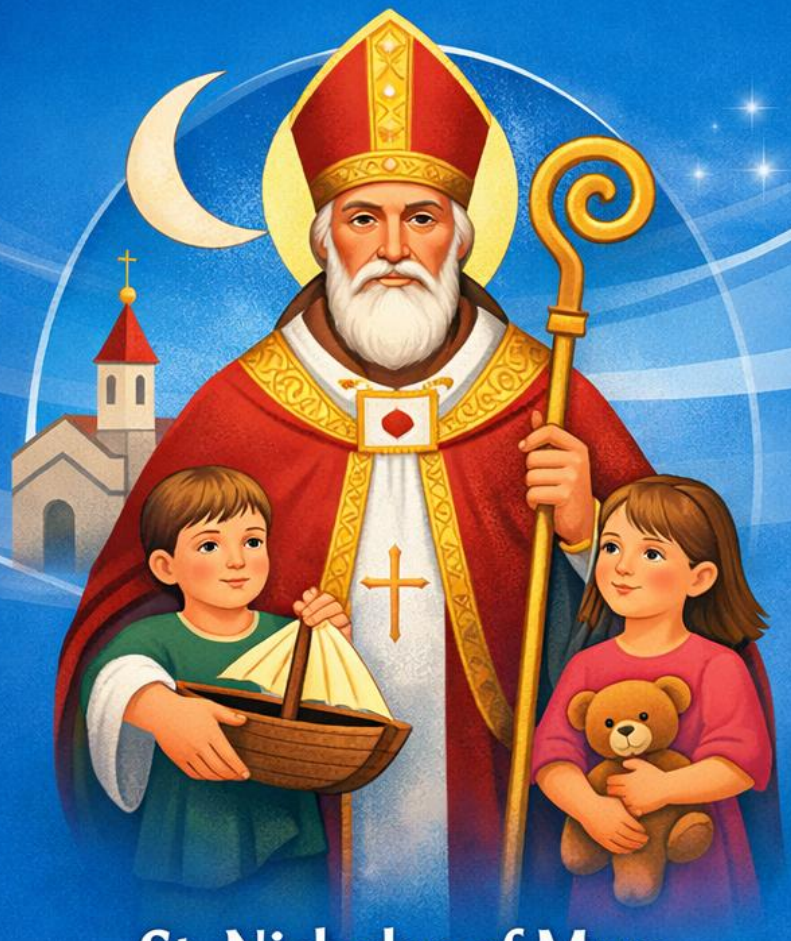
Catholic Primary Partnership

EYFS CPDF 2026-2027



St. Nicholas of Myra

Patron Saint of Children and Preschool

Many schools – One family

Dear EYFS Leaders,

We are delighted to continue supporting you through our high-quality Continuous Professional Development and Formation (CPDF) programme, designed specifically for EYFS Leaders serving in our Catholic primary schools.

We recognise the immense demands placed upon you in leading early years provision across your school. We truly appreciate the unique pressures you face and the vital importance of the work you do. As EYFS Leaders, you genuinely set the foundations for all future learning, shaping young lives at their most formative stage. Your role is invaluable, and we are here to support you with the latest guidance, research, and practical strategies.

Our CPDF programme has been thoughtfully crafted to nurture your professional growth and personal formation, helping you flourish into the person God has called you to be. We believe that investing in your development will not only enrich your practice but will also inspire and positively impact the children, families, and colleagues you serve with such dedication.

This programme represents our commitment to you: to walk alongside you, to resource you well, and to support you in living out your vocation within Catholic education.

Being inspection ready

We understand the pressures you face in meeting Ofsted requirements, which is why we're committed to helping you protect valuable time for professional learning that genuinely makes a difference. Our approach ensures every member of your team can develop and thrive in their role.

Everything we offer is carefully designed around what you've told us you need. After every session, we listen to your feedback and shape our provision accordingly, ensuring it remains relevant and responsive to the real challenges you're facing in your schools.

You'll be learning from practitioners who are experts in their field, and all our training is grounded in robust evidence and proven practice. Our leadership support and development groups go beyond theory – they provide structured opportunities for you to apply new approaches in your own context, embed effective practice, and share insights with fellow professionals from our network of over 150 schools across the country.

Shaping Our Programme Together

Your insights and feedback are essential in developing our CPDF offering for the year ahead. We would welcome your input on:

- **Returning favourites**: if there's a speaker or facilitator you've valued in previous years who isn't currently featured, please let us know and we'll endeavour to invite them back.
- **New voices**: if you've encountered an exceptional speaker or facilitator, whether UK-based or international, we'd be delighted to receive their details and will make every effort to secure them for our programme.

Enhancing Collaborative Practice

For EYFS Leaders working within MACs, MATs, CMATs or other collaborative partnerships, we recognise the value of connecting with colleagues who share your context.

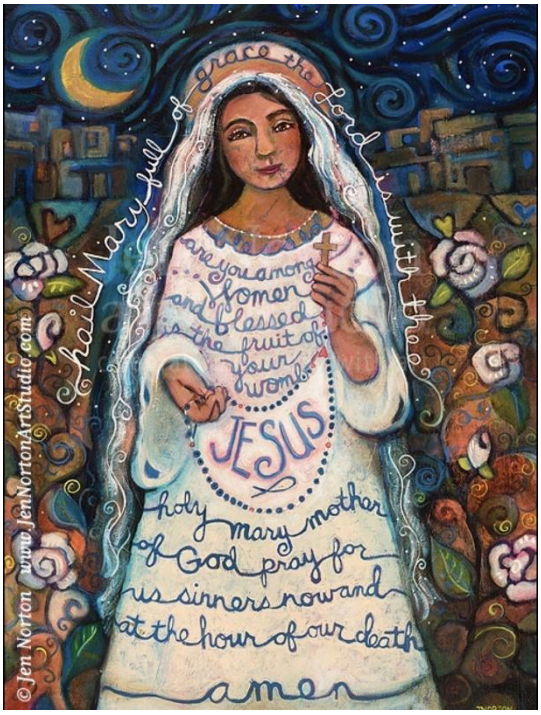
We are happy to facilitate dedicated EYFS Leader partnership meetings immediately following our Support and Development Group sessions, providing a valuable opportunity for peer collaboration and shared learning. Simply contact us with your requirements, and we will work with you to arrange this.

Our Vision

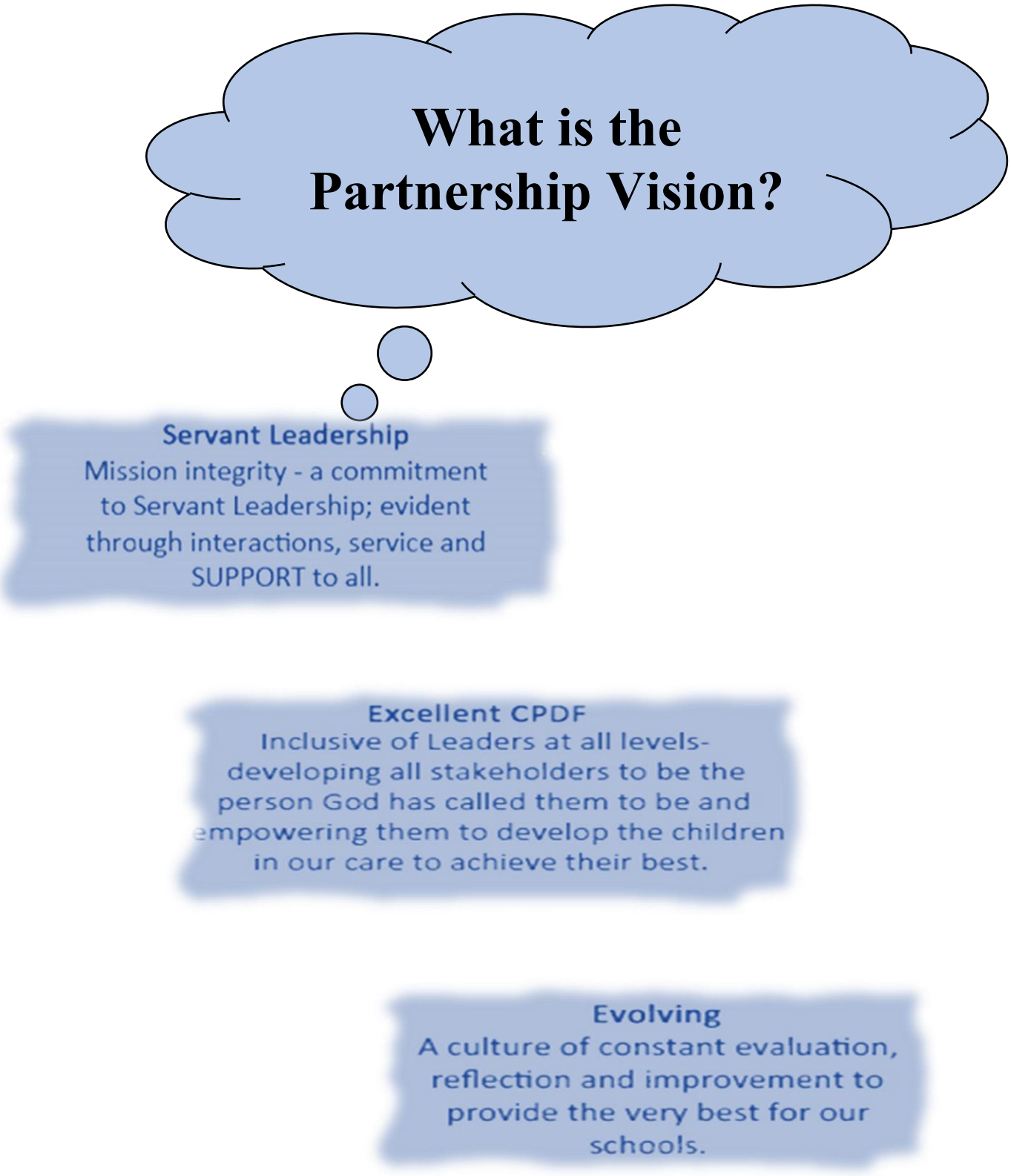
Our vision guides everything we do. We believe in it, review it, live it, and report it to our Management Board. This is our way of ensuring we deliver the very best for you and your school communities. Your feedback helps us refine this mission, so please do share your thoughts.

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.



Saint Nicholas of Myra,
faithful servant of God and
protector of children,
you showed Christ's love through
generosity, courage, and care
for the vulnerable.

Intercede for us today, especially for
the children and families entrusted
to our schools.
Guide those who teach and
nurture young hearts, that they may
reflect patience, wisdom, and
compassion in all they do.

Help us to build communities rooted in faith,
hope, and love, where every child is known,
valued, and encouraged to flourish.

Through your prayers,
may we grow together as one
family in Christ.

Amen.

Marian Term

(Autumn 1)

MARIAN TERM
(AUTUMN 1)

September 2026

Oracy - Day 1 of 3 **Introduction to Oracy** **With Jo Upton** **Thursday 17th September 2026** 9:30am–12:30pm Zoom For: Headteachers, Principals, Deputy headteachers, Assistant headteachers, English leaders, staff with a passion for promoting oracy in school.	**Day 1 of 3** This session is designed to provide an introduction to Oracy for leaders, including Senior Leaders, English Subject Leaders and Oracy Champions. The session will cover key aspects of Oracy, focusing on the following questions: · What is Oracy? · Why is Oracy important? · What is the position of Oracy in the National Curriculum? · What are the next steps to develop Oracy in your school? We will explore the core principles of Oracy and the latest research findings into the impact improved Oracy standards can have across the curriculum. We will consider priority actions and next steps to support Oracy development in your school, focusing on the two key aspects of Oracy – 'learning through talk' and 'learning to talk'. **Future dates for your diary** **Tuesday 10th November 2026 – 9:30am – 12:30pm** **Thursday 21st January 2027 – 9:30am – 12:30pm** To Book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-oracy-1

Director's note:
You asked, we listened!

Oracy support was YOUR top request in last year's evaluations—and we've delivered!
This is it: Day 1 of 3 in our comprehensive oracy training programme.
Don't miss this opportunity to get someone from your school fully trained and ready to champion oracy across your entire team. Imagine having an in-house expert who can drive oracy excellence in every classroom!

Staff to be booked on:	**Cover arrangements in school:**

Meeting the needs of the Unique child **With Ruth Swailes** **Monday 28th September 2026** 1:15pm-2:45pm Zoom For: School leaders, teachers and SENDCOs	In this session Ruth will explore how we can adapt the curriculum to meet the needs of unique children and find the balance between the school curriculum and following our children's interests. To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-unique-child
Director's note: *Ruth is consistently highly valued by our EYFS delegates. Her sessions are exceptional.*	
Staff to be booked on:	***Cover arrangements in school:***

Look inside Behaviour 360 **With Sarah Currigan** **Wednesday 30th September 2026** 9:30am-10:15am Zoom For: Headteachers, MAT leaders, Deputy Heads and SENDCOs	Leaders! **Your team can't improve learning outcomes if they're constantly firefighting behaviour**... here's how to break the cycle. If your staff are working hard to meet the needs of the increasing number of pupils with SEMH and behaviour needs, they're going to need to access to high quality, easy to digest training with actionable strategies that anyone can learn to use straight away. Introducing Beacon Behaviour 360 - an online platform of done-for-you training, tools, and searchable strategies for staff, supervisors and parents. Join Sarah Currigan for a FREE 40 min virtual tour of the resources - to see if they are a good fit for your school. To Book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-behaviour-360
Director's note: *If you like what Sarah and her team do, this is your chance to find out more about how they can support your school.*	
Staff to be booked on: Headteachers, Senior Leaders	**Cover arrangements in school:**

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October 2026

EYFS **Understanding your subject in the EYFS Curriculum** **Day 1 of 3** **With Ruth Swailes** **Monday 5th October 2026** 4:00pm-5:00pm Zoom For: All Subject Leaders	These twilights are designed to support non EYFS specialists to understand what their subject looks like in the EYFS classroom. Ruth will provide information on the statutory requirements of the EYFS so that leaders can ensure their curriculum is compliant, in addition to exploring best practice and supporting leaders to identify strengths and areas for development. There are two twilight training sessions, followed by a "drop in" session to allow delegates to ask questions. **Future Dates for your diary:** Monday 19th October 2026 Tuesday 10th November 2026 To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-curriculum-1

Director's note:

We've heard you! Middle leaders have told us they need more EYFS expertise, while EYFS colleagues have highlighted that subject leaders would benefit from understanding the early years foundation. We're thrilled to bring you sessions with the brilliant Ruth, designed to address both these needs and strengthen leadership across your school.
Book your place today.

Staff to be booked on:	**Cover arrangements in school:**

EYFS **Understanding your subject in the EYFS Curriculum** **Day 2 of 3** **With Ruth Swailes** **Monday 19th October 2026** 4:00pm-5:00pm Zoom For: All Subject Leaders	These twilights are designed to support non EYFS specialists to understand what their subject looks like in the EYFS classroom. Ruth will provide information on the statutory requirements of the EYFS so that leaders can ensure their curriculum is compliant, in addition to exploring best practice and supporting leaders to identify strengths and areas for development. There are two twilight training sessions, followed by a "drop in" session to allow delegates to ask questions. **Future Dates for your diary:** Tuesday 10th November 2026 To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-curriculum-2

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Marian Term CPDF at a glance

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September 2026

Course title	Date	To book
KCSIE Update With Ollie Welsby	Tuesday 1st September 2026 11:30am – 12:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-kcsie-update
Safeguarding Compliance With Ollie Welsby	Wednesday 9th September 2026 9:30am – 12:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-safeguarding-compliance
Welcome the Stranger 1 of 5 With James Trewby and Steph Neville	Monday 14th September 2026 1:00pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-welcome-stranger-1
New to DSL day 1 of 2 With Ollie Welsby	Tuesday 15th September 2026 9:00am – 4:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-new-dsl-1
Introduction to Oracy day 1 of 3 With Jo Upton	Thursday 17th September 2026 9:30am – 12:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-oracy-1
Science Leaders Day 1 of 6 With Dr Kate Redhead	Thursday 17th September 2026 2:00pm – 3:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-science-support-group-1
Welcome the Stranger 2 of 5 With James Trewby and Steph Neville	Monday 21st September 2026 1:00pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-welcome-stranger-1
Lunchtime Supervisors Oracy With Jo Upton	Tuesday 22nd September 2026 10:45am – 11:45am	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-oracy-lunchtime
SENDCO Support Group - Day 1 of 6 With Alex Hough	Thursday 24th September 2026 2:00pm – 4:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-sendco-support-group-1
Governors KCSIE Update With Ollie Welsby	Thursday 24th September 2026 6:00pm – 7:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-gov-kcsie
Inclusive Attendance With Wayne Harris	Friday 25th September 2026 9:30am – 12:30pm	Email Sarah Cope s.cope@newman.ac.uk
Meeting the needs of the Unique Child With Ruth Swailes	Monday 28th September 2026 1:15pm – 2:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-unique-child
New to DSL day 2 of 2/DSL Refresher With Ollie Welsby	Tuesday 29th September 2026 9:00am – 4:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-dsl-refresher
Look inside Behaviour 360 With Sarah Currigan	Wednesday 30th September 2026 9:30am – 10:30am	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-behaviour-360

October 2026

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Welcome the Stranger 3 of 5 With James Trewby and Steph Neville	Thursday 1st October 2026 10:00am – 2:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-welcome-stranger-1
Trauma Training for Headteachers Nick Whitehouse	Monday 5th October 2026 9:45am – 10:45am	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-trauma-awareness
Computing Leaders Group Day 1 of 3 With Sharon Cufflin and Vikki Woodfield	Monday 5th October 2026 1:15pm – 3:15pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-computing-support-group-1
Understanding your subject in the EYFS Curriculum . Day 1 of 3 With Ruth Swailes	Monday 5th October 2026 4:00pm-5:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-curriculum-1
Welcome the Stranger 4 of 5 Residential With James Trewby and Steph Neville	Tuesday 6th to Thursday 8th October 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-welcome-stranger-1
How to upskill all of your adults to understand and support pupils with SEMH needs With Emma Shackleton	Tuesday 6th October 2026 10:00am – 11:30am	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-upskill-semh
Maths Leaders Support Group Day 1 of 3 With Nathan Crook	Thursday 8th October 2026 9:30am – 12:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-maths-support-group-1
English Leaders Support Group Day 1 of 5 With Susie Spolander	Monday 12th October 2026 1:30pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-english-support-group-1
Lunchtime Superheroes Day 1 of 2 With Thérèse Hoyle	Tuesday 13th October 2026 10:30am – 11:30am	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-lunchtime-superhero-1
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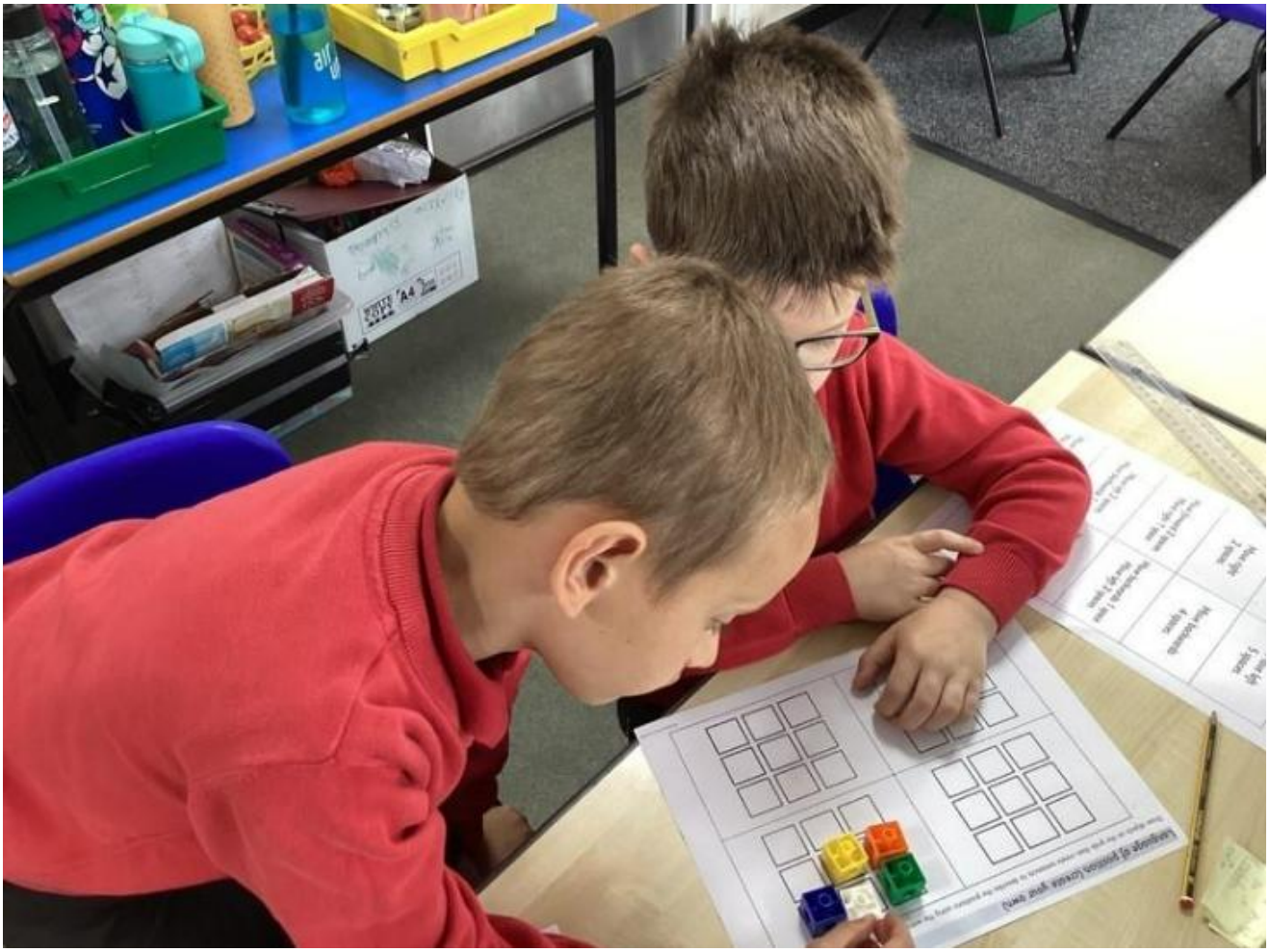
Understanding your subject in the EYFS Curriculum . Day 2 of 3 With Ruth Swailes	Monday 19th October 2026 4:00pm-5:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-curriculum-2
Safer Recruitment Training Needs to be renewed every 2 years	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-safer-recruitment

Asbestos Awareness Training Needs to be renewed every 12 months	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-asbestos-awareness
DSL Refresher Training Needs to be renewed Every 2 years	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-dsl-level3
COSHH Training Needs to be renewed every 12 months	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-hazardous-substances
Paediatric First Aid Needs to be updated every 3 years	Contact Sarah s.cope@newman.ac.uk For more information	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-paediatric-first-aid



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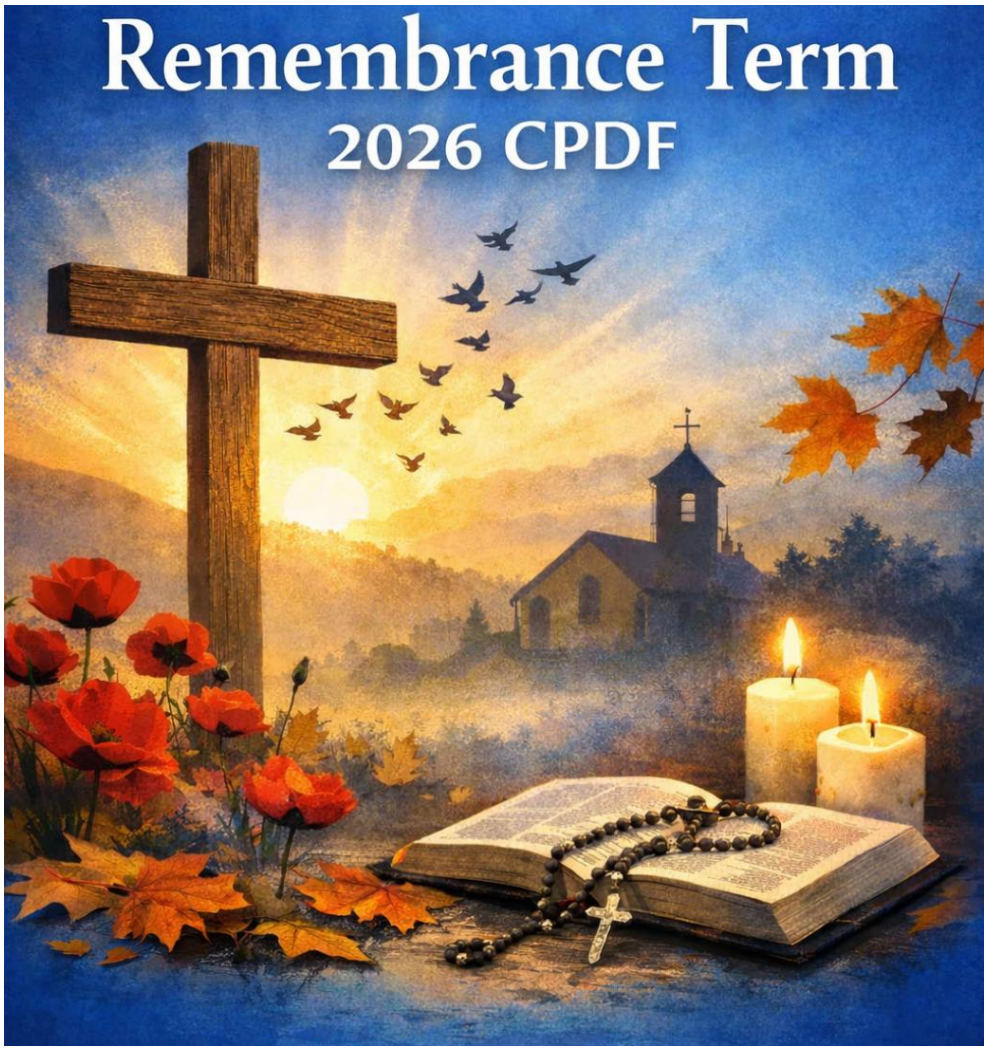

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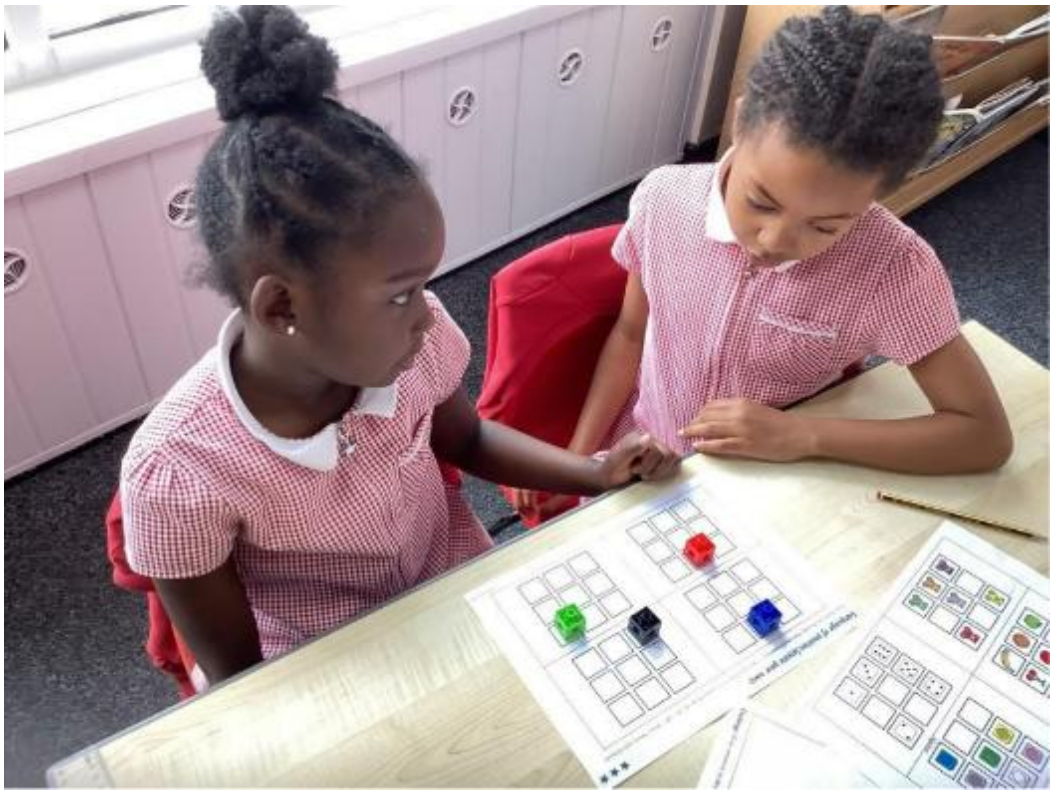
November 2026

EYFS leaders' Support and Development Group Day 1 of 3 **With Ruth Swailes** **Monday 2nd November 2026** 1:15pm-2:45pm Zoom For: EYFS leaders	These networks provide an opportunity for leaders to keep abreast of current developments in the EYFS and allow them to reflect on what changes they might need to make to ensure they remain fully compliant with statutory changes as well as fully aware of developments from the DFE and Ofsted. **Future dates for your diary:** **Tuesday 2nd March 2027** **Monday 28th June 2027** To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-support-group-1
Director's note: *With EYFS under particular scrutiny currently, this session offers valuable, targeted support to empower your EYFS leader*	
Staff to be booked on:	***Cover arrangements in school:***

Oracy – Day 2 of 3 **Learning through Talk** **With Jo Upton** **Tuesday 10th November 2026** 9:30am–12:30pm Zoom For: Headteachers, Principals, Deputy headteachers, Assistant headteachers, English leaders, staff with a passion for promoting oracy in school.	The session will look closely at Exploratory Talk or 'Learning through Talk' and will explore practical strategies and techniques for developing this essential aspect of Oracy across your school in day-to-day classroom practice. The session will focus on the following questions: · What is Exploratory Talk? · What do confident speakers sound like? · What do good listeners do? · What strategies can we implement to develop children's learning through talk across the school? We will consider priority actions and next steps to support the development of Oracy – 'learning through talk' – in your school. **Future dates for your diary:** **Thursday 21st January 2027** To Book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-oracy-2
Director's note: *We've listened! After many requests, here's the oracy CPDF you asked for.*	
Staff to be booked on:	***Cover arrangements in school:***



EYFS **Understanding your subject in the EYFS Curriculum - Day 3 of 3** **With Ruth Swailes** **Tuesday 10th November 2026** 4:00pm-5:00pm Zoom For: All Subject Leaders	These twilights are designed to support non EYFS specialists to understand what their subject looks like in the EYFS classroom. Ruth will provide information on the statutory requirements of the EYFS so that leaders can ensure their curriculum is compliant, in addition to exploring best practice and supporting leaders to identify strengths and areas for development. There are two twilight training sessions, followed by a "drop in" session to allow delegates to ask questions. To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-curriculum-3
Staff to be booked on:	**Cover arrangements in school:**

Creating Equity in the Maths Classroom: Supporting Pupils with SEND **With Joe Burbank** **Tuesday 17th November 2026** 1:00pm-3:00pm Zoom For: Maths Leaders	This session explores practical strategies for making mathematics accessible and meaningful for all learners, with a focus on pupils with SEND. Drawing on the NCETM's Teaching for Mastery principles and the latest EEF guidance, we'll examine how to adapt representations, structure learning, and use language purposefully to reduce barriers and promote deep mathematical understanding. Participants will leave with actionable approaches to create more equitable, inclusive maths classrooms. To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-maths-send
Director's note: *Schools face growing demands to address diverse mathematical needs. This session empowers your maths leader with the expertise to guide and strengthen their team's practice*	
Staff to be booked on:	**Cover arrangements in school:**

How to teach pupils to manage big emotions **With Emma Shackleton** **Monday 30th November 2026** 1:30pm-3:00pm Zoom For: Headteachers, MAT leaders, Deputy Heads and SENDCOs	When pupils are dysregulated it's impossible for them to learn! As the number of pupils who are struggling with behaviour and SEMH needs rises in our schools, we need to move towards a model where **every adult is equipped to support the children by teaching emotional regulation skills**. In this session, Emma Shackleton will guide you through the science behind what happens in brains and bodies when pupils become dysregulated and give practical strategies on what the adults can do to support, as well as some tips on how to avoid accidentally making the situation worse! To Book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-pupils-big-emotions
Director's note: *If Emma and her team's approach resonate with you, join this session to explore how they can share their expertise and build capacity within your own team.*	
Staff to be booked on:	**Cover arrangements in school:**

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CPDF at a glance

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EYFS leaders' Support and Development Group Day 1 of 3 With Ruth Swailes	Monday 2nd November 2026 1:15pm - 2:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-support-group-1
Lunchtime Superheroes Day 2 of 2 With Thérèse Hoyle	Tuesday 3rd November 2026 10:30am – 11:30am	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-lunchtime-superhero-2
PE Leaders Support Group With Dan Wilson	Thursday 5th November 2026 1:30pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-pe-support-group-1
Trauma Training Staff Meeting With Nick Whitehouse	Thursday 5th November 2026 4:00pm – 5:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-staff-trauma-awareness
DRB Leadership Briefings 1 of 3 With Andrew Pilmore	Monday 9th November 2026 10:00am – 12:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-drb-briefing-1
Oracy day 2 of 3 With Jo Upton	Tuesday 10th November 2026 9:30am – 12:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-oracy-2
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Creating Equity in the Maths Classroom: Supporting Pupils with SEND With Joe Burbank	Tuesday 17th November 2026 1:00pm-3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-maths-send

Top Tips for Pupil Premium: A Catholic School Leader's Perspective With Andrew Bull	Wednesday 18th November 2026 9:30am-11:00am	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-pupil-premium-tips
Supporting Governors understanding of how to prepare properly for meetings With Roland Roberts	Thursday 19th November 2026 6:00pm – 7:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-gov-meetings
SENDCO Support Group - Day 2 of 6 With Alex Hough	Tuesday 24th November 2026 2:00pm – 4:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-sendco-support-group-2
Headteacher's Get together Face-to-Face at the Edgbaston Priory Club	Friday 27th November 2026 9:00am – 1:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-head-get-together-1
How to teach pupils to manage big emotions With Emma Shackleton	Monday 30th November 2026 1:30pm-3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-pupils-big-emotions

December 2026

Course title	Date	To book
English Leaders Support Group 2 of 5 With Susie Spolander	Thursday 3rd December 2026 1:30pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-english-support-group-2
Safer Recruitment Training Needs to be renewed every 2 years	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-safer-recruitment
Asbestos Awareness Training Needs to be renewed every 12 months	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-asbestos-awareness
DSL Refresher Training Needs to be renewed Every 2 years	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-dsl-level3
COSHH Training Needs to be renewed every 12 months	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-hazardous-substances
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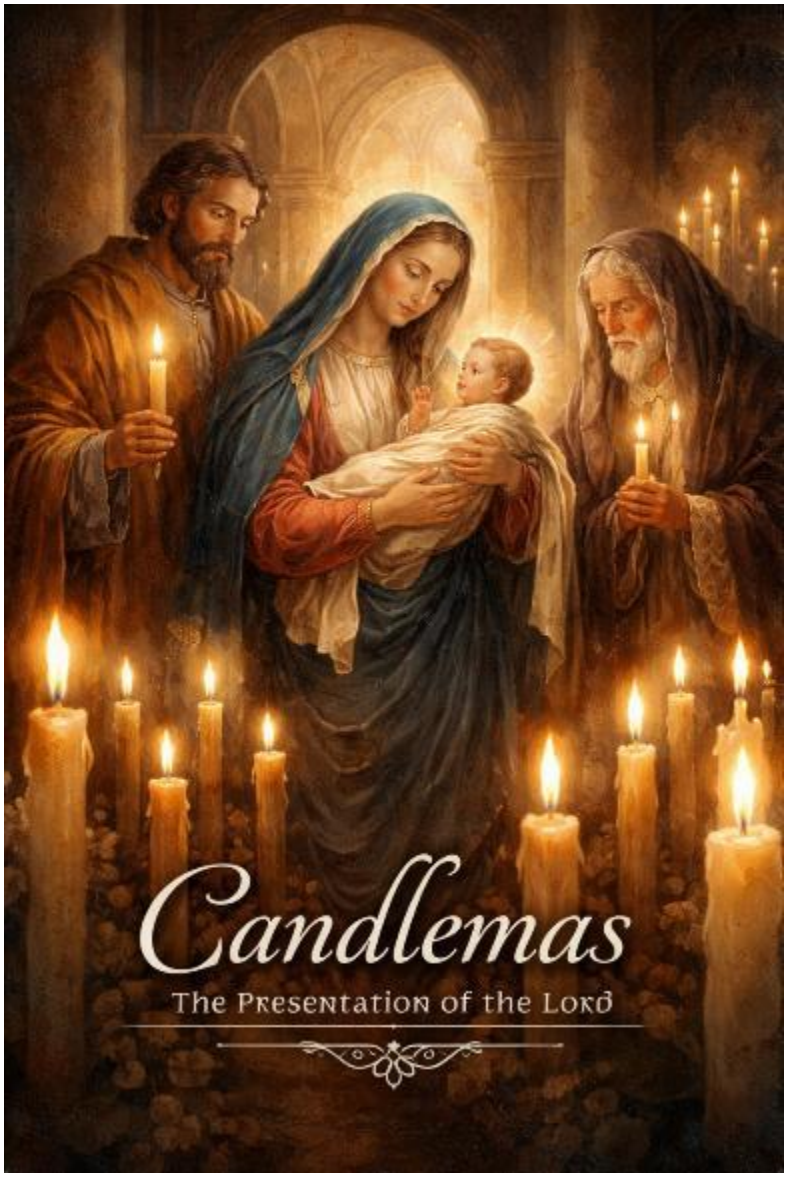

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CANDLEMAS TERM
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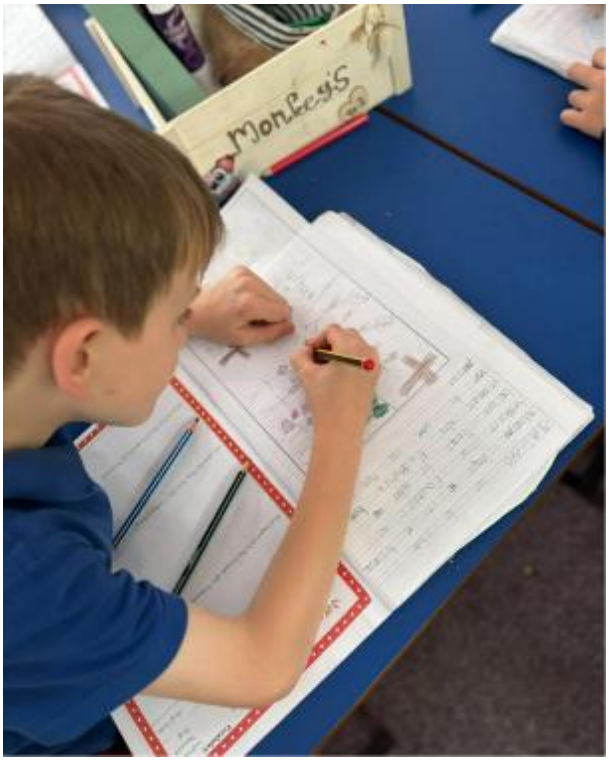
January 2027

The Power of Talk in Mathematical Reasoning **With Joe Burbank** **Tuesday 12th January 2027** 1:00pm-3:00pm Zoom For: Maths Leaders	This session highlights how purposeful talk can deepen pupils' mathematical understanding and strengthen reasoning. Drawing on Teaching for Mastery principles and oracy research, we'll explore strategies to develop precise mathematical language, support structured discussion, and create a classroom culture where all pupils can articulate and justify their thinking. Practical examples will demonstrate how talk can be a powerful tool for reasoning at every stage. To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-maths-power-talk
Director's note: *Following widespread demand for support with promoting mathematical talk, we're offering this focused session. Join us to find out more.*	
Staff to be booked on:	**Cover arrangements in school:**

Oracy day 3 of 3 **Learning to Talk** **With Jo Upton** **Thursday 21st January 2027** 9:30am – 12:30pm Zoom For: Headteachers, Principals, Deputy headteachers, Assistant headteachers, English leaders, staff with a passion for promoting oracy in school.	**Day 3 of 3** This session is the third of the Oracy series, centred around developing leaders' knowledge of 'Learning to Talk'. The session will look closely at Presentational Talk or 'Learning to Talk' and will explore how to create a cohesive and rigorous Oracy curriculum for your school. The session will focus on the following questions: · What is Presentational Talk? · What are the different purposes for talk? · What curriculum opportunities will teach children Presentational Talk? · How does Presentational Talk progress from Early Years to Year 6? We will consider priority actions and next steps to support the development of Oracy – 'learning to talk' – in your school. To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-oracy-3
Director's note: *Not attended the previous 2 sessions? Not to worry, join us on session 3 and see what you can pick up.*	
Staff to be booked on:	**Cover arrangements in school:**



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February 2027

Introduction to Havening - Day 1 of 2 **With Helen Dos Santos** **Wednesday 3rd February 2027** 3:45pm–4:45pm Zoom For: School Leaders, Subject Leaders and Teachers	What is Havening? The Havening Techniques® are a healing modality that is designed to help individuals overcome problems that are the consequence of traumatic encoding by the brain developed by Dr. Ronald Ruden MD Ph.D. The Havening Techniques® belong to a larger group of methods called psychosensory therapies that use sensory input to alter thought, emotions, mood and behaviour. The effect of the Havening touch also produces a calm pleasant state, so it can also be used to work on positive states, behaviours, and to help build up resilience, self-confidence, reduce stress, break the pattern of anxiety to name a few. Staff will gain an insight into the background and neuroscience behind the Havening Technique. Through self-application staff will experience first-hand the benefits of this technique. To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-staff-havening-1
Director's note: *Gain comprehensive understanding of how to genuinely support your team's wellbeing. This session equips everyone with practical tools and strategies to look after themselves effectively. By providing this session, we ensure meaningful wellbeing support without creating any additional work for you.*	
Staff to be booked on:	**Cover arrangements in school:**

Candlemas Term CPDF at a glance

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January 2027

Course title	Date	To book
Setting up and successfully running a 'SEND Inclusion Base' provision in your school With Ben Watermouth	Monday 11th January 2027 9:30am - 11:00am	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-send-hub
The Power of Talk in Mathematical Reasoning With Joe Burbank	Tuesday 12th January 2027 1:00pm - 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-maths-power-talk
Progress in History With Diane Pye	Monday 18th January 2027 1:45pm – 3:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-history-progress-1
Staff Meeting Online Safety Ollie Welsby	Tuesday 19th January 2027 3:45pm – 4:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-staff-online-safety
Oracy day 3 of 3 Jo Upton	Thursday 21st January 2027 9:30am – 12:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-oracy-3
Science Leaders Support Group Day 3 of 6 With Dr Kate Redhead	Thursday 21st January 2027 2:00pm – 3:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-science-support-group-3
MHFA With Hugo Metcalfe	Monday 25th January and Tuesday 26th January 2027 9:00am – 4:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-mhfa-young-people
Assessment in History With Diane Pye	Monday 25th January 2027 1:45pm – 3:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-history-progress-2
Governor Training Bogusia Matusiak-Varley	Monday 25th January 2027 6:00pm – 7:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-gov-governance
SENDCO Support Group - Day 3 of 6 With Alex Hough	Wednesday 27th January 2027 2:00pm – 4:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-sendco-support-group-3
English Leaders Support Group Day 3 of 5 With Susie Spolander	Thursday 28th February 2027 1:30pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-english-support-group-3

February 2027

Course title	Date	To book
Computing Leaders Group Day 2 of 3 With Sharon Cufflin and Vikki Woodfield	Tuesday 2nd February 2027 1:15pm – 3:15pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-computing-support-group-2
Introduction to Havening With Helen Dos Santos	Wednesday 3rd February 2027 3:45pm – 4:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-staff-havening-1
DRB Leadership Briefings 2 of 3 With Andrew Pilmore	Monday 8th February 2027 10:00am – 12:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-drb-briefing-2
Maths Leaders Groups Day 2 of 3 With Nathan Crook	Tuesday 9th February 2027 1:30pm – 4:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-maths-support-group-2
Safer Recruitment Training Needs to be renewed every 2 years	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-safer-recruitment
Asbestos Awareness Training Needs to be renewed every 12 months	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-asbestos-awareness
DSL Refresher Training Needs to be renewed Every 2 years	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-dsl-level3
COSHH Training Needs to be renewed every 12 months	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-hazardous-substances
Paediatric First Aid Needs to be updated every 3 years	Contact Sarah s.cope@newman.ac.uk For more information	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-paediatric-first-aid

Lenten Term

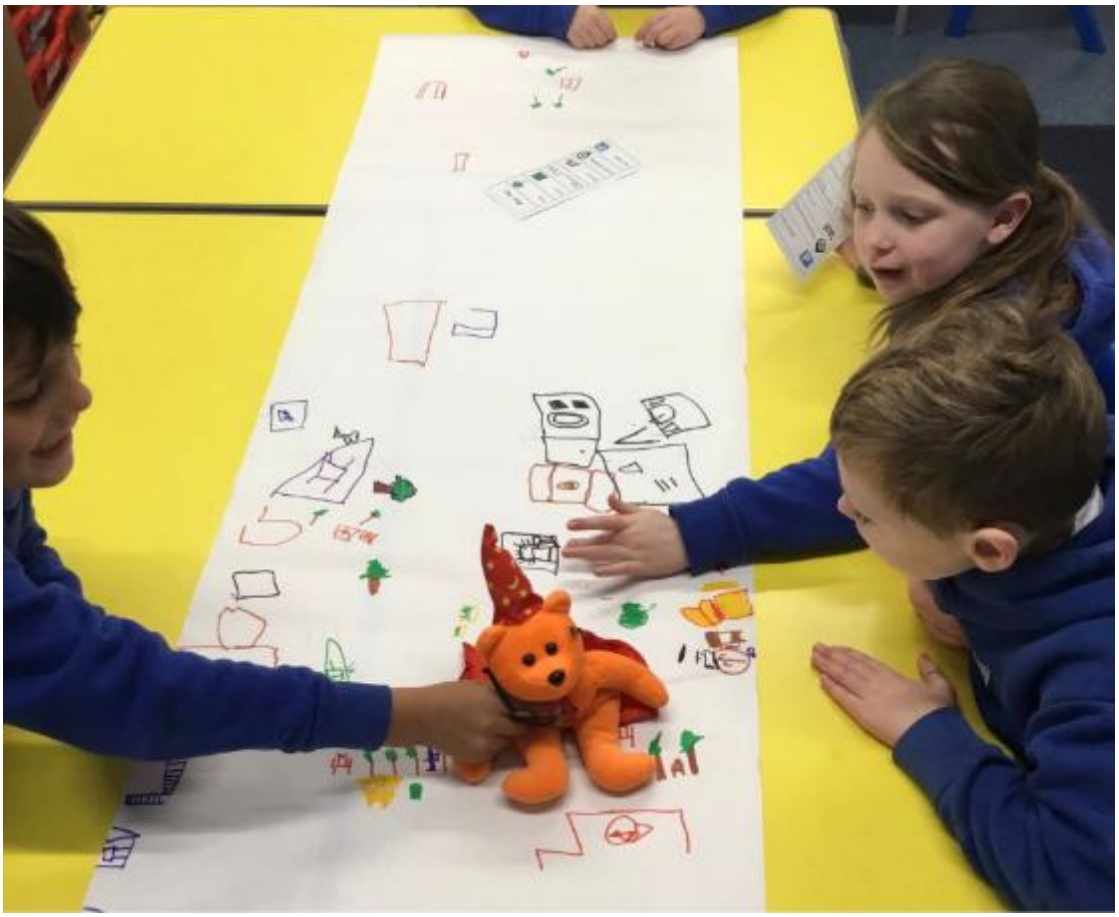
(Spring 2)

LENTEN TERM
(SPRING 2)

March 2027

EYFS leaders' Support and Development Group Day 2 of 3 **With Ruth Swailes** **Tuesday 2nd March 2027** 1:15pm-2:45pm Zoom For: EYFS leaders	These networks provide an opportunity for leaders to keep abreast of current developments in the EYFS and allow them to reflect on what changes they might need to make to ensure they remain fully compliant with statutory changes as well as fully aware of developments from the DFE and Ofsted. **Future dates for your diary:** **Monday 28th June 2027** To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-support-group-2
Director's note: *With EYFS under particular scrutiny currently, this session offers valuable, targeted support to empower your EYFS leader*	
Staff to be booked on:	***Cover arrangements in school:***

Assessment and moderation support for leaders and teachers who are new to EYFS – Day 1 of 2 **With Ruth Swailes** **Tuesday 9th March 2027** 1:15pm-2:45pm Zoom For: EYFS leaders	In these two sessions, Ruth will provide guidance and support for teachers and leaders making judgements against the early learning goals. Ruth is an experienced moderator and will provide exemplification support so that leaders and teachers can be confident that their judgements are secure. **Future date for your diary:** **Wednesday 9th June 2027** To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-new-goals-1
Director's note: *Keep your EYFS assessment and moderation practice sharp and compliant with current expectations. This two-part session offers detailed guidance, practical application, and the chance to explore complexities with expert support. Invaluable for maintaining high-quality assessment across your EYFS provision.*	
Staff to be booked on:	***Cover arrangements in school:***



Applying Havening – Day 2 of 2 **With Helen Dos Santos** **Wednesday 10th March 2027** 3:45pm – 4:45pm Zoom For: All staff	Just like adults, kids and young students need stress relief tools to help them stay calm, alert, and become emotionally regulated. In this session Affirmational Havening will be introduced to cover doubt when a pupil is not feeling confident in a particular situation, such as making friends, social anxiety and exam stress. There will be sufficient time to explore how Havening can be used, not only on a 1-2-1 basis, but consider the benefits of using this in the classroom environment. The training will focus on the following benefitting both staff and classroom activity. · Engaging: Brain games can help keep children engaged and focused in their lessons (mainly in primaries). · Self-acceptance: Havening can help deepen self-acceptance and increase self-confidence. · Personal resilience: Havening can help strengthen personal resilience and coping strategies. · Enhancing focus: Calmer minds can concentrate and retain information better as the pre-frontal cortex is more engaged. · Building confidence: Affirmational Havening replaces self-doubt and negative self-talk with positive beliefs · Improving emotional resilience: Massively reduce emotional overwhelm and stress during revision or assessment and exam anxiety and performance pressure. To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-staff-havening-2
Director's note: *Trust me, you might think this is whoo whoo, but it's not. It could be an excellent support for your whole team. It's worth giving it a go. At the very least, it's a CPDF session fully prepared for you. Nothing ventured...*	
Staff to be booked on:	**Cover arrangements in school:**

Lenten Term CPDF at a glance

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February 2027

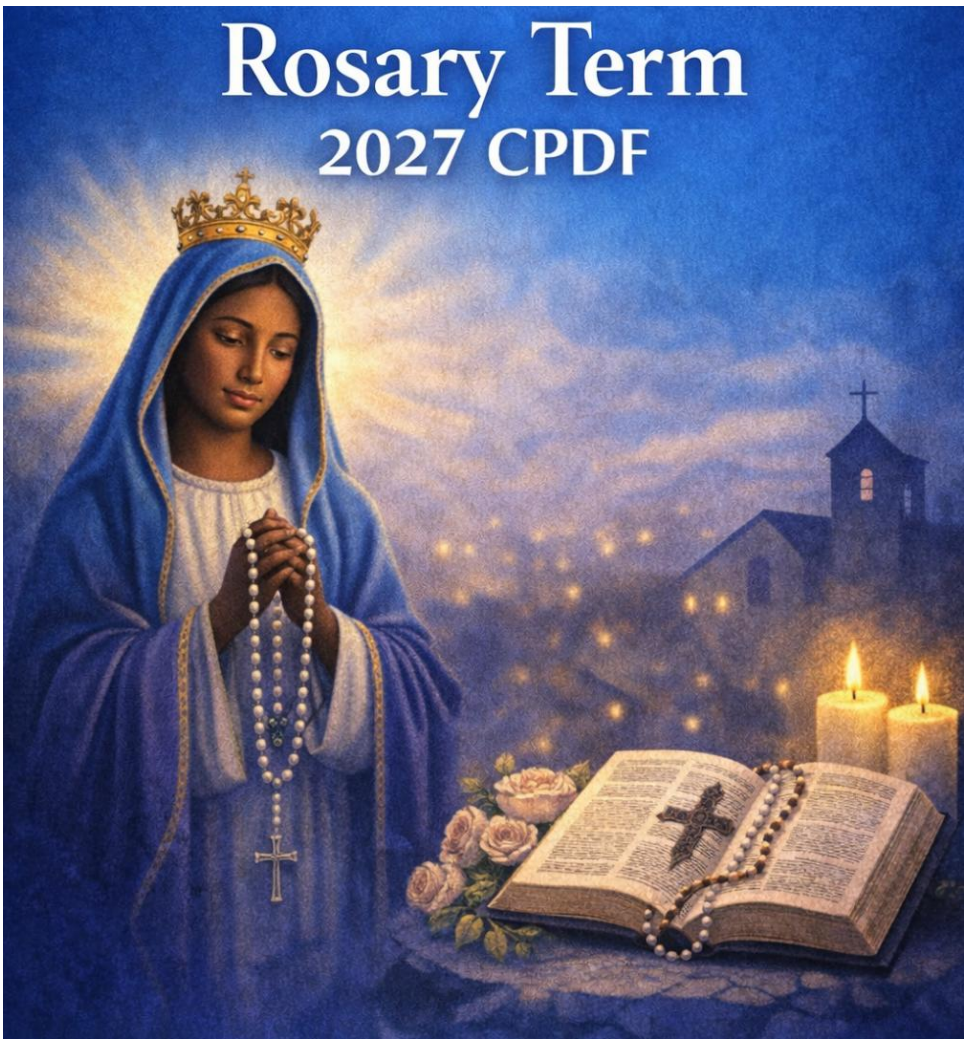
Course title	Date	To book
SENDCO Support Group - Day 4 of 6 With Alex Hough	Thursday 25th February 2027 2:00pm – 4:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-sendco-support-group-4

March 2027

Course title	Date	To book
School Productions With Ashley Russell	Monday 1st March 2027 3:45pm – 4:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-staff-production
EYFS leaders' Support and Development Group Day 2 of 3 With Ruth Swailes	Tuesday 2nd March 2027 1:15pm-2:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-support-group-2
PE Leaders Group With Dan Wilson	Thursday 4th March 2027 1:30pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-pe-support-group-2
Assessment and moderation support for leaders and teachers who are new to EYFS day 1 of 2 With Ruth Swailes	Tuesday 9th March 2027 1:15pm – 2:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-new-goals-1
Applying Havening With Helen dos Santos	Wednesday 10th March 2027 3:45pm – 4:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-staff-havening-2
Writing Moderation With Susie Spolander	Thursday 11th March 2027 10:00am – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-writing-moderation
Science Leaders Day 4 of 6 With Dr Kate Redhead	Monday 15th March 2027 2:00pm – 3:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-science-support-group-4
English Leaders Support Group Day 4 of 5 With Susie Spolander	Wednesday 17th March 2027 1:30pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-english-support-group-4
Moderating the Mathematical Journey of your Pupils With Helen Owens	Thursday 18th March 2027 9:00am – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-maths-moderation

Headteacher's Get together	Friday 19th March 2027 9:00am – 1:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-head-get-together-2
Safer Recruitment Training Needs to be renewed every 2 years	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-safer-recruitment
Asbestos Awareness Training Needs to be renewed every 12 months	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-asbestos-awareness
DSL Refresher Training Needs to be renewed Every 2 years	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-dsl-level3
COSHH Training Needs to be renewed every 12 months	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-hazardous-substances
Paediatric First Aid Needs to be updated every 3 years	Contact Sarah s.cope@newman.ac.uk For more information	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-paediatric-first-aid

Rosary Term



(Summer 1)

Rosary Term
CPDF at a glance

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April 2027

Course title	Date	To book
Progress in Geography With Diane Pye	Thursday 15th April 2027 1:45pm – 3:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-geography-progress-1
Maths Leaders Support Group Day 3 of 3 With Nathan Crook	Thursday 22nd April 2027 1:30pm – 4:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-maths-support-group-3
Science Leaders 5 of 6 With Dr Kate Redhead	Monday 26th April 2027 2:00pm – 3:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-science-support-group-5
Assessment in Geography With Diane Pye	Tuesday 27th April 2027 1:45pm – 3:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-geography-progress-2
SENDCO Support Group - Day 5 of 6 With Alex Hough	Thursday 29th April 2027 2:00pm – 4:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-sendco-support-group-5

May 2027

Course title	Date	To book
PE Leaders Group With Dan Wilson	Tuesday 18th May 2027 1:30pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-pe-support-group-3
Headteacher's residential With Steve Head	Thursday 27th May and Friday 28th May 2027 All day	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-head-residential
Safer Recruitment Training Needs to be renewed every 2 years	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-safer-recruitment
Asbestos Awareness Training Needs to be renewed every 12 months	Available all year	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-asbestos-awareness
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Paediatric First Aid Needs to be updated every 3 years	Contact Sarah s.cope@newman.ac.uk For more information	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-paediatric-first-aid

Trinity Term

(Summer 2)

TRINITY TERM
(SUMMER 2)

June 2027

Assessment and moderation support for leaders and teachers who are new to EYFS – Day 2 of 2 **With Ruth Swailes** **Wednesday 9th June 2027** 1:15pm-2:45pm Zoom For: EYFS leaders	In these two sessions, Ruth will provide guidance and support for teachers and leaders making judgements against the early learning goals. Ruth is an experienced moderator and will provide exemplification support so that leaders and teachers can be confident that their judgements are secure. To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-new-goals-2
Staff to be booked on:	***Cover arrangements in school:***

Introduction to Subject Leadership **With Jo Upton** **Wednesday 16th June 2027** 3:45pm–5:00pm Zoom For: Subject leaders and all teachers, HLTAs, interested TAs.	This session is designed to develop knowledge of the role of the subject leader and how to lead a subject effectively in a primary school. The session will focus on the following questions: · What is the role of the Subject Leader? · What does effective subject leadership look like? · What is the cycle for school improvement? · Where will you start? We will consider priority actions and next steps to support the development of effective subject leaders as they begin this important role. To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-subject-leadership
Director's note: *We've scheduled this as twilight CPDF to enable easy integration into your staff meeting schedule. An excellent opportunity for all teachers to access high-quality CPDF at no extra cost. This session offers valuable insights for experienced subject leaders while supporting those new to the role, particularly when addressing the challenges of leading without formal positional authority. For teachers who are not in leadership positions, the session provides understanding of effective collaboration and how to contribute meaningfully to whole-school development.*	
Staff to be booked on:	**Cover arrangements in school:**

EYFS leaders' Support and Development Group – Day 3 of 3 **With Ruth Swailes** **Monday 28th June 2027** 1:15pm-2:45pm Zoom For: EYFS leaders	These networks provide an opportunity for leaders to keep abreast of current developments in the EYFS and allow them to reflect on what changes they might need to make to ensure they remain fully compliant with statutory changes as well as fully aware of developments from the DFE and Ofsted. To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-support-group-3
Staff to be booked on:	***Cover arrangements in school:***

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June 2027

Course title	Date	To book
Assessment and moderation support for leaders and teachers who are new to EYFS day 2 of 2 With Ruth Swailes	Wednesday 9th June 2027 1:15pm – 2:45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-new-goals-2
DRB Leadership Briefing Day 3 of 3 With Andrew Pilmore	Monday 14th June 2027 10:00am – 12:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-drb-briefing-3
Science Leaders Day 6 of 6 With Dr Kate Redhead	Monday 14th June 2027 2:00pm – 3:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-science-support-group-6
Promoting Pals With Thérèse Hoyle	Tuesday 15th June 2027 1:30pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-playground-pals
Introduction to Subject Leadership With Jo Upton	Wednesday 16th June 2027 3:45pm – 5:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-subject-leadership
Identifying your SDP Priorities With Paul Longdon	Thursday 17th June 2027 9:30am – 11:00am	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-sdp-priorities-1
Computing Leaders Day 3 of 3 With Sharon Cufflin and Vikki Woodfield	Thursday 17th June 2027 1:15pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-computing-support-group-3
English Leaders Support Group 5 of 5 With Susie Spolander	Monday 21st June 2027 1:30pm – 3:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-english-support-group-5
Writing your SDP With Paul Longdon	Thursday 24th June 2027 9:00am – 3:30pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-sdp-priorities-2
EYFS group day 3 of 3 Ruth Swailes	Monday 28th June 2027 1:15pm – 2.45pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-eyfs-support-group-3
SENDCO Support Group - Day 6 of 6 With Alex Hough	Tuesday 29th June 2027 2:00pm – 4:00pm	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/26-sendco-support-group-6

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The small print (it is not actually small)

- Always get approval from the person responsible for the inset in your school before booking online.
- 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.**
- 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.
- Governor CPDF places are £15 each.
- Some courses have additional charges, as stated in the CPDF plan.
- 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.
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- Places to be booked via the website. Any problems, questions, queries Email s.cope@newman.ac.uk.

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