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-2</a> </p>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>Get your science leaders booked on this. It's your way of developing and supporting middle leaders as they attend CPDF led by a nationally renowned science expert with colleagues from across the country.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<b><u>EYFS – Let’s get Reading and Writing sorted</u></b>  <b><u>Dr Bogusia Matusiak-Varley</u></b>  <b>Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2025</b>  9:00am-12:00pm  Zoom  For: EYFS and English Leaders	Dr Bogusia will remind you of all the strategies that you know how to use but don’t give enough importance to.  We will together look at elements of Ofsted’s research, best start in life and its implications for effective provision in reading and writing.  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The importance of executive function</li> <li>• Effective early years pedagogy</li> <li>• Guiding principles for consideration</li> </ul> To book: <a href="https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-reading-writing">https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-reading-writing</a>
<b><u>Director’s note:</u></b>  <i>Bogusia pulls no punches and will train you to the highest level. Get yourself, your EYFS, your English leaders booked so that everyone has the same message.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>Reminders for good governance</u></b>  <b><u>Dr Bogusia Matusiak-Varley</u></b>  Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> November 2025  6:00pm-7:00pm  Zoom  For: Governors	We will discuss the practicalities of undertaking the core functions of governance, providing vision, ethos and strategic direction.  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Holding leaders to account</li> <li>• Executing equality of opportunity</li> <li>• Knowing the school’s strengths and areas for improvement</li> </ul> To book: <a href="https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-gov-governance">https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-gov-governance</a>
<b><u>Director’s note:</u></b>  <i>Governors have requested more training from Bogusia. It speaks for itself. She delivers the best.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<p><b><u>EYFS</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Early Writing. Write from the start, giving children the skills they need to become effective writers.</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Ruth Swailes</u></b></p> <p><b>Monday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2025</b></p> <p>1:00pm-2:30pm</p> <p>Session 1 of 2</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: EYFS leaders and English leaders</p>	<p>Writing is a challenging and complex task that requires children to draw upon a wide range of different skills: it's no wonder it's one of the areas of the curriculum that is most challenging to teach.</p> <p>In these 2 sessions, Ruth will share her knowledge of young children's physical and cognitive development and the latest research to provide delegates with the understanding they need to support young children's writing.</p> <p>Ruth will share practical ideas that she has used herself, which can be taken back to the classroom immediately so that teachers feel empowered to give children the skills they need to become confident, competent writers.</p> <p><b>Future dates for your diary:</b></p> <p>Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2025</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-early-writing-1">https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-early-writing-1</a> </p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>This is a must for your EYFS teachers, book an additional place for your English leader so everyone can work with the same approach.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<p><b><u>SENDCO Support and Development Group</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Session 1 of 3</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Matt McArthur</u></b></p> <p><b>Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2025</b></p> <p>1:30pm-5:30pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: SENDCOs, senior leaders who want to be more informed about SEN</p>	<p>This is an opportunity for SENDCOs to meet regularly for CPLD, networking, discussion and problem solving.</p> <p>This first session will focus on meeting the needs of children with <b>Social Emotional and Mental Health Needs</b>, through the distributed leadership of SEND.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identifying characteristics of SEMH</li> <li>• Strategies to support children in mainstream with SEMH needs</li> <li>• Up-skilling teachers and teaching assistants to meet greater complexity of need</li> <li>• A responsive discussion about approaches, challenges and solutions</li> </ul> <p>SENDCOs will then develop an understanding of how the EEF implementation cycle can support effective strategic improvement in order to secure stronger outcomes for children with SEND over time, focussing particularly on the <b>Exploration and Preparation</b> stages.</p> <p><b>Future dates:</b></p> <p>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2026 Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2026</p> <p>To Book: <a href="https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-1">https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-1</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>Your SENDCO does an amazing job, invest in them further by booking them on these fantastic sessions. Make them leave site and be fully engaged in this high-quality sessions focused on supporting them to be the very best they can be.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<b><u>HT Support and Development Group – Day 2 of 5</u></b>  <b><u>Day 2 Implementation Planning</u></b>  <b><u>With Clare Cheetham</u></b>  <b>Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2025</b>  9:30am–12:30pm  Zoom  For: Senior Leaders #HT	Day 2 of this 5 day course will provide an opportunity to review the gap task from Day 1.  This will enable you set out clear Success Criteria and Implementation activities. You will leave the session with a partially complete implementation plan and a clear understanding of the EEF Implementation principles. *Please bring along a copy of the EEF Implementation Guidance Report – Putting Evidence to Work.  <b>Future dates for your diary:</b>  Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> January 2026 Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2026  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-2</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>You need to take time to invest in yourself as head teacher, don't worry if you missed session 1. Get booked on now.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>Headteachers Get together</u></b>  <b><u>Face to face at Edgbaston Priory Tennis Club (Lunch included)</u></b>  <b>Friday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2025</b>  9.00am – 1.00pm  For: Headteachers/Principals  #HT	An opportunity to network with other head teachers face to face and ensure that relationships are established and strengthened between Catholic school leaders.  Including an Ofsted update.  <b>Future dates for your diary:</b> Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 - Headteacher Get together. Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> June and Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 - HT Residential  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-face2face-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-face2face-1</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>It is so important that you give yourself time to be with other headteachers. This is an investment in YOUR well-being. Please book on. Just like Loreal-you're worth it!</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

# REMEMBRANCE TERM

## (AUTUMN 2)

### December 2025

**Early Writing, Write from the start, giving children the skills they need to become effective writers.**

**With Ruth Swailes**

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2025**

1:00pm-2:30pm

Session 2 of 2

Zoom

For: EYFS leaders and English leaders

Writing is a challenging and complex task that requires children to draw upon a wide range of different skills, it's no wonder it's one of the areas of the curriculum that is most challenging to teach.

In these 2 sessions, Ruth will share her knowledge of young children's physical and cognitive development and the latest research to provide delegates with the understanding they need to support young children's writing.

Ruth will share practical ideas that she has used herself, which can be taken back to the classroom immediately so that teachers feel empowered to give children the skills they need to become confident, competent writers.

To book:

<https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-early-writing-2>

**Staff to be booked on:**

**Cover arrangements in school:**



<p><b><u>ENGLISH</u></b></p> <p><b><u>English Leaders' Support and Development Group – Day 2 of 5</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Susie Spolander</u></b></p> <p><b>Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2025</b></p> <p>2:00pm – 3:30pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: English Leader</p> <p>#ENGLISH #MIDDLELEADERS</p>	<p>This series of half termly network meetings is aimed at providing updates and <b>ensuring subject leaders have the latest information to support their strategic role in schools.</b></p> <p>Each meeting will have a different focus, planned in response to current research and priorities, and will also allow for time to share school developments and best practice, as well as to network with other English subject leaders.</p> <p>Meetings will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• updates from Ofsted, DfE and STA</li> <li>• information from current research</li> <li>• details of relevant projects, events, and competitions</li> <li>• sharing of resources to support teaching and learning</li> <li>• information of relevant CPD opportunities</li> <li>• opportunities to share school developments and best practice</li> <li>• opportunities to network with other English Subject Leaders</li> </ul> <p><b>Future Dates for your diary:</b></p> <p>Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2026  Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2026  Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2026</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-2</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>Headteachers/ Principals are constantly telling me they need to support and develop middle leaders. This is an effortless way to start that. Book your English leader on this and ensure they have time to attend.</i>  <i>English leaders- this is your uncomplicated way to hear the latest updates from an expert and liaise with other English leaders from across England. This is ideal for both new and experienced leaders. Come and join us.</i>  <i>Susie is absolutely brilliant and the feedback from English leaders is overwhelmingly positive.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



# Remembrance Term

## CPDF at a glance

If you click on the link in the description, it will take you to the information about the course.  
If you want to book, click the 'To book' link, which will take you directly to our booking website.

## November 2025

Course title	Date	To book
EYFS Leader Support Group	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-support-group-1</a>
With Ruth Swailes	1:15pm-2:45pm	
Building Positive Relationships	Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-ls-positive-relationships">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-ls-positive-relationships</a>
With Helen Guest	10:30am-11:30am	
Managing Challenging Conversations with Parents	Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-challenging-conversations">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-challenging-conversations</a>
With Helen Guest	1:30pm-3:00pm	
Developing a positive mindset for pupils	Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-positive-mindset">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-positive-mindset</a>
With Rachel Chilver	1:30pm-3:00pm	
Science Leaders' Support and Development Group day 2 of 6	Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-2</a>
With Kate Redhead	2:00pm-3:30pm	
EYFS Let's get reading and writing sorted!	Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-reading-writing">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-reading-writing</a>
With Dr Bogusia Matusiak-Varley	9:00am-12:00pm	
Reminders for good governance	Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-gov-governance">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-gov-governance</a>
With Dr Bogusia Matusiak-Varley	6:00pm-7:00pm	
Early Writing, Write from the start	Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-early-writing-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-early-writing-1</a>
With Ruth Swailes	1:00pm-2:30pm	



SENDSCO Support and Development Group	Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-1</a>
Session 1 of 3	Future dates:	
With Matt McArthur	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	
	1:30pm-5:30pm	
HT Support and Development Group Day 2	Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-2</a>
With Clare Cheetham	9:30am-12:30pm	
Headteacher Get Together	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-face2face-1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-face2face-1</a>
At Priory Tennis Club	9:00am-1:00pm	

## December 2025

Course title	Date	To book
Early Writing, write from the start	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-early-writing-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-early-writing-2</a>
With Ruth Swailes	1:00pm-2:30pm	
English Leaders' Support and Development Group	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> December 2025	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-2</a>
With Susie Spolander	2:00pm-3:30pm	



# Candlemas Term



(Spring 1)

# CANDLEMAS TERM

## (SPRING 1)

### January 2026

#### **STAFF MEETING SESSION**

#### **Whole Staff Online safety annual update**

**With Oliver Welsby**

**Tuesday 13th January 2026**

3:45pm-4:45pm

Zoom

#### **The Changing Online Landscape: understanding the risks and opportunities faced by children and young people today.**

During this 60-minute session we will focus on understanding recent changes and developments in the online world. We review the changing risks for children and young people who are operating online in ever increasing amounts of time each day, including from a mental health and wellbeing perspective.

We will not only examine the evolving risk and trends, but also look at how we can all respond to these developments positively from an educational perspective, ensuring our children are both protected and supported whilst engaging in the exciting and ever developing online world.

To book: <https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-staff-online-safety>

#### **Director's note:**

*It's a requirement for all staff to be trained in this. We are ensuring this is done to a high standard without additional work being placed on school staff.*

#### **Staff to be booked on:**

#### **Cover arrangements in school:**

#### **PE Leaders' Support and Development Group Day 2 of 3**

**Dan Wilson From Beyond the Physical**

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2026**

1:30pm-3:00pm

Zoom

#PE

This session will focus on the use of adaptive teaching in Physical Education, ensuring we can effectively manage difference within a lesson to allow for success for all children. We will also tailor support for Subject Leads with areas of development indicated to us in Session 1.

#### **Future dates:**

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2026

To book: <https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pe-support-group-2>

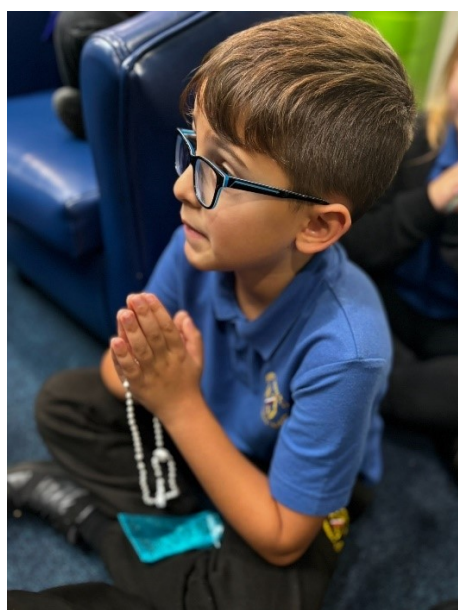
#### **Staff to be booked on:**

#### **Cover arrangements in school:**

<b><u>EYFS leaders' Support and Development Group</u></b>  <b><u>Session 2 of 3</u></b>  <b><u>With Ruth Swailes</u></b>  <b>Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2026</b>  1:15pm-2:45pm  Zoom  For: EYFS leaders	<p>These three sessions (one per long term) are an opportunity to keep up to date with the latest information from Ofsted and the DFE about Early Years. In the world of Education the only constant is change and keeping up with all the latest information can be a challenge. It's easy to miss things when you're busy in the classroom.</p> <p>Ruth will ensure that everyone who attends has links to all the information they need to ensure that they're fully informed of the current thinking in Early Years and provide a safe, supportive space to ask any questions. Come and be part of our community of practice.</p> <p><b>Future dates for your diary:</b></p> <p>Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2026</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-support-group-2</a> </p>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>Great support for your EYFS leader and finishes in time that they can dismiss their class. (No-one wants the job of dismissing an EYFS class that isn't theirs!)</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>An effective academic diet for the lowest 20%</u></b>  <b><u>Dr Bogusia Matusiak-Varley</u></b>  <b>Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2026</b>  9:00am-12:00pm  Zoom  For heads and deputies.	<p>We will explore the main:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Barriers to learning</li> <li>• Choosing appropriate strategies to overcome these barriers</li> <li>• Planning strategically and analysing effectiveness</li> <li>• Adaptive teaching for these pupils</li> </ul> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-academic-diet">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-academic-diet</a> </p>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>You know who's going to be all over asking you about the lowest 20%. Make sure you are ensuring those pupils needs are being fully met and that you can answer any challenging questions from visitors. Bogusia is a phenomenal trainer. Buckle up, it's going to be a bumpy ride!</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>Head Masters of Stress</u></b>  <b><u>With Helen Dos Santos</u></b>  <b>Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2026</b>  9:30am-10:30am  Zoom  For: Head teachers  #HT	<p>Head Masters of Stress Manage your Mind, Manage Your Future With 84% of Senior Leaders and 72% of school teachers experiencing work related stress. It's hardly surprising when most of the time you put everyone else first – pupils, staff, parents.</p> <p>Do you find there are not enough hours in the day? Get frustrated that you never get to the bottom of your 'To Do' list? Find yourself putting off the tasks you least like, end up working when at home, feel exhausted and then unable to sleep? Gain take-away strategies to put into practice to navigate your day with ease to assist in managing your time differently, reduce or avoid procrastination, and gain insights into the power of reflection.</p> <p>Learn a neuroscience backed technique to reduce stress in just a few minutes which can also impact on sleep quality and become your own Master of your wellbeing.</p> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-stress">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-stress</a> </p>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>I urge all headteachers to attend this session. Invest an hour of your busy day into something that might be a game changer for you.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<b><u>SCIENCE</u></b>  <b><u>Science Leaders' Support and Development Group day 3 of 6</u></b>  <b><u>With Kate Redhead</u></b>  <b>Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2026</b>  2.00pm-3.30pm  Zoom  For: Science Leaders	Half termly support sessions for your Science Leader  <b>Future dates for your diary:</b>  Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> April 2026 Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-3</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>Get your science leaders booked on this. It's your way of developing and supporting middle leaders as they attend CPDF led by a nationally renowned science expert with colleagues from across the country.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>HT Support and Development Group – Day 3 of 5</u></b>  <b><u>Day 3 – Preparing for Delivery</u></b>  <b><u>With Clare Cheetham</u></b>  <b>Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2026</b>  9:30am–12:30pm  Zoom  For: Senior Leaders #HT	Day 3 – the 3rd day of this 5 day course will enable you to review your completed Implementation Plan with a colleague. This will help you to prepare for the delivery of your plan. We will focus on how to engage and unite staff to bring them on board and the importance of monitoring and reviewing. We will also touch on the role of CPD in effective implementation. You will leave the session ready to prepare for the delivery of your plan.  <b>Future dates for your diary:</b>  Day 4 – Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 Day 5 – Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2026  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-3</a>
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<p><b><u>ENGLISH</u></b></p> <p><b><u>English Leaders' Support and Development Group – Day 3 of 5</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Susie Spolander</u></b></p> <p><b>Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2026</b></p> <p>2:00pm – 3:30pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: English Leader</p> <p>#English #Middleleaders</p>	<p>This series of half termly network meetings is aimed at providing updates and <b>ensuring subject leaders have the latest information to support their strategic role in schools.</b></p> <p>Each meeting will have a different focus, planned in response to current research and priorities, and will also allow for time to share school developments and best practice, as well as to network with other English subject leaders.</p> <p><b>Future Dates for your diary:</b></p> <p>Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2026 Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2026</p> <p>To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-3</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>Susie is absolutely brilliant and the feedback from English leaders is overwhelmingly positive.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



# CANDLEMAS TERM

## (SPRING 1)

### February 2026

#### **Understanding anger and de-escalation – Session 2 of 3**

**With Helen Guest**

**Tuesday 3rd February 2026**

10:30-11:30am

Zoom

For: All staff who support pupils at lunchtimes.

Join Helen for a refresher training of one of our most popular courses - understand what's happening in brains and bodies when children get angry or overwhelmed at school.

Dealing with big feelings and conflicts between pupils at lunchtime is difficult and can feel overwhelming.

Walk away with strategies and techniques that you can start to implement straight away and learn which techniques to avoid because they will actually make the situation worse!

**Future dates:**

Tuesday 28th April 2026

To Book: <https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-understanding-anger>

**Director's note:**

*Book your staff who lead lunchtimes onto these sessions.*

**Staff to be booked on:**

**Cover arrangements in school:**

#### **Supporting girls with Autism – Session 2 of 3**

**With Helen Guest**

**Tuesday 3rd February 2026**

1:30pm-3:00pm

Zoom

For: Experienced class teachers, ECTs, HLTAs

Girls and boys with autism can present very differently in school.

Dive into this training where we explore practical ways that we can help girls to feel supported and listened to.

**Future dates:**

Tuesday 28th April 2026

To book: <https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-girls-autism>

**Director's note:**

*This was an area that was identified last year as something that staff wanted support with. Get staff booked on.*

**Staff to be booked on:**

**Cover arrangements in school:**

<b><u>DRB Leadership Briefing Day 2 of 3</u></b>  <b><u>With Andrew Pilmore</u></b>  <b>Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2026</b>  10:00am–12:30pm Zoom  For: Senior Leaders #HT #DHT	Leadership briefings on all of the latest updates and associated weekly updates/support.  <b>Future dates for your diary:</b>  Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  These are chargeable sessions, if you book on to one, we will book you onto all three at the reduced rate of £330.  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-2</a>
<b>Director's note:</b> <i>From personal experience, I found these briefings on the ball and up to date, they do the reading so you don't have to. Find out about Ofsted updates, policy changes, everything you need to know but don't have the time to research. A great time saver for busy leaders.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>Maths for TAs - How TAs can support pupils in maths</u></b>  <b><u>With Helen Owens</u></b>  <b>Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2026</b>  1:15pm-3:00pm  Zoom  For: Teaching Assistants	The support of Teaching Assistants in developing pupil's mathematical experiences is invaluable.  During this session we will explore: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· strategies to enhance the teaching and learning of maths</li> <li>· latest developments in maths education and the role that TAs play</li> <li>· the use of manipulatives to aid pupils understanding of key concepts</li> <li>· the use of maths language and stem sentences and how TAs can model these to support the pupils use and understanding.</li> </ul> To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-ta-maths">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-ta-maths</a>
<b>Director's note:</b> <i>TAs told us they want support with doing the very best in Maths; here it is. Perhaps book extra places and have all TAs and the Maths leader attend together in one room?</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<p><b><u>SEND in EYFS, Effective Provision &amp; Practice</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Rachel Wilks</u></b></p> <p><b>Monday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2026</b></p> <p>1:00pm-3:00pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: EYFS staff, SENDCOs, Y1 staff very welcome</p>	<p>In this session, we will focus on the importance of ensuring that our provision and practice is tailored to the needs of our cohort of children and how to best do this effectively. The session will detail the assess, plan, do, review process (the graduated response) and how to ensure that practitioners, pupils and parents/carers have a voice in this process, so that it has an effective impact. As an EYFS/KS1 specialist and experienced SENDCO, I will reflect on the importance of developing the prime areas of PSED, Communication &amp; Language and Physical Development, through quality first teaching and learning opportunities.</p> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-send">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-send</a> </p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>We have had so many requests for support in this area. Here it is.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<p><b><u>Computing Leaders' Support and Development Group - Session 2 of 3</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Sharon Cufflin and Vikki Woodfield</u></b></p> <p><b>Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2026</b></p> <p>1:15pm-3:15pm</p> <p>Teams</p> <p>For computing leaders</p>	<p>This 2-hour session will look at the role of subject leadership and delivery of the computing curriculum, packed with the latest news and updates. It provides a fantastic networking opportunity to learn from your colleagues and share insights and best practice, as well as being guided by the trainers. This meeting is designed to support you in your role as an effective computing leader.</p> <p>Topics may include:</p> <p>Monitoring and evidencing computing, action planning, programming, AI, guidance, frameworks, tools and resources for technology and online safety.</p> <p><b>Future Dates for your diary:</b></p> <p>Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2026</p> <p>To Book:</p> <p><a href="https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-computing-support-group-2">https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-computing-support-group-2</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>These sessions are absolutely fabulous for experienced and new computing leaders. An opportunity to keep up to date with the latest information and share best practice.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>





## **MATHS**

### **Maths Leaders' Support and Development Group – Session 2 of 3**

**With Nathan Crook**

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2026**

1:30pm-4:00pm  
Zoom

For: Maths leaders  
#DHT #middleleaders #maths

The second termly meeting of three, which will provide thinking related to undertaking the role effectively, as well as national updates and themes that were previously reported by the 2024/25 group as being topical.

#### **Future dates for your diary:**

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2026

To book:

<https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-support-group-2>

#### **Director's note:**

*Feedback from last year has resulted in us running once termly, longer sessions, for maths leaders. This is what maths leaders said had maximum impact for their subject. Get them signed up. Get them to share updates with staff. Book it all in the diary now.*

#### **Staff to be booked on:**

#### **Cover arrangements in school:**





# Candlemas Term CPDF at a glance

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## January 2026

Course title	Date	To book
STAFF MEETING SESSION Whole Staff Online safety annual update  With Oliver Welsby	Tuesday 13th January 2026  3:45pm-4:45pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-staff-online-safety">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-staff-online-safety</a>
PE Leaders' Support and Development Group  With Dan Wilson From Beyond the Physical	Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> January 2026  1:30pm-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pe-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pe-support-group-2</a>
EYFS Leaders' Support Group  With Ruth Swailes	Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> January 2026  1:15pm-2:45pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-support-group-2</a>
An effective academic diet for the lowest 20%  With Dr Bogusia Matusiak-Varley	Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> January 2026  9:00am-12:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-academic-diet">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-academic-diet</a>
Head Masters of Stress  With Helen Dos Santos	Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January 2026  9:30am-10:30am	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-stress">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-stress</a>
Science Leaders' Support and Development Group day 3 of 6  With Kate Redhead	Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January 2026  2.00pm-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-3</a>
HT Support and Development Group day 3 of 5  With Clare Cheetham	Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> January 2026  9:30am-12:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-3</a>
English Leaders' Support and Development Group  With Susie Spolander	Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> January 2026  2:00pm-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-3</a>

# February 2026

Course title	Date	To book
Understanding anger and de-escalation  With Helen Guest	Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2026  10:30am–11:30am	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-understanding-anger">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-understanding-anger</a>
Supporting girls with Autism  With Helen Guest	Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2026  1:30pm – 3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-girls-autism">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-girls-autism</a>
DRB Leadership Briefing  With Andrew Pilmore	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> February 2026  10:00am-12:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-2</a>
Maths for TAs - How TAs can support pupils in maths  With Helen Owens	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> February 2026  1:15pm-3:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-ta-maths">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-ta-maths</a>
SEND in EYFS, Effective Provision & Practice  With Rachel Wilks	Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> February 2026  1:00pm-3:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-send">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-send</a>
Computing Leaders' Support and Development Group  With Sharon Cufflin and Vikki Woodfield	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> February 2026  1:15pm-3:15pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-computing-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-computing-support-group-2</a>
Maths Leaders' Support and Development Group  With Nathan Crook	Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> February 2026  1:30pm-4:00pm  Session 3 Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> April 2026 1:30pm-4:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-support-group-2</a>



# Lenten Term



(Spring 2)

# LENTEN TERM

## (SPRING 2)

### March 2026

#### **Staff Meeting**

#### **The Stress Proof Brain: Practical Tools for Wellbeing & Self-Care**

#### **With Hugo Metcalfe**

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2026**

3:45pm-4:45pm

Zoom

This dynamic, evidence-based training is led by experienced psychologist and trainer Hugo Metcalfe. In this interactive session you learn simple, research-backed tools to effectively manage stress, build resilience and practice self-care in a demanding school environment.

In this session, you will learn:

Proven strategies to reduce and manage daily stress.

Techniques to prevent burnout and maintain work-life balance.

Mindfulness exercises you can use anywhere, anytime.

Simple, effective methods to build emotional resilience.

Tips to create a calm, supportive classroom environment.

Take control of your stress—so it doesn't take control of you.

To book:

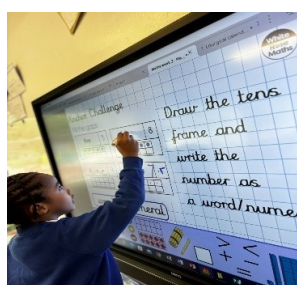
<https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-staff-stress>

#### **Director's note:**

*A staff meeting that supports your team with stress management and reduces your stress as it's one less meeting to plan.*

#### **Staff to be booked on:**

#### **Cover arrangements in school:**





<p><b><u>EYFS</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Interventions vs Outerventions: Identifying and meeting needs in the early years classroom.</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Ruth Swailes</u></b></p> <p><b>Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2026</b></p> <p>1:00pm-3:00pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: EYFS leaders, Heads, deputies</p>	<p>In this session Ruth will draw upon her experiences as a former SENCO, School leader and Inspector and her current experience as an improvement advisor to support leaders to thinking about how to support all children in the early years classroom.</p> <p>Different approaches to support will be explored as well as research around what makes the greatest difference to young children's outcomes in the long term. Ruth will also provide delegates with some practical ideas and tools to take back to school to support their work.</p> <p>This course is suitable for Early Years teachers, support staff and SENCOs</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-interventions">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-interventions</a> </p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>Ruth is amazing, get your EYFS leader booked on this!</i> </p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>





<p><b><u>Writing Moderation</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Susie Spolander</u></b></p> <p><b>Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2026</b></p> <p>10:00am-3:00pm</p> <p>Face-to-face</p> <p>Priory Tennis Club Sir Harrys Road, Birmingham B5 7UZ</p> <p>For: Y2 and Y6 teachers, English leaders</p>	<p>Aims of the Day:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. To develop a shared understanding of the national curriculum standards for writing at Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2.</li> <li>2. To provide teachers with practical strategies for evaluating and evidencing pupil attainment in writing.</li> <li>3. To ensure consistency in judgements within and across schools through collaborative moderation exercises.</li> <li>4. To empower participants to support colleagues in their schools with the moderation process.</li> </ol> <p>This CPDF day will ensure participants leave with renewed clarity and confidence to assess writing rigorously and consistently, ultimately supporting improved writing outcomes for all pupils.</p> <p>To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-writing-moderation">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-writing-moderation</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>This is a great opportunity to moderate work with colleagues outside of your school/ MAC/ MAT/CMAT</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<p><b><u>HT Support and Development Group – Day 4 of 5</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Delivering the Plan</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Clare Cheetham</u></b></p> <p><b>Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2026</b></p> <p>9:30am–12:30pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: Senior Leaders #HT</p>	<p>Day 4 of this 5 day course focuses on delivery. We will make final preparations to ensure you have prepared thoroughly for this stage. Is the setting ready? Have you considered barriers? Are staff on board? We will consider practical ideas to address these questions and you will leave the session fully equipped to deliver your Implementation Plan.</p> <p><b>Future dates for your diary:</b></p> <p>Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2026</p> <p>To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-4">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-4</a></p>
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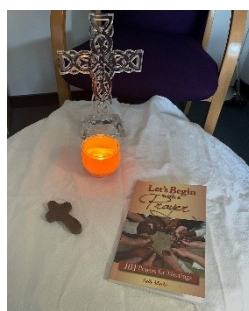
<b><u>SCIENCE</u></b>  <b><u>Science Leaders' Support and Development Group day 4 of 6</u></b>  <b><u>With Kate Redhead</u></b>  <b>Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2026</b>  2.00pm – 3.30pm  Zoom  For: Science Leaders	Half termly support sessions for your Science Leader  <b>Future dates for your diary:</b>  Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> April 2026 Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  To book: <a href="https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-4">https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-4</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>Get your science leaders booked on this. It's your way of developing and supporting middle leaders as they attend CPDF led by a nationally renowned science expert with colleagues from across the country.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>School Development Planning and demonstrating impact</u></b>  <b><u>Dr Bogusia Matusiak-Varley</u></b>  <b>Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2026</b>  9:00am-12:00pm  Zoom  For heads and deputies.	This session will include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tips for writing a SMART development plan</li> <li>• Ensuring alignment with subject action plans</li> <li>• Being clear as to the outcomes that you want</li> <li>• To see through the process of reverse engineering</li> <li>• Time scales</li> <li>• Changing direction</li> </ul> To Book: <a href="https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-sdp-planning">https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-sdp-planning</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>Bogusia knows her stuff. She will tell you how it is and tell you everything you need to know to achieve the very best. Get heads and deputies to attend this session together. We are giving you plenty of time to learn from it and then out it into action with next year's school development plan.</i>	
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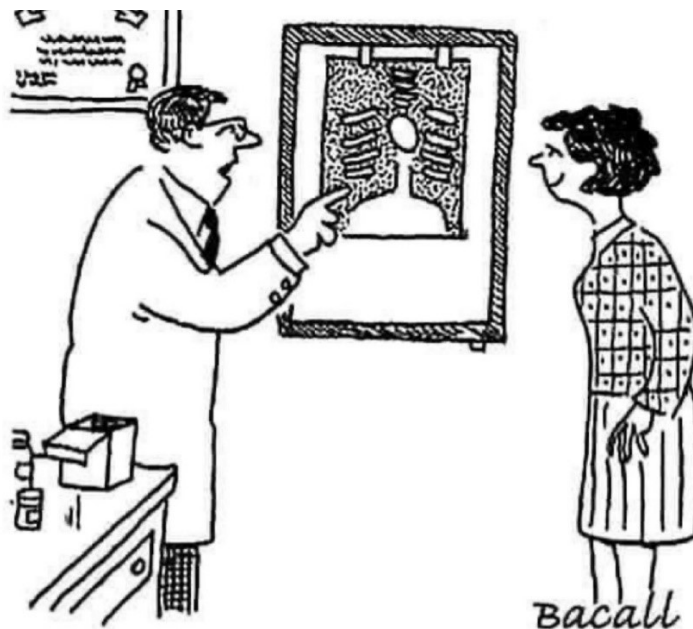
<p><b><u>ENGLISH</u></b></p> <p><b><u>English Leaders' Support and Development Group – Session 4 of 5</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Susie Spolander</u></b></p> <p><b>Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2026</b></p> <p>2:00pm–3:30pm Zoom</p> <p>For: English Leaders #ENGLISH #MIDDLELEADER</p>	<p>This series of half termly network meetings is aimed at providing updates and ensuring subject leaders have the latest information to support their strategic role in schools.</p> <p>Each meeting will have a different focus, planned in response to current research and priorities, and will also allow for time to share school developments and best practice, as well as to network with other English subject leaders.</p> <p><b>Future Dates for your diary:</b></p> <p>Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2026</p> <p>To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-4">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-4</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>Headteachers/ Principals are constantly telling me they need to support and develop middle leaders. This is an effortless way to start that. Book your English leader on this and ensure they have time to attend.</i></p> <p><i>This is ideal for both new and experienced leaders. Come and join us.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<p><b><u>SENDCO Support and Development Group - Session 2 of 3</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Matt McArthur</u></b></p> <p><b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2026</b></p> <p>1:30pm-5:30pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: SENDCOs, senior leader leaders who want to be more informed about SEN</p>	<p>This is an opportunity for SENDCOs to meet regularly for CPDF, networking, discussion and problem solving.</p> <p>This second session will focus on meeting the needs of children with <b>Communication and Interaction Needs</b>, through the distributed leadership of SEND.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identifying characteristics of Communication and Interaction Needs</li> <li>• Strategies to support children in mainstream with C&amp;I needs</li> <li>• Up-skilling teachers and teaching assistants to meet greater complexity of need</li> <li>• A responsive discussion about approaches, challenges and solutions</li> </ul> <p>SENDCOs will then develop their understanding of how the EEF implementation cycle supports effective strategic improvement over time in order to secure stronger outcomes for children with SEND, focussing particularly on the <b>Delivery</b> stage. They will explore how to support staff, monitor progress, solve problems, and adapt strategies as the new approaches they are introducing are used for the first time.</p> <p><b>Future dates:</b></p> <p>Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2026</p> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-2</a> </p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>Your SENDCO does an amazing job, invest in them further by booking them on these fantastic sessions. Make them leave site and be fully engaged in this high-quality sessions focused on supporting them to be the very best they can be.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<b><u>Headteachers Get together</u></b> <b><u>Face to face at Edgbaston Priory</u></b> <b><u>Tennis Club (Lunch included)</u></b> <b>Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2026</b> 9.00am – 1.00pm For: Headteachers/Principals #HT	An opportunity to network with other head teachers face to face and ensure that relationships are established and strengthened between Catholic school leaders. Including an Ofsted update. <b>Future dates for your diary:</b> <b>Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June and Friday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2026 -</b> Headteacher Residential To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-face2face-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-face2face-2</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>It is so important that you give yourself time to be with other headteachers. This is an investment in YOUR well-being. Please book on. Just like Loreal-you're worth it!</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



*"Your heart is slightly larger than the average human heart, but that's because you're a teacher."*

# Lenten Term CPDF at a glance

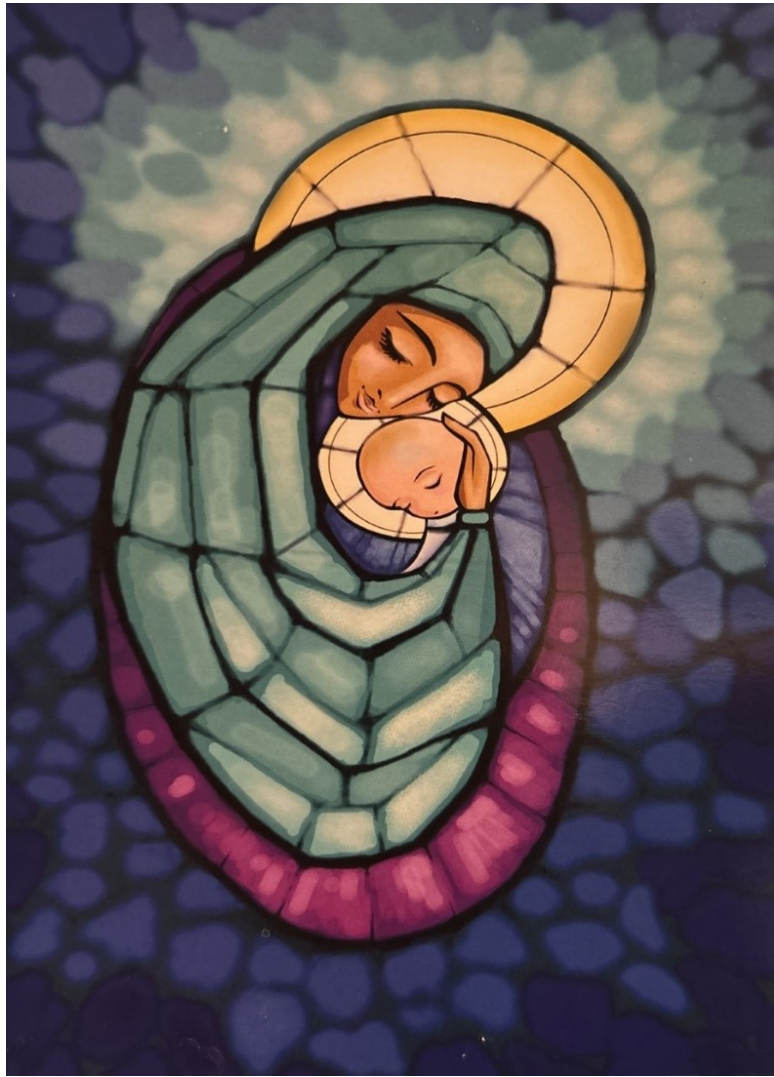
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## March 2026

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Staff Meeting – The Stress Proof Brain: Practical Tools for Wellbeing & Self-Care  With Hugo Metcalfe	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2026  3:45pm-4:45pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-staff-stress">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-staff-stress</a>
Interventions vs Outerventions  With Ruth Swailes	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> March 2026  1:00pm-3:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-interventions">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-interventions</a>
Writing Moderation  With Susie Spolander	Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> March 2026  Face to face All day	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-writing-moderation">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-writing-moderation</a>
HT Support and Development Group day 4 of 5  With Clare Cheetham	Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> March 2026  9:30am-12:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-4">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-4</a>
Science Leaders' Support and Development Group day 4 of 6  With Kate Redhead	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> March 2026  2:30pm-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-4">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-4</a>
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SENDSCO Support and Development Group  Session 2 of 3  With Matt McArthur	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> March 2026  Future dates: Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  Time 1:30pm-5:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-2">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-2</a>
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# Rosary Term



(Summer 1)

# ROSARY TERM

## (SUMMER 1)

### April 2026

#### **Learning in EYFS & KS1, Providing Effective Support**

**With: Rachel Wilks**

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2026**

1:00pm-3:00pm

Zoom

For: EYFS & KS1 TAs and support staff

In this session we will explore, how as teaching assistants and support assistants, we can best support the learning that takes place across the curriculum and in a variety of learning environments, in EYFS & KS1.

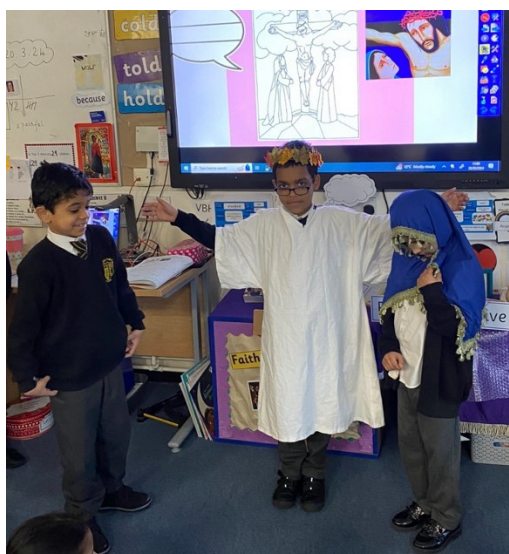
To Book: <https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-learning-eyfs-ks1>

#### **Director's note:**

*Another great session to support your brilliant TAs.*

#### **Staff to be booked on:**

#### **Cover arrangements in school:**



<p><b><u>Confidently Teach Music: Simple and Fun Strategies for Every Classroom Teacher</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With 'Sing Education'</u></b></p> <p><b>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2026</b></p> <p>1:30pm-3:00pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: Class teachers who would like to feel more confident delivering music lessons. Suitable for experienced teachers, ECTs and HLTAs.</p>	<p>Feel like music is a bit out of your comfort zone? You're not alone! This relaxed, practical course is perfect for any class teacher who wants to build confidence in leading music lessons-no matter what curriculum you're working with, be it your school's in-house program, Charanga, Kapow, or Sing Education.</p> <p>Over 1.5 hours, you'll learn simple but effective ways to bring music into your classroom, even if you don't consider yourself musical. Led by Sing Education, a trusted provider of music education for schools UK wide, we'll guide you through the basics-like pulse, rhythm, and pitch-and show you three easy ways to teach any song. Plus, you'll pick up our tried-and-tested song teaching steps that work with all age groups.</p> <p>This course is hands-on and designed to boost your confidence, giving you tools you can use right away. Whether you're an experienced teacher, an ECT, or a HLTA, this session will leave you feeling ready to make music an enjoyable and manageable part of your lessons.</p> <p>To Book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-teaching-music">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-teaching-music</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>Great support for those teachers who feel they need additional support with teaching music.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<p><b><u>PE Leaders' Support and Development Group – Session 3 of 3</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Dan Wilson</u></b></p> <p><b>Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2026</b></p> <p>1:30pm-3:00pm</p> <p>Zoom</p>	<p>This session will focus on high impact teaching strategies within Physical Education, exploring effective teaching and learning through different pedagogical models. They will also tailor support for Subject Leads with areas of development indicated to us in Session 1 &amp; 2.</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pe-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pe-support-group-3</a></p>
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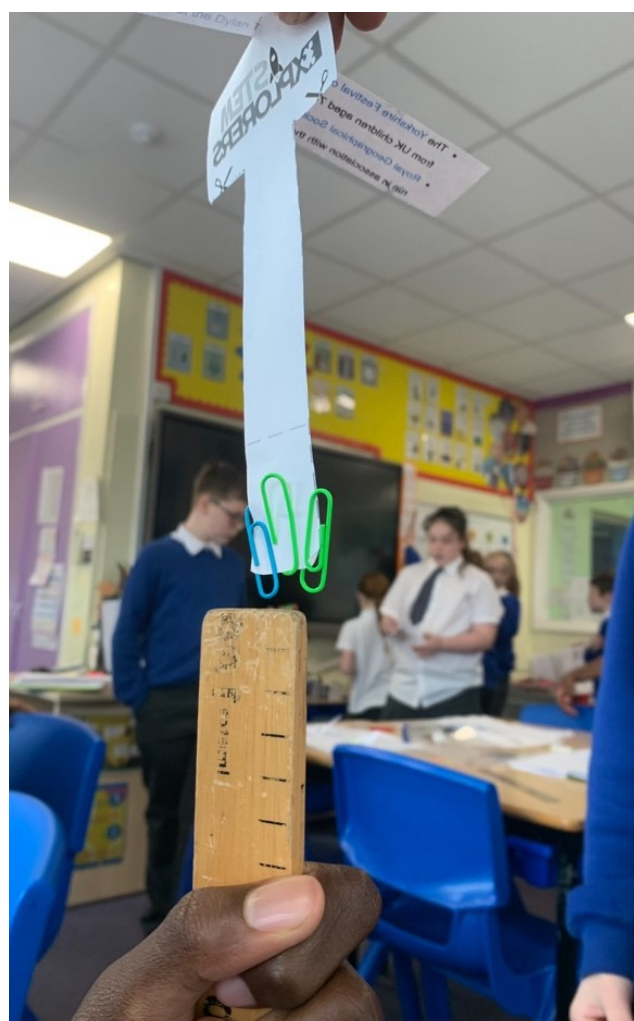
<b><u>SCIENCE</u></b>  <b><u>Science Leaders' Support and Development Group day 5 of 6</u></b>  <b><u>With Kate Redhead</u></b>  <b>Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2026</b>  2:00pm–3:30pm  Zoom  For: Science Leaders	Half termly support sessions for your Science Leader  <b>Future dates for your diary:</b>  Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  To book: <a href="https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-5">https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-5</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>Get your science leaders booked on this. It's your way of developing and supporting middle leaders as they attend CPDF led by a nationally renowned science expert with colleagues from across the country.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>Engaging Pupils in Play – session 3 of 3</u></b>  <b><u>With Helen Guest</u></b>  <b>Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2026</b>  10:30am-11:30am  Zoom  For: All staff who support pupils at lunchtimes.	Have you noticed that children's behaviour can become more challenging when they are bored or there is 'nothing to do'?  In this training session, we'll explore the huge benefits of engaging children in positive play - what that means, and how to do it.  We'll show you tried and tested techniques and give ideas on how anyone in your school can get children engaged in meaningful play and how that has a huge impact on reducing stress for everyone at Lunchtimes.  To Book: <a href="https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-pupils-in-play">https://www.bcphp.org.uk/events/25-pupils-in-play</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>Great support for your wonderful lunchtime team.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>Pathological Demand Avoidance (PDA) – Session 3 of 3</u></b>  <b><u>With Helen Guest</u></b>  <b>Tuesday 28th April 2026</b>  1:30pm-3:00pm  Zoom  For: Experienced class teachers, ECTs, HLTAs	Join us for one of our most requested short courses!  Pathological Demand Avoidance is a specific type of autism that we are increasingly seeing in our mainstream schools.  Discover why traditional techniques commonly used to support autistic pupils won't work for children with PDA, and what you can do instead to support all pupils to success.  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pda">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pda</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>So many staff have requested training with PDA – here it is.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b><u>MATHS</u></b>  <b><u>Maths Leaders' Support and Development Group – Session 3 of 3</u></b>  <b><u>With Nathan Crook</u></b>  <b>Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2026</b>  1:30pm-4:00pm  Zoom  For: Maths leaders #DHT #middleleaders #maths	The third termly meeting of three, which will provide thinking related to undertaking the role effectively, as well as national updates and themes that were previously reported by the group as being topical.  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-support-group-3</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b> <i>Feedback from last year has resulted in us running once termly, longer sessions, for maths leaders. This is what maths leaders said had maximum impact for their subject. Get them signed up. Get them to share updates with staff. Book it all in the diary now.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>

<b>HT Support and Development Group – Day 5 of 5 - Preparing to Embed</b>  <b>With Clare Cheetham</b>  <b>Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2026</b>  9:30am–12:30pm  Zoom  For: Senior Leaders #HT		
		Day 5: The final day of this 5 day course will provide an opportunity for you to evaluate your progress so far. What has your monitoring shown you about the effectiveness of implementation? Is there anything you need to change or revisit? Are you on track to achieve the long term outcomes set out in your plan?  You will leave the session with a clear understanding of how to approach the SUSTAIN stage of the implementation process.  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-5">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-5</a>
<b>Staff to be booked on:</b>		<b>Cover arrangements in school:</b>





# ROSARY TERM

## (SUMMER 1)

### May 2026

#### **EYFS leaders Support and Development Group - Session 3 of 3**

**With Ruth Swailes**

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

1:15pm-2:45pm

Zoom

For: EYFS leaders

These three sessions (one per long term) are an opportunity to keep up to date with the latest information from Ofsted and the DFE about Early Years. In the world of Education the only constant is change and keeping up with all the latest information can be a challenge. It's easy to miss things when you're busy in the classroom.

Ruth will ensure that everyone who attends has links to all the information they need to ensure that they're fully informed of the current thinking in Early Years and provide a safe, supportive space to ask any questions.

Come and be part of our community of practice!

To book:

<https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-support-group-3>

**Staff to be booked on:**

**Cover arrangements in school:**

#### **Headteachers Mass:**

#### **Celebrating 30 Years of the Catholic Primary Partnership**

**With Bishop Tim Menezes**

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

11:00am

Face to face: Newman University Chapel

For: Headteachers / Principals, past headteachers, CSEL's, CEOs

Headteachers and principals are invited to join the celebration of Holy Mass with past headteachers. With Bishop Tim Menezes and One Life Music.

During the Mass we will hold serving and past staff members in our thoughts and prayers and we will remember deceased headteachers. A welcome will be given to recently appointed headteachers within the Catholic Primary Partnership.

Following the Mass a light buffet will be served.

A great opportunity for past students to visit the wonderful refurbished Newman University Campus.

To book: <https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-mass>

#### **Director's note:**

*Invest in your own spiritual formation, take time out to join the celebration of Holy Mass and enjoy light refreshments afterwards with the opportunity to talk to past, present and new school leaders.*

**Staff to be booked on:**

**Cover arrangements in school:**

# Rosary Term

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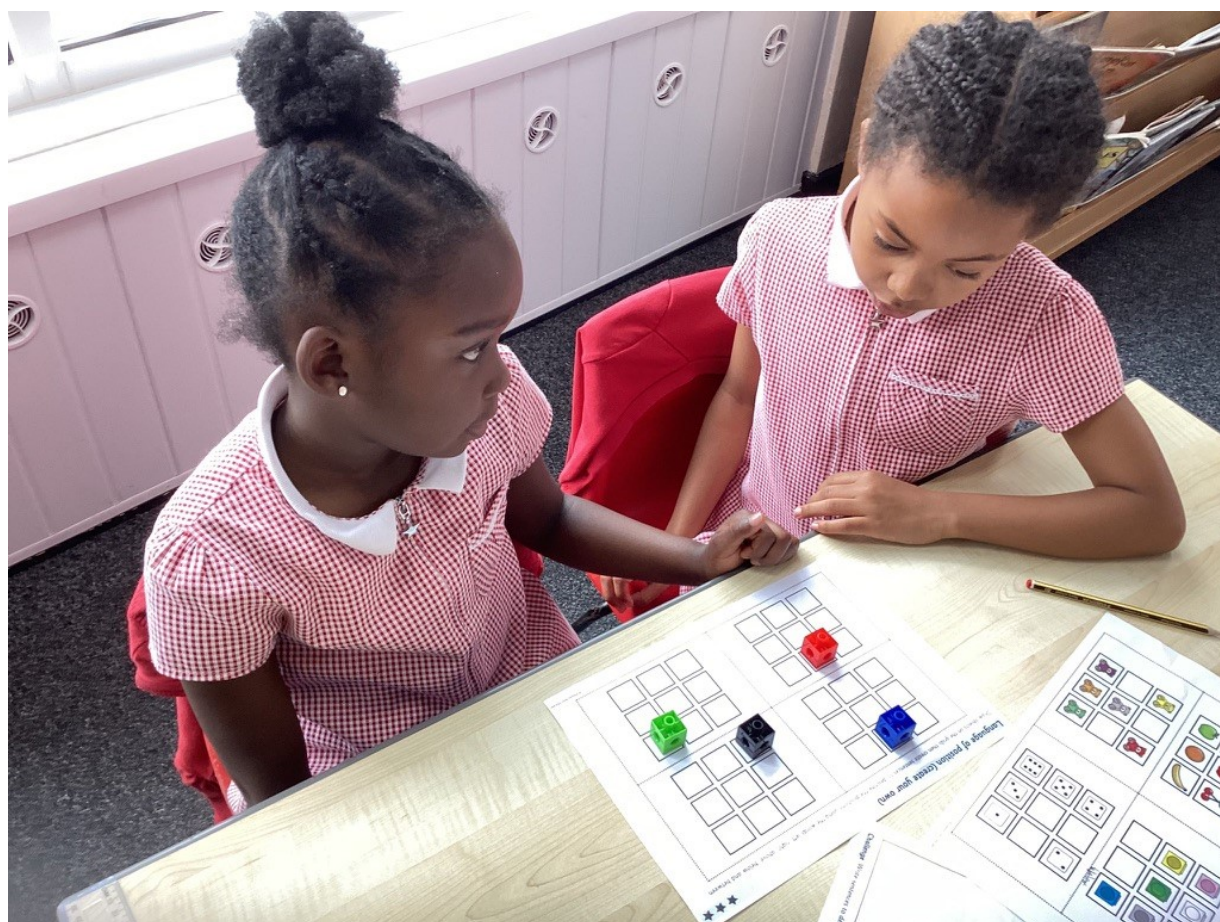
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## April 2026

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Learning in EYFS & KS1, Providing Effective Support  With Rachel Wilks	Monday 20th April 2026  1:00pm-3:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-learning-eyfs-ks1">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-learning-eyfs-ks1</a>
Confidently Teach Music: Simple and Fun Strategies for Every Classroom Teacher  With 'Sing Education'	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> April 2026  1:30pm-3:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-teaching-music">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-teaching-music</a>
PE Leaders' Support and Development Group  Dan Wilson From Beyond the Physical	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 2026  1:30pm-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pe-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pe-support-group-3</a>
Science Leaders' Support and Development Group day 5 of 6  With Kate Redhead	Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> April 2026  2:00pm-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-5">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-5</a>
Engaging Pupils in Play  With Helen Guest	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> April 2026  10:30am-11:30am	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pupils-in-play">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pupils-in-play</a>
Pathological Demand Avoidance (PDA)  With Helen Guest	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> April 2026  1:30pm-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pda">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pda</a>
Maths Leaders' Support and Development Group  With Nathan Crook	Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> April 2026  1:30pm-4:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-support-group-3</a>
HT Support and Development Group day 5 of 5  With Clare Cheetham	Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2026  9:30am-12:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-5">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-support-group-5</a>

# May 2026

Course title	Date	To book
EYFS Leader Support Group	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> May 2026 1:15pm-2:45pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-support-group-3</a>
With Ruth Swailes		
Mass to Celebrate 30 years of Catholic Primary Partnership	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> May 2026 11.00am – 2.00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-mass">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-mass</a>
At Newman University Chapel		



# Trinity Term



(Summer 2)

# TRINITY TERM

## (SUMMER 2)

### June 2026

#### **History - linking together the histories we teach**

**With Stuart Tiffany (Mr T does history)**

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2026**

9:00am-12:00pm

Zoom

For: History leaders, class teachers with a passion for history, new history leaders for next year.

During this session, Stuart will focus on how the units taught in primary history can be connected cohesively through:

- Careful sequencing which enables children to think narratively across units, year groups and phases.
- Understanding how their existing knowledge-base can be built upon by exploring new examples which reinforce a similar aspect of the past conceptually.

Alongside this, Stuart will promote the importance of challenging children who show a strong understanding of the past.

To Book:

<https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-history>

#### **Director's note:**

*A really great session for your history leaders. Sequencing is a key skill for historians and linking learning from year group to year group is central to what history leads do. Food for thought for your history leads.*

#### **Staff to be booked on:**

#### **Cover arrangements in school:**





<b><u>HT Residential</u></b>  <b>Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> and Friday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2026</b>  (Friday is for your own personal reflection)  Face to face at Lea Marston Hotel, Haunch Ln, Lea Marston, Sutton Coldfield B76 0BY  For: Headteachers and Principals	Get yourself booked on. This is a fabulous opportunity to spend time with other heads. You need this opportunity to be with other heads, to just 'be.' You can book your Deputy on for an additional charge. (Have a chat to Sarah if this is what you would like to do.)  Guest Speaker Helen Dos Santos from Horizon Coaching  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-residential">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-residential</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>Headteachers, this is for YOU! Get booked on. You need time away from school to think, to reflect, to decide on next steps. Book on today!</i>  <i>If you would like to book your DHT on with you, contact Sarah. There will be a charge for DHT's. We cannot guarantee DHT place availability. Get in quick.</i>  <i>NB: If you cancel a place within 2 weeks of the residential, you will be charged full price.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>





<b>DRB Leadership Briefing Day 3 of 3</b>  <b>With Andrew Pilmore</b>  <b>Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2026</b>  10:00am–12:30pm  Zoom  For: Senior Leaders #HT #DHT	Leadership briefings on all of the latest updates and associated weekly updates/support.  These are chargeable sessions, if you book on to one, we will book you onto all three at the reduced rate of £330.  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-3</a>
<b>Director's note:</b> <i>From personal experience, I found these briefings on the ball and up to date, they do the reading so you don't have to. Find out about Ofsted updates, policy changes, everything you need to know but don't have the time to research. A great time saver for busy leaders.</i>	
<b>Staff to be booked on:</b>	<b>Cover arrangements in school:</b>

<b>Provision in EYFS &amp; KS1 Getting it Right</b>  <b>With Rachel Wilks</b>  <b>Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2026</b>  1:00pm-3:00pm  Zoom  For: EYFS staff, Y1 staff and SLT who want to find out more about the use of effective provision for the purpose of transition	In this session, we will focus on how the EYFS and KS1 provision and environment changes and evolves, as the academic year progresses and as practitioners prepare the children to move on to the next phase.  The session will include information about, and a chance to reflect upon, the importance of planning the layout of our learning environment to align with the needs of the children. As well as concentrating on provision in the outdoor area, especially making use of your school's outdoor resources/areas.  To Book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-provision">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-provision</a>
<b>Director's note:</b> <i>Another great session responding to staff requests for support.</i>	
<b>Staff to be booked on:</b>	<b>Cover arrangements in school:</b>

<p><b><u>ENGLISH</u></b></p> <p><b><u>English Leaders' Support and Development Group – Session 5 of 5</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Susie Spolander</u></b></p> <p><b>Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2026</b></p> <p>2:00pm–3:30pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: English Leader</p> <p>#ENGLISH #MIDDLELEADERS</p>	<p>This series of half termly network meetings is aimed at providing updates and <b>ensuring subject leaders have the latest information to support their strategic role in schools.</b></p> <p>Each meeting will have a different focus, planned in response to current research and priorities, and will also allow for time to share school developments and best practice, as well as to network with other English subject leaders.</p> <p>Meetings will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• updates from Ofsted, DfE and STA</li> <li>• information from current research</li> <li>• details of relevant projects, events, and competitions</li> <li>• sharing of resources to support teaching and learning</li> <li>• information of relevant CPD opportunities</li> <li>• opportunities to share school developments and best practice</li> <li>• opportunities to network with other English Subject Leaders</li> </ul> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-5">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-5</a> </p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>Headteachers/ Principals are constantly telling me they need to support and develop middle leaders. This is an effortless way to start that. Book your English leader on this and ensure they have time to attend.</i></p> <p><i>English leaders- this is your uncomplicated way to hear the latest updates from an expert and liaise with other English leaders from across England. This is ideal for both new and experienced leaders. Come and join us.</i></p> <p><i>Susie is absolutely brilliant and the feedback from English leaders is overwhelmingly positive.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



**Computing Leaders’  
Support and Development  
Group - Session 3 of 3**

**Sharon Cufflin and Vikki  
Woodfield**

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

1:15pm-3:15pm

Teams

For computing leaders

This 2-hour session will look at the role of subject leadership and delivery of the computing curriculum, packed with the latest news and updates. It provides a fantastic networking opportunity to learn from your colleagues and share insights and best practice, as well as being guided by the trainers. This meeting is designed to support you in your role as an effective computing leader.

Topics may include:

Monitoring and evidencing computing, action planning, programming, AI, guidance, frameworks, tools and resources for technology and online safety

To Book:

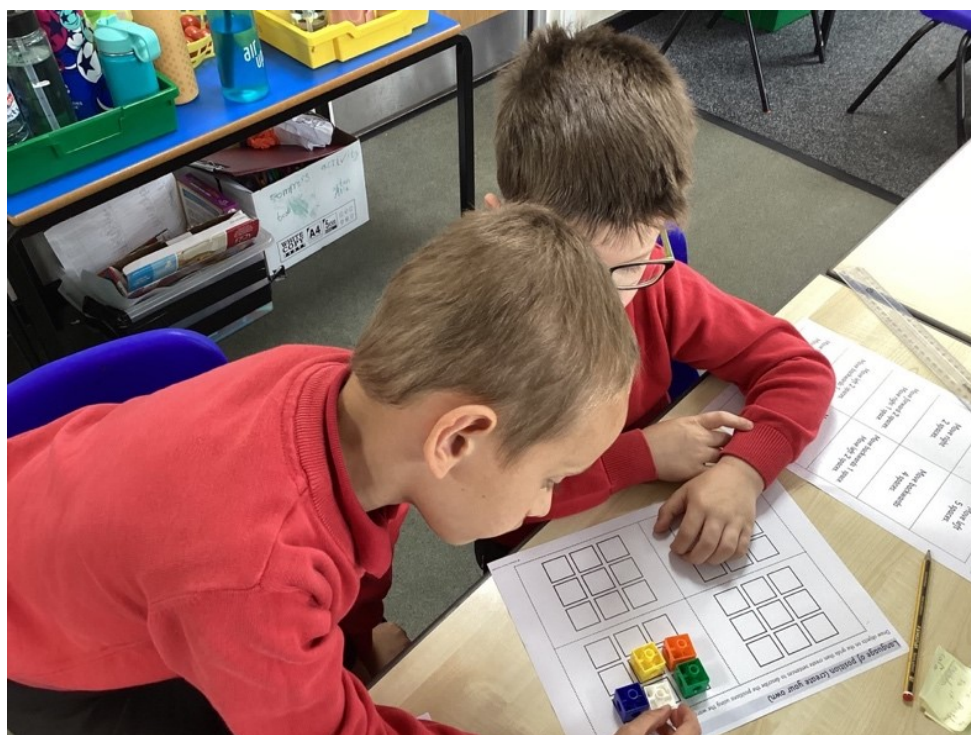
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**Director’s note:**

*These sessions are absolutely fabulous for experienced and new computing leaders. An opportunity to keep up to date with the latest information and share best practice.*

**Staff to be booked on:**

**Cover arrangements in school:**



<b><u>SCIENCE</u></b>  <b><u>Science Leaders' Support and Development Group - Session 6 of 6</u></b>  <b><u>With Kate Redhead</u></b>  <b>Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2026</b>  2.00pm–3.30pm  Zoom  For: Science Leaders	Half termly support sessions for your Science Leader  To book: <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-6">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-6</a>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>Get your science leaders booked on this. It's your way of developing and supporting middle leaders as they attend CPDF led by a nationally renowned science expert with colleagues from across the country.</i>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>





<p><b><u>How to easily identify your school development priorities and plan for improvement.</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Clare Cheetham</u></b></p> <p><b>Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2026</b></p> <p>9:30am-12:00pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: Headteachers</p>	<p>This short course is aimed at Executive Head Teachers, Head Teachers, Heads of School, Principals and Senior Leaders who are responsible for school improvement. It will provide practical advice and support around how to easily prioritise key areas for your School Development Plan using the principles set out in the EEF Implementation guidance. You will leave having identified at least one area for improvement, with clear next steps and criteria for success.</p> <p>To book:</p> <p>NB although this session can be attended on it's own, there is a direct follow on from this half-day session on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2025 – Face to Face all day which will support you and your team to write your School Development Plan</p> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-sdp-priorities">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-sdp-priorities</a> </p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>This is 100% one for heads and deputies to attend together. Then sit down on the face to face day and get that SDP written before the Summer hols!</i> </p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<p><b><u>SENDCO Support and Development Group - Session 3 of 3</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Matt McArthur</u></b></p> <p><b>Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2026</b></p> <p>1:30pm-5:30pm</p> <p>Zoom</p> <p>For: SENDCOs, senior leader leaders who want to be more informed about SEN</p>	<p>This is an opportunity for SENDCOs to meet regularly for CPLD, networking, discussion and problem solving.</p> <p>This session will focus on meeting the needs of children with <b>Cognition and Learning Needs</b>, through the distributed leadership of SEND.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identifying characteristics of Cognition and Learning Needs</li> <li>• Strategies to support children in mainstream with C&amp;L needs</li> <li>• Up-skilling teachers and teaching assistants to meet greater complexity of need</li> <li>• A responsive discussion about approaches, challenges and solutions</li> </ul> <p>SENDCOs will then develop their understanding of how the EEF implementation cycle supports effective strategic improvement over time. This will secure stronger outcomes for children with SEND, focussing particularly on the <b>Sustaining</b> stage. They will explore how to sustain and scale up approaches that are being introduced from the outset, and to continuously acknowledge and nurture the use of them across the school.</p> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-3</a></p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>Your SENDCO does an amazing job, invest in them further by booking them on these fantastic sessions. Make them leave site and be fully engaged in this high-quality sessions focused on supporting them to be the very best they can be.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>





<p><b><u>Writing the School Development Plan</u></b></p> <p><b><u>With Clare Cheetham</u></b></p> <p><b>Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2026</b></p> <p>9:30am-3:30pm</p> <p>Face to Face at Priory Tennis Club, Sir Harry's Road, Birmingham B15 2UZ</p> <p>For: Headteachers and deputies together</p>	<p>This full day session is aimed at Executive Head Teachers, Head Teachers, Heads of School, Principals and Senior Leaders who are responsible for school improvement. It will provide practical advice and support around how to easily write your School Development Plan using the principles set out in the EEF Implementation guidance. The morning session will guide you through how to plan for one key area of improvement, while in the afternoon, you will have the opportunity to "have a go" by yourself, or alongside your SLT. You will leave with a well-structured improvement plan, which identifies clear next steps and criteria for success.</p> <p>NB This is a direct follow on from the half-day session <i>"How to easily identify your school development priorities and plan for improvement."</i></p> <p>In addition, there will be a pre-session task to complete, which will be sent over a few weeks prior to the session.</p> <p>To book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-sdp-writing">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-sdp-writing</a> </p>
<p><b><u>Director's note:</u></b></p> <p><i>You deserve a summer holiday and your team deserve a well-planned SDP presented to them before you break up, or at the very least on the first day back. Save your Summer hols- you and your deputy attend today and get that SDP written.</i></p>	
<b><u>Staff to be booked on:</u></b>	<b><u>Cover arrangements in school:</u></b>



<b><u>Maths Moderation</u></b> <b><u>With Helen Owens</u></b> <b>Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2026</b>  9:00am-3:00pm  Priory Tennis Club, Sir Harry's Road Birmingham  For: Maths Leaders	<p>To support staff to develop a shared understanding of national standards for maths across Key Stages 1 and 2.</p> <p>To ensure consistency in teacher judgements through collaborative moderation of pupil work.</p> <p>To empower participants to embed rigorous and supportive moderation processes in their schools.</p> <p>This Full day will empower teachers and leaders to confidently assess maths attainment, driving consistency and supporting pupil progress across Key Stages 1 and 2.</p> <p>To Book:  <a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-moderation">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-moderation</a> </p>
<b><u>Director's note:</u></b>  <i>Attendees at this session always feedback the same thing; today was absolutely brilliant- why don't more people attend? This is such a fabulous opportunity for your maths leaders, we know it's June, but they still need support. Please get your maths leader booked on!</i>	
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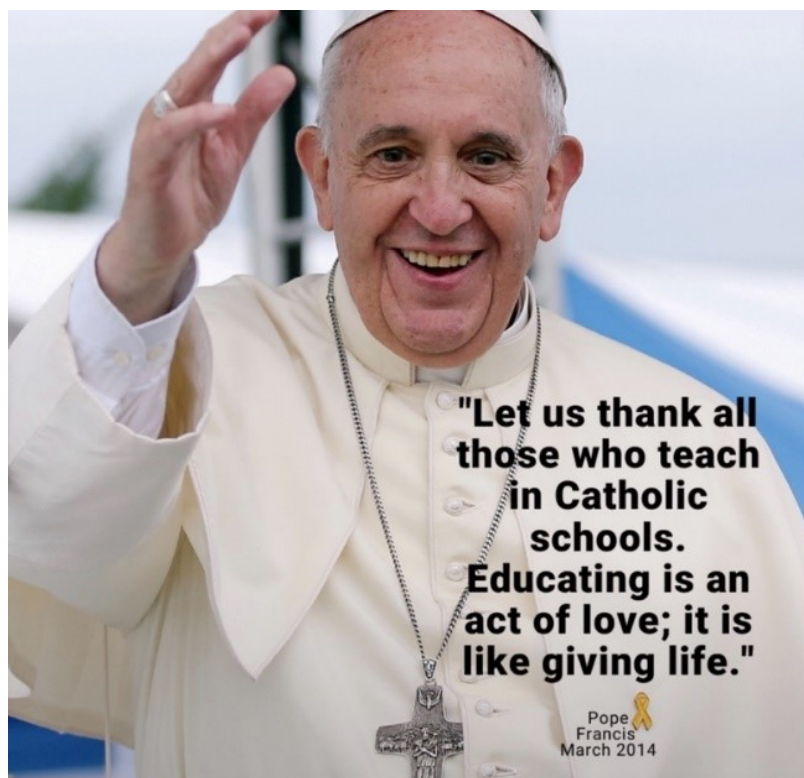
## June 2026

Course title	Date	To book
History- linking together the histories we teach  With Stuart Tiffany (Mr T does history)	Thursday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2026  9:00am-12:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-history">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-history</a>
Headteacher Residential  Lea Marston Hotel	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> and Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 Full Day	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-residential">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-residential</a>
DRB Leadership Briefing – Session 3 of 3  With Andrew Pilmore	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  10:00am-12:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-briefing-3</a>
Provision in EYFS & KS1 Getting it Right  With Rachel Wilkes	Tuesday, 9 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  1:00pm-3:00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-provision">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-eyfs-provision</a>
English Leaders' Support and Development Group – Session 5 of 5  With Susie Spolander	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  2:00pm-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-5">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-english-support-group-5</a>
Computing Leaders' Support and Development Group – Session 3 of 3  With Sharon Cufflin and Vikki Woodfield	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  1:15pm-3:15pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-computing-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-computing-support-group-3</a>
Science Leaders' Support and Development Group day 6 of 6  With Kate Redhead	Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  2:00pm-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-6">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-science-support-group-6</a>
Identifying School Development Priorities  With Clare Cheetham	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  9:30am-12.00pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-sdp-priorities">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-sdp-priorities</a>
SENDCO Support and Development Group - Session 3 of 3  With Matt McArthur	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2026  1:30pm-5:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-3">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-senco-support-group-3</a>

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Writing the School Development Plan Clare Cheetham	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 2026 9:30am-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-sdp-writing">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-sdp-writing</a>
Maths Moderation With Helen Owens	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> July 2026 9:00am-3:30pm	<a href="https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-moderation">https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-maths-moderation</a>

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- One-form entry schools get one free place on every course. Two-form entry schools get two free places on every course. Three-form entry schools get three places on every course.
- Additional places can be purchased. £25 for online and £40 for face-to-face.
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- Failure to attend a pre-booked place will incur a charge. (£40 for a Zoom course and £60 for a Face-to-Face course.)
- Failure to attend residential or cancellation less than 2 weeks before will result in full charge.
- Cancellation of a place must take place 5 working days before session or charge incurred.
- Zoom links will be sent to delegates in advance of CPDF, please do a tech check before the day and contact us if any issues.
- **Please ensure your computer has a working camera AND a working microphone.**
- Places to be booked via the website. Any problems, questions, queries  
Email [s.cope@newman.ac.uk](mailto:s.cope@newman.ac.uk).
- Not turning your camera on (when we know you have one) is just rude. There, we said it.  
**Please be fully present and attentive in sessions.**

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