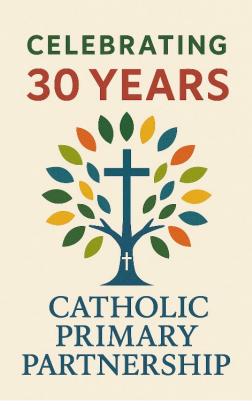


Many Schools – One Family Serving Catholic Primary Schools across England

# Catholic Life Continuous Professional Development and Formation Plan 2025-2026



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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.



#### Excellent CPDF

Inclusive of Leaders at all levelsdeveloping 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 (AUTUMN 1)			
September 2025			
Annual Update to KCSIE	Update and Review of Key Changes		
<u>With Oliver Welsby</u> Monday 1st September	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		
2025	Education settings.		
11.30am-12.30pm	There is also a quiz to assess understanding.		
Zoom	To Book: <u>https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-kcsie-update</u>		
For: all staff			
#SEN #CT #HT #TA	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 guiz info, they are the person to sign up for the session.



Performance management can be improved without	Performance Management can be improved without performance related pay.	
performance related pay	performance related pay.	
	During this session we will:	
<u>With Andrew Pilmore</u>		
	• Explore the current guidance for appraisal and capability and	
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> September 2025	look at model policies.	
9:30am–11:00am	<ul> <li>Discuss the benefits of appraisal not linked to pay.</li> <li>Explore a coaching/mentoring approach to performance management.</li> </ul>	
Zoom	<ul> <li>Look at a new system for performance management</li> </ul>	
For: HT's and Senior Leaders	To Book: <u>https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-drb-performance</u>	
Director's note:		

You asked for guidance on delivering successful performance management without performancerelated pay. Here it is. Book on and see if it helps you develop your thought processes...

Staff to be booked on:	Cover arrangements in school:



Safeguarding Compliance	Safeguarding Compliance
With Oliver Welsby	During this session we will cover the latest statutory and non- statutory guidance documents and updates from a safeguarding
Tuesday 9th September 2025	perspective, highlighting key aspects and recommendations from each that schools will want to ensure are in place.
9.30am–12.30pm	To Book:
Zoom	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-safeguarding-compliance
For: Headteachers, CEO's, CSELs (Catholic Senior Executive Leaders), DSLs (Designated Safeguarding Lead) (Designated Safeguarding Lead), SENDCOs	
#SEN #HT #Safeguarding	
Director's note:	

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!

#### Staff to be booked on:

Cover arrangements in school:

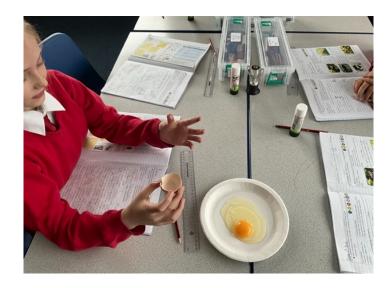


New to DSL-full training	The New to the Role of Designated Safeguarding Lead Course
With Oliver Welsby	is an expert-led course for those new to the role of school DSL and or Deputy DSL. It is an extensive, authoritative and highly rated, two full-days training course that ensures DSLs & DDSLs
Tuesday 16th and Tuesday 23rd September 2025	have the most comprehensive, effective and up-to-date understanding of and knowledge of how to lead the safeguarding provision in their setting.
9:00am-4:00pm	
Zoom	On this two day 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
For: New DSLs	research, presented in an engaging and motivating format, designed to ensure that you stay up to date on current
NOTE-ADDITIONAL CHARGE FOR THIS SESSION is a discounted price of £120.00 (normally £155) for both days!	developments, emerging risks, and best practice, whilst discussing case studies and sharing best practice with your co- delegates.
Best value around!	To Book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-new-dsl-1
Director's note:	

# 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 **two full days DSL training for £155**. 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.

Staff to be booked on:

Cover arrangements in school:



Welcome the stranger?	<i>Learning together:</i> One of Pope Francis' major themes has been calling everyone, and	
With Dr James Trewby of	particularly Catholic Communities, to challenge 'indifference' and	
<u>the Columban Missionaries</u> <u>and Steph Neville of Stories</u>	act in solidarity with people forced to leave their homes. The Bishops' Conference of England and Wales have seconded this with	
of Hope and Home	their publication, 'Love of the Stranger'. As Catholic educators and leaders we have been called to action, but do not always have the	
Session 1 (of 5)	information, experience or understanding required – or indeed the	
All sessions must be attended.	time and space – to explore the issues related to 'Welcoming the Stranger'.	
Monday 22nd September 2025	This programme will include CST, prayer, reflection and a residential 'Festival of Encounter' together with people seeking safety in Britain.	
1.00pm–3.00pm	This is session 1 of 5 and we need you to commit to all 5 sessions.	
Zoom	555510115.	
For headteachers	Future dates for your diary: Session 2 - Zoom – Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> September 2025 - 1.00pm– 3.00pm	
#HT	<b>Session 3</b> – Wednesday 8th October 2025 10.00am – 2.00pm <b>Face to Face</b> : SS John and Monica Catholic Primary School, Chantry Rd, Moseley, Birmingham B13 8DW	
	<b>Session 4 - Residential</b> - Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 - Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 - Loreto Centre, Llandudno	
	<b>Session 5 – Zoom -</b> Monday 20th October 2025 - 1.00pm– 3.00pm	
	To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-welcome-stranger-1	

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

This opportunity took place in 2021 and 2024, the head teachers who attended found it **life** changing.

Only sign up if you are fully committed to being part of a new experience.

Only 12 places available.

Feedback from last year's attendees:

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 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:



DSL refresher/update training	The Designated Safeguarding Lead Refresher / Update Course is an expert-led update and refresher course for school DSLs
<u>With Oliver Welsby</u>	and their Deputies.
23rd September 2025	It is an extensive, authoritative and highly rated, full-day training course that ensures DSL/DDSLs have the most
9:00am-4:00pm	comprehensive, effective and up-to-date knowledge and strategies in place to lead the safeguarding provision in their
Zoom	setting.
For: DSLs, Deputy DSLs	Full Day Course: 9:00am to 4:00pm (note this course is the same as the New to DSL Day 2).
NOTE-ADDITIONAL CHARGE	
FOR THIS SESSION is a	To Book:
discounted price of £120.00	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-new-dsl-2
(normally £155)! Best value	
around	
Diverter/e note:	

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

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. There is an **additional charge of £155** for this session. 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.

#### Staff to be booked on:

Cover arrangements in school:



Introduction to Behaviour	Join Emma for a quick tour of the fantastic, online platform of	
360	SEMH and behaviour resources, tools and strategies: Beacon	
	Behaviour 360.	
<u>With Emma Shackleton</u>		
	Inside the platform, you'll find everything you need for	
Thursday 25th September	immediately accessible, high-quality training for teachers, Tas,	
<i>2</i> -		
2025	lunchtime supervisors and parents.	
9:30am-10:15am	Get all of your adults pulling in the same direction for the biggest	
Zoom	impact for your pupils.	
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For: Headteachers, CSELs	To Book:	
	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-behaviour-360	
Director's note:		
If you like what Emma and her team do, this is your chance to find out more about how they can		

support your school. Staff to be booked on:

Cover arrangements in school:

Headteachers, Senior Leaders



Attendance Inclusive Attendance – Empowering Schools to Change Attendance Cultures!	Explore the DfE 2024 statutory paper and understand how the Inclusive Attendance programme can prepare your school for these upcoming change.
With Wayne Harris CEO & Founder Inclusive Attendance. Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October 2025 9:30am-10:30am Zoom	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. <b>Webinar Session Highlights:</b>
For: Senior Attendance Champions, HTs, DHTs, Attendance leads in schools and MATs	<ol> <li>The Post-Pandemic World 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.</li> <li>Create a New Attendance Culture 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.</li> <li>Redefine Your Approach Explore the process of moving towards a culture where everyone actively engages in school attendance Implementation programme, built on the foundation of EEF Professional Development guidance.</li> <li>Just one of the benefits of attending:         <ul> <li>Receive a FREE £30 membership for the Inclusive Attendance website.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>
	To Book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-inclusive-attendance

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

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.

Staff to be booked on:	Cover arrangements in school:

### Marian Term CPDF at a glance

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#### September 2025

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

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

### October 2025

Course title	Date	To book
HT Support Group day 1	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> October 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
		head-support-group-1
With Clare Cheetham	9:30am-12:30pm	
DRB Leadership Briefing	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
		drb-briefing-1
With Andrew Pilmore	10:00am-12:30pm	
Computing Leaders'	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Support Group		computing-support-group-1
With Sharon Cufflin and	1:15pm-3:15pm	
Vikki Bott		
Attendance	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
		inclusive-attendance

with Wayne Harris	9:30am-10:30am	
Me, myself and I – 2 of 3	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
		eyfs-me-myself-2
With Ruth Swailes	4:00pm-5:00pm	
Welcome the Stranger?	Session 3 – Wednesday	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
day 3 of 5	8th October 2025	welcome-stranger-3
	10.00am-2:00pm	
With James Trewby and	Face to Face venue to be	
Steph Neville	confirmed	
Maths Leaders' Support	Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group	0.20 m $12.00$ m	maths-support-group-1
With Nathan Crook	9:30am-12:00pm	
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	Wednesday 11th February	
	2026	
	1:30pm-4:00pm	
	Session 3	
	Wednesday 29th April	
	2026	
	1:30pm-4:00pm	
KCSIE for Governors	Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
		<u>gov-kcsie</u>
With Oliver Welsby	6:00pm-7:30pm	
English Leaders' Support	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group	2.20	english-support-group-1
With Cusic Chalandar	2:30pm-3:30pm	
With Susie Spolander	Cossian 4 Desidential	https://www.hopp.org.uk/ovopto/25
Welcome the Stranger? Residential	Session 4 - Residential Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> October	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25- welcome-stranger-4
Residential	2025- Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Welcome-stranger-+
With James Trewby and	October 2025	
Steph Neville		
PE Leaders' Support and	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Development Group		pe-support-group-1
	1:30pm-3:00pm	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
With Dan Wilson from		
Beyond the Physical		
Welcome the Stranger?	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
	1:00pm-3:00pm	welcome-stranger-5
With James Trewby and		
Steph Neville		
Me, myself and I – 3 of 3	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> October 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25- evfs-me-myself-3
With Ruth Swailes	4:00pm-5:00pm	

# Remembrance term



# (Autumn 2)

# **REMEMBRANCE TERM**

(AUTUMN 2)

## November 2025

<u>Lunchtime support training –</u>	Pupils with complex needs are increasing in our mainstream
Day 1 of 3	schools.
	Wherever you are teaching, building positive relationships
With Helen Guest	with children is crucial when it comes to getting students on board.
Thursday 6th November 2025	Find out why children thrive when we use a positive approach and explore strategies that we can start using
10:30am-11:30am	straight away to build strong relationships with all children.
Zoom	Future dates:
	Tuesday 3rd February 2026
For: All staff who support pupils at lunchtimes.	Tuesday 28th April 2026
	To Book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-ls-positive-
#supportstaff	<u>relationships</u>
<u>Director's note:</u>	
-	ing time in school, help the amazing staff that look after the

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.

#### <u>Staff to be booked on:</u>

Cover arrangements in school:



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

#### School staff are having to deal with challenging conversations daily: help them to manage these situations by up-skilling them. Staff to be booked on:

Cover arrangements in school:



<u>Mental health support</u>	In this sessi	on, staff will develop strategies to help them
	support pup	ils struggling with low self-esteem to achieve a
Supporting Pupils Develop	more positiv	e mindset. Attendees will understand how to
A Positive Mindset	reframe neg	ative thinking and learn a range of strategies to
	support pup	ils build their emotional resilience. Key focus
With Rachel Chilver	areas include	e self-esteem, affirmations, gratitude, reframing
	negative tho	ught patterns and celebrating personal powers.
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	-	- · · ·
-	To Book:	
1:30pm-3:00pm	https://www	.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-positive-mindset
Zoom		
For: Teaching Assistants		
<u>Director's note:</u>		
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 supportin		
them to do this. Perhaps a session for all TAs and SENDCO to attend together?		
Staff to be booked on:		Cover arrangements in school:



Headteachers Get together	An opportunity to network with other head teachers face to face
	and ensure that relationships are established and strengthened
Face to face at Edgbaston Priory	between Catholic school leaders.
<u>Tennis Club (Lunch included)</u>	
	Including an Ofsted update.
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	
	Future dates for your diary:
9.00am – 1.00pm	Friday 28th March 2026 - Headteacher Get together.
	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> June and Friday 5th June 2026 - HT Residential
For: Headteachers/Principals	
	To book: <u>https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-face2face-</u>
#HT	1
Director's note:	
It is so important that you give yourse	If time to be with other headteachers. This is an investment in
YOUR well-being. Please book on. Just	t like Loreal-you're worth it!
Staff to be booked on:	Cover arrangements in school:



### 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	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Group	2025	eyfs-support-group-1
With Ruth Swailes	1:15pm-2:45pm	
Building Positive	Thursday 6th November	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Relationships	2025	ls-positive-relationships
With Helen Guest	10:30am-11:30am	
Managing Challenging	Thursday 6th November	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Conversations with Parents	2025	challenging-conversations
With Helen Guest	1:30pm-3:00pm	
Developing a positive	Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
mindset for pupils	2025	positive-mindset
	2025	positive mindset
With Rachel Chilver	1:30pm-3:00pm	
Science Leaders' Support	Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group	2025	science-support-group-2
day 2 of 6		
	2:00pm-3:30pm	
With Kate Redhead		
EYFS	Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Let's get reading and	2025	eyfs-reading-writing
writing sorted!	9:00am-12:00pm	
Writing Sorteu:	5.00dm 12.00pm	
With Dr Bogusia Matusiak-		
Varley		
Reminders for good	Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> November	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
governance	2025	gov-governance
With Dr Bogusia Matusiak-	6:00pm-7:00pm	
Varley	Manday 17th Navarahay	https://www.hene.avg.uk/avents/25
Early Writing, Write from the start	Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25- early-writing-1
	2025	

With Ruth Swailes	1:00pm-2:30pm	
SENDCO Support and	Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> November	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Development Group	2025	senco-support-group-1
Cassian 1 of 2	Future detect	
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	Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> November	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Development Group Day 2	2025	head-support-group-2
With Clare Cheetham	9:30am-12:30pm	
Headteacher Get Together	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
		head-face2face-1
At Priory Tennis Club	9:00am-1:00pm	

### December 2025

Course title	Date	To book
Early Writing, write from	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
the start	2025	early-writing-2
Mithe Death Courting	1.00	
With Ruth Swailes	1:00pm-2:30pm	
English Leaders' Support	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> December	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group	2025	english-support-group-2
With Susie Spolander	2:00pm-3:30pm	



# Candlemas Term



# (Spring 1)

### CANDLEMAS TERM (SPRING 1)

# January 2026

STAFF MEETING SESSION	The Changing Online Landscape: understanding the	
	risks and opportunities faced by children and young	
Whole Staff Online safety	<b>people today.</b> During this 60-minute session we will focus on	
annual update	understanding recent changes and developments in the online world. We review the changing risks for children and young	
With Oliver Welsby	people who are operating online in ever increasing amounts of time each day, including from a mental health and wellbeing	
Tuesday 13th January 2026	perspective.	
3:45pm-4:45pm	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.	
Zoom		
	To book: <u>https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-staff-online-safety</u>	
<u>Director's note:</u>		
It's a requirement for all staff to be without additional work being place	trained in this. We are ensuring this is done to a high standard d on school staff.	
Staff to be booked on:	Cover arrangements in school:	



#### CANDLEMAS TERM (SPRING 1)

# February 2026

Understanding anger and de-	Join Helen for a refresher training of one of our most popular
escalation – Session 2 of 3	courses - understand what's happening in brains and bodies
	when children get angry or overwhelmed at school.
With Helen Guest	
	Dealing with big feelings and conflicts between pupils at
Tuesday 3rd February 2026	lunchtime is difficult and can feel overwhelming.
10:30-11:30am	Walk away with strategies and techniques that you can start
	to implement straight away and learn which techniques to
Zoom	avoid because they will actually make the situation worse!
	Future dates:
For: All staff who support pupils at	Tuesday 28th April 2026
lunchtimes.	
	To Book: <u>https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-understanding-anger</u>
Director's note:	

**Director's note:** 

Book your staff who lead lunchtimes onto these sessions.

Staff to be booked on:

**Cover arrangements in school:** 

<u>Supporting girls with Autism –</u>	Girls and boys with autism can present very differently in
Session 2 of 3	school.
With Helen Guest	Dive into this training where we explore practical ways that
	we can help girls to feel supported and listened to.
Tuesday 3rd February 2026	
1:30pm-3:00pm	Future dates:
Zoom	
	Tuesday 28th April 2026
For: Experienced class teachers, ECTs,	
HLTAs	To book: <u>https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-girls-autism</u>
Director's note:	
This was an area that was identified las	st year as something that staff wanted support with. Get staff
booked on.	
Staff to be booked on:	Cover arrangements in school:

### **Candlemas Term CPDF at a glance**

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#### January 2026

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Course title	Date	To book
STAFF MEETING SESSION	Tuesday 13th January	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Whole Staff Online safety	2026	staff-online-safety
annual update		
	3:45pm-4:45pm	
With Oliver Welsby		
PE Leaders' Support and	Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> January	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Development Group	2026	pe-support-group-2
With Dan Wilson From	1:30pm-3:30pm	
Beyond the Physical		
EYFS Leaders' Support	Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Group	2026	eyfs-support-group-2
0.000		
With Ruth Swailes	1:15pm-2:45pm	
An effective academic diet	Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> January 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
for the lowest 20%	1 4 6 6 4 4 7 1 6 7 4 1 4 1 7 1 6 1 6	academic-diet
	9:00am-12:00pm	
With Dr Bogusia Matusiak-		
Varley		
Head Masters of Stress	Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
	2026	head-stress
With Helen Dos Santos	2020	incud Stress
With Heleft Dos Santos	9:30am-10:30am	
Science Leaders' Support	Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group	2026	science-support-group-3
day 3 of 6	2020	<u>science-support-group-s</u>
	2.00pm-3:30pm	
With Kate Redhead	2.00011-3.30011	
	Tuesday 27th Japuany 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/ovopte/25
HT Support and Development Group day 3	Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> January 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
	0.20	head-support-group-3
of 5	9:30am-12:30pm	
With Clare Cheetham		
	Thursday 20th January	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
English Leaders' Support	Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> January	
and Development Group	2026	english-support-group-3
With Sucia Spalandar	2,00pm 2,20pm	
With Susie Spolander	2:00pm-3:30pm	

### February 2026

Course title	Date	To book
Understanding anger and	Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
de-escalation		understanding-anger
	10:30am-11:30am	
With Helen Guest		
Supporting girls with	Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Autism		<u>girls-autism</u>
	1:30pm – 3:30pm	
With Helen Guest		
DRB Leadership Briefing	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> February	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
	2026	drb-briefing-2
With Andrew Pilmore		_
	10:00am-12:30pm	
Maths for TAs - How TAs	Thursday 5th February	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
can support pupils in	2026	<u>ta-maths</u>
maths		
	1:15pm-3:00pm	
With Helen Owens		
SEND in EYFS,	Monday 9th February 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Effective Provision &	1 00 0 00	eyfs-send
Practice	1:00pm-3:00pm	
With Dashal Willia		
With Rachel Wilks	Tuesday 10th February	https://www.bopp.org.uk/overte/25
Computing Leaders'	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> February 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Support and Development Group	2020	computing-support-group-2
Group	1:15pm-3:15pm	
With Sharon Cufflin and	1.15pm-5.15pm	
Vikki Woodfield		
Maths Leaders' Support	Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> February	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group	2026	maths-support-group-2
With Nathan Crook	1:30pm-4:00pm	
	Session 3	
	Wednesday 29th April	
	2026	
	1:30pm-4:00pm	



# Lenten Term

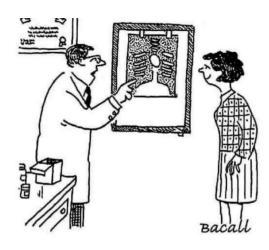


# (Spring 2)

LENTEN TERM (SPRING 2)		
March 2026		
Headteachers Get together	An opportunity to network with other head teachers face to face and ensure that relationships are established and strengthened	
Face to face at Edgbaston Priory Tennis Club (Lunch included)	between Catholic school leaders.	
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	Including an Ofsted update.	
9.00am – 1.00pm	Future dates for your diary:	
For: Headteachers/Principals	<b>Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June and Friday 5th June 2026 -</b> Headteacher Residential	
#HT	To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-face2face-2	

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!

Staff to be booked on:	Cover arrangements in school:



"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

Course title	Date	To book
Staff Meeting – The Stress	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Proof Brain: Practical Tools		staff-stress
for Wellbeing & Self-Care	3:45pm-4:45pm	
With Hugo Metcalfe		
Interventions vs	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Outerventions		interventions
	1:00pm-3:00pm	
With Ruth Swailes		
Writing Moderation	Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
		writing-moderation
With Susie Spolander	Face to face All day	
HT Support and	Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Development Group day 4	0.00 10.00	head-support-group-4
of 5	9:30am-12:30pm	
With Clare Cheetham		
Science Leaders' Support	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group	Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> March 2020	science-support-group-4
day 4 of 6	2:30pm-3:30pm	<u>science-support-group-r</u>
	2.30pm 3.30pm	
With Kate Redhead		
School Development	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Planning and	,	sdp-planning
demonstrating impact	Zoom 9:00am-12:00pm	
With Dr Bogusia Matusiak-		
Varley		
English Leaders' Support	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group	2026	english-support-group-4
With Susie Spolander	2:00pm-3:30pm	
SENDCO Support and	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Development Group		senco-support-group-2
	Future dates:	
Session 2 of 3	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	
With Matt McArthur	Time 1:30pm-5:30pm	
Headteacher Get together	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
		head-face2face-2
At Priory Tennis Club	9:00am-1:00pm	

# Rosary Term



# (Summer 1)

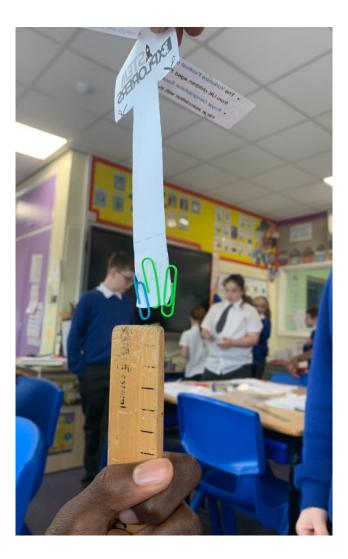
#### ROSARY TERM (SUMMER 1)

# April 2026

Engaging Pupils in Play – session 3 of 3	Have you noticed that children's behaviour can become more challenging when they are bored or there is `nothing to do'?
<u>With Helen Guest</u>	
Tuesday 28th April 2026	In this training session, we'll explore the huge benefits of engaging children in positive play - what that means, and how to do it.
10:30am-11:30am	
Zoom	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
For: All staff who support pupils at lunchtimes.	reducing stress for everyone at Lunchtimes.
	To Book: <u>https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pupils-in-</u>
	<u>play</u>
Director's note:	
Great support for your wonderful lunchtime team.	

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Staff to be booked on:	Cover arrangements in school:

Pathological Demand Avoidance	Join us for one of our most requested short courses!
(PDA) – Session 3 of 3	
	Pathological Demand Avoidance is a specific type of autism
With Helen Guest	that we are increasingly seeing in our mainstream schools.
Tuesday 28th April 2026	Discover why traditional techniques commonly used to
4 22 2 22	support autistic pupils won't work for children with PDA, and
1:30pm-3:00pm	what you can do instead to support all pupils to success.
7	To book:
Zoom	To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-pda
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For: Experienced class teachers,	
ECTs, HLTAs	
Director's note:	
So many staff have requested training	
Staff to be booked on:	Cover arrangements in school:



#### **ROSARY TERM** (SUMMER 1) May 2026 Headteachers Mass: Headteachers and principals are invited to join the celebration of Holy Mass with past headteachers. With Bishop Tim Menezes and One Life Music. Celebrating 30 Years of the Catholic Primary Partnership During the Mass we will hold serving and past staff members in our With Bishop Tim Menezes thoughts and prayers and we will remember deceased headteachers. A welcome will be given to recently appointed Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2026 headteachers within the Catholic Primary Partnership. 11:00am Following the Mass a light buffet will be served. Face to face: Newman University Chapel A great opportunity for past students to visit the wonderful refurbished Newman University Campus. For: Headteachers / Principals, past headteachers, CSEL's, CEOs 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 CPDF at a glance**

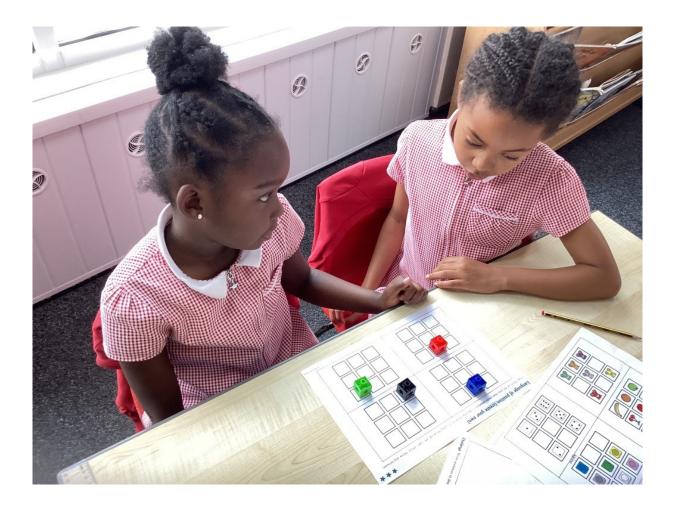
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### April 2026

Course title	Date	To book
Learning in EYFS &	Monday 20th April 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
KS1, Providing Effective		learning-eyfs-ks1
Support	1:00pm-3:00pm	
With Rachel Wilks	T   21st A 122026	
Confidently Teach Music:	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> April 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Simple and Fun Strategies for Every Classroom	1:30pm-3:00pm	teaching-music
Teacher	1.50pm-5.00pm	
With 'Sing Education'		
PE Leaders' Support and	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Development Group		<u>pe-support-group-3</u>
	1:30pm-3:30pm	
Dan Wilson From Beyond		
the Physical Science Leaders' Support	Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group	Monday 27 April 2020	science-support-group-5
day 5 of 6	2:00pm-3:30pm	<u></u>
With Kate Redhead		
Engaging Pupils in Play	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
With Holey Cuest	10.20.00 11.20.00	pupils-in-play
With Helen Guest	10:30am-11:30am	https://www.bopp.org.uk/ovopts/25
Pathological Demand Avoidance (PDA)	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25- pda
Avoidance (1 DA)	1:30pm-3:30pm	pau
With Helen Guest		
Maths Leaders' Support	Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group	2026	maths-support-group-3
With Nathan Crook	1:30pm-4:00pm	
HT Support and	Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Development Group day 5 of 5	9:30am-12:30pm	head-support-group-5
	3.30am-12.30hm	
With Clare Cheetham		

### May 2026

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



# **Trinity Term**



# (Summer 2)

#### **TRINITY TERM** (SUMMER 2)

## June 2026

HT Residential	Get yourself booked on. This is a fabulous opportunity to spend time with other heads. You need this opportunity to be with other
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> and Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	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.)
(Friday is for your own personal reflection)	Guest Speaker Helen Dos Santos from Horizon Coaching
Face to face at Lea Marston Hotel, Haunch Ln, Lea Marston, Sutton Coldfield B76 0BY	To book: https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-head-residential
For: Headteachers and Principals	

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

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!

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.

NB: If you cancel a place within 2 weeks of the residential, you will be charged full price.

Staff to be booked on:	Cover arrangements in school:



### **Trinity 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.

#### June 2026

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Course title	Date	To book
History- linking together	Thursday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
the histories we teach		history
	9:00am-12:00pm	
With Stuart Tiffany (Mr T		
does history)		
Headteacher Residential	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> and Friday 5 <sup>th</sup>	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
	June 2026	head-residential
Lea Marston Hotel	Full Day	
DRB Leadership Briefing –	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Session 3 of 3		drb-briefing-3
	10:00am-12:30pm	
With Andrew Pilmore		
Provision in EYFS & KS1	Tuesday, 9 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Getting it Right		eyfs-provision
	1:00pm-3:00pm	
With Rachel Wilkes		
English Leaders' Support	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group –		english-support-group-5
Session 5 of 5	2:00pm-3:30pm	
With Susie Spolander		
Computing Leaders'	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Support and Development		computing-support-group-3
Group – Session 3 of 3	1:15pm-3:15pm	
With Sharon Cufflin and		
Vikki Woodfield		
Science Leaders' Support	Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
and Development Group		science-support-group-6
day 6 of 6	2:00pm-3:30pm	
With Kata Dadhaad		
With Kate Redhead	Thursday 10th 1	
Identifying School	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Development Priorities	0.20	<u>sdp-priorities</u>
	9:30am-12.00pm	
With Clare Cheetham	The sector of th	
SENDCO Support and	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	https://www.bcpp.org.uk/events/25-
Development Group -	1.20	senco-support-group-3
Session 3 of 3	1:30pm-5:30pm	
Mith Math Made Liter		
With Matt McArthur		

## July 2026

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

Colour Code Key	
Catholic Life	
Leadership & Management	
Curriculum	
Governors	
Staff Meeting	



#### The small print (it is not actually small)

- Always get approval from the person responsible for the inset in your school before booking online.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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.**

Do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions.

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