

### Autumn Term 2017

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#### Welcome back to the 2017/18 academic year

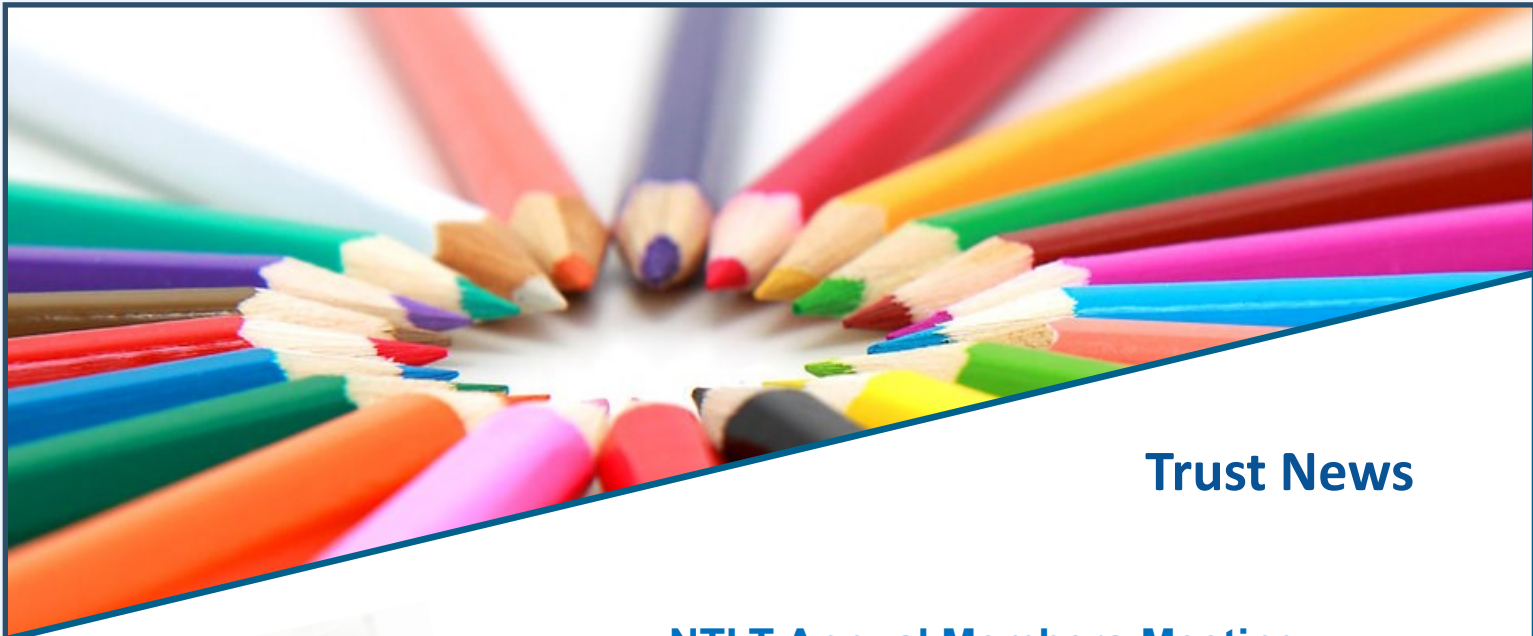
This terms Trust news highlights some of the new programmes and opportunities available in the academic year 2017/18

#TyneTogether2018 for key stage 2 and Industry Spark for key stage 3 will be available during the Autumn Term along with a wide range of industry led programmes of opportunity including Career Inspiration Kits, Think Law and Skills for Industry programmes.

A menu of careers interventions have been developed by the Work of Work Project which now offers schools careers education opportunities at all Key Stages.

Also included are Apple RTC, Science Learning Partnership and Great North Maths Hub information and events





## Trust News

### **NLT Annual Members Meeting**

Tuesday 10th October 2017

4.00pm-5.30pm

Sterling Pharma Solution, Dudley Lane

Cramlington NE23 7QG



Everyone Welcome

**Leonard  
Cheshire  
Disability**

## **ChangeNow Programme**

The Trust are involved in a new programme for young people with special educational needs and disabilities in Special Schools and mainstream provision offering supported work experience opportunities.

Delivered by the Leonard Cheshire Disability Charity, the project is aimed at young people aged 16-25 with special educational needs and disabilities who would really benefit from a ten day work experience placement (this could be in a block or stretched out 1 day per week).

The programme is hoping to address the significant employment gap between disabled and non-disabled people and offering these supportive work experience placements will help to build confidence, encourage independence and enable the young people to make informed choices about their future.

For more information or to express an interest in taking part contact Sam Gallilee on

[samantha.gallilee@ntlearningtrust.org.uk](mailto:samantha.gallilee@ntlearningtrust.org.uk)



## Trust News

### Think Law

The Trust is working in partnership with Career Ready and CILEX to offer key stage 5 student places on the Think Law programme which aims to enable young people from diverse backgrounds to access careers in the legal sector.

Think Law provides ongoing engagement between legal sector employers and students over a sustained twelve month period. The programme provides a combination of master classes, work place visits and mentoring interventions, enabling young people to navigate their way to a career in legal services. All programme interventions are delivered by employers and driven by what the industry needs.

Think Law is an offer to all sixth form students within the Trust and is funded by Career Ready and NTLT.

### Trust Governors

The Trust are focussing this term on recruiting new Trust Governors. We have a small number of vacancies across schools and want all Trust Schools to have 2 Foundation Governors as soon as possible because we know how valuable schools find their skills and expertise .

If you know anyone who may be interested in becoming a Trust Governor please email [jacqui.sugden@ntlearningtrust.org.uk](mailto:jacqui.sugden@ntlearningtrust.org.uk)

for more information and an application pack





## Trust News

### #TyneTogether 2018



After the success of #TyneTogether2017 in which 15 Trust schools engaged in a World changing ideas project the Trust have once again partnered with 7billionidea's to stage **#TyneTogether2018**

Open to **all Key Stage 2 pupils**, the programme will include

- Launch assembly
- Visual resources for each session/stage
- Teachers information pack with guidance notes and aids
- Final competition event

Get involved and book your launch assembly now

### #TyneTogether2017 Winners **Hazlewood Community Primary School**

A children's book of the winning idea has been created and published and features the story of the winning idea and the winning team of pupils from Hazlewood Community Primary School

The book will soon be available to purchase from Amazon or download from iBooks





## Trust News



## Industry Spark 2018

Launching in January 2018, INDUSTRY SPARK is an exciting new employer led competition open to all NTLT high, middle and special schools.

### WHAT IS IT?

Businesses from the four fastest growing sectors in the North East; digital, manufacturing, energy and life sciences- will set the students a project brief which will be centred around a problem that they face as a company. In teams, the students will plan and develop their proposed solution to the problem they are most passionate about.

The project will culminate in a live final where the top 3 ideas from each sector will pitch their project in front of a live audience of established businesses, start-ups and their peers. The winners will receive prizes, feedback and mentoring from local businesses, and introductions to industry to further enhance their skills and experience.

### WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF BEING INVOLVED?

Students will gain and develop essential employability skills, be exposed to up to date labour market information relevant to the jobs available in our region and have access to mentoring from these prospective employers.

### HOW CAN WE GET INVOLVED?

To find out more information or to sign your school up please contact: Charlotte at [charlotte@firstfacetoface.co.uk](mailto:charlotte@firstfacetoface.co.uk) or call: 07754 607 641



## Trust News



### Trust to Trust School Support Fund

The Trust is committed to providing school improvement support to all of its partner schools irrespective of their Ofsted grade or the nature of their particular challenges.

Trust partner schools can apply for a grant of up to £4,000, which must be match funded by the school to pay for improvement interventions. A joint application must be submitted by the provider of the intervention support and the recipient school.

The rationale behind the support should be clearly explained along with the nature and duration of the support and associated costs, clearly defined and agreed outcomes to be achieved must be provided as part of the application.

To obtain an application form and further details please contact Samantha Gallilee

[samantha.gallilee@ntlearningtrust.org.uk](mailto:samantha.gallilee@ntlearningtrust.org.uk)

### FundED

Disability North works with many community partners; through discussion with teachers we have identified an opportunity to work with local schools in a way that will benefit them, their pupils and our charity



Disability North will provide teams of pupils in each school with seed money of £50 per team. Under the guidance of Disability North and school staff, each team will use this fund – over a six-week period – to develop and execute a business or fundraising idea to make as much money as they can on behalf of Disability North. At the end of the period, Disability North will host an awards ceremony to celebrate and ‘certificate’ the achievements of the students (including awards for ‘originality’, ‘determination’, ‘ethical business practice’ and ‘understanding of disability issues’ as well as for ‘fundraising’)

Southlands School have already worked with the FundED project with positive effects “What an amazing and positive experience! Kevin and his team had a huge impact on our students. I have never seen them all so engaged and passionate about a project. Thank you and we can’t wait to do it again next year!” Sonia Wilkinson

For more information or to get involved contact Kevin Wright on [kevinwright@disabilitynorth.org.uk](mailto:kevinwright@disabilitynorth.org.uk)



## Trust News



After a very successful MfL Language Assistants programme last academic year, the Trust have secured 2 of the assistants to remain with the Trust for the 2017/18 academic year.



Manon Clement and Lola Severn have been employed to support in the delivery of French across 20 schools in the Autumn Term.

Places are available for the Spring and Summer Terms.

To express an interest in having a MFL language assistant in your school please follow the link [HERE](#)

We now send out a number of regular e-news, publications and events bulletins from the Trust including

Weekly e-News

Science Learning Partnership Primary News

Science Learning Partnership Secondary News

Termly Newsletter

Half term Current Opportunities Brochure

To subscribe to any of the above





## World of Work (WOW) Key Stage 1 and 2

### Career Workshops

We have a wide range of fun and interactive workshops that can be tailored to meet your specific needs which explores questions such as what is a job? What is a career? What skills do I need?

The workshops are designed to introduce the concepts of jobs, careers and skills as an introduction to other career interventions available

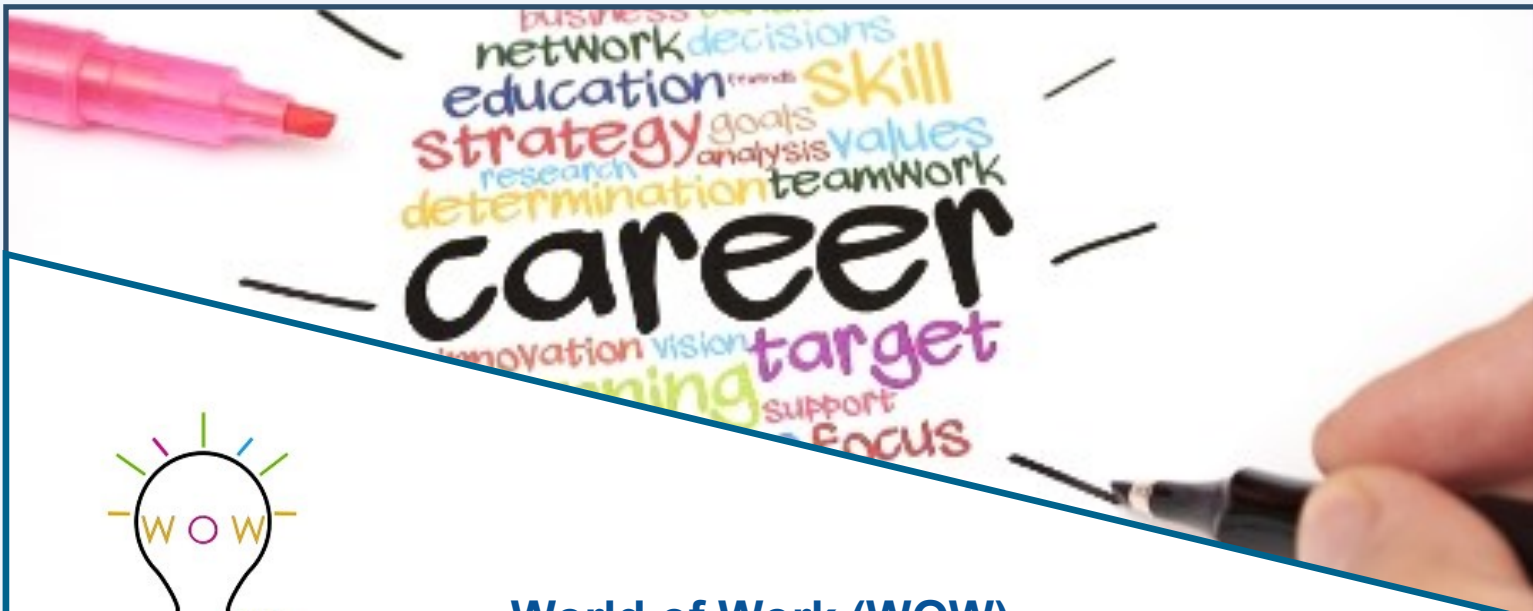
### Career Speed Dating

Tailored to meet your specific needs, career speed dating events involve between 10 and 25 of our employer partners who talk about the company, their role and answer direct questions from students. The aim is to introduce young people to a wide range of jobs that are available to them, broadening their horizons and encouraging them to aim high.

### CV+

An interactive and on-line digital portfolio and CV builder which works to encourage students to use a 'Pinterest' style approach to record skills, interests, attributes and experiences. Free to use, log in set up, available for all students and a series of introduction and follow up sessions with students are available





## World of Work (WOW) Key Stage 1 and 2

### Career Inspiration Kits

The World of Work team have established Career Inspiration Boxes to encourage children to explore the responsibilities of job roles and the skills needed in key roles. The boxes use a Project Based Learning approach to careers exploration, teamwork, communication and problem solving and has involvement and engagement with sector experts

### Bespoke Programmes of Curriculum Enrichment

The World of Work Project has strong links with over 230 business and organisations in North Tyneside

We can signpost you to sectors and business who will come in and work with your children around specific curriculum themes.

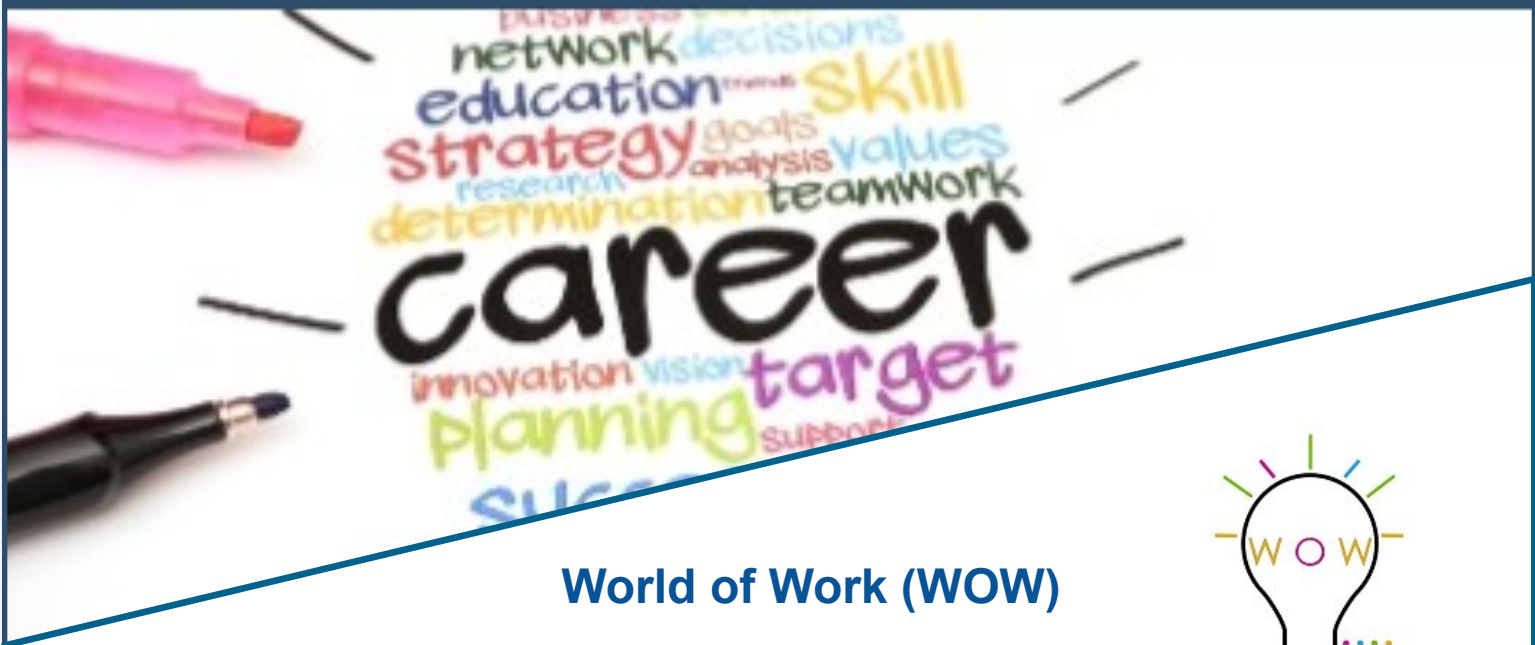
### Careers Transition Support

A range of fun, interactive activities which explores careers, jobs and skills aimed to support transition with year 6 students as part of your existing transition programme.

The activities will encourage the year 6 students to see careers as a part of their secondary education

To book and find out more about these careers interventions please contact the Primary WOW Project Lead

[julie.scott@ntlearningtrust.org.uk](mailto:julie.scott@ntlearningtrust.org.uk)



## World of Work (WOW)

### Key Stage 3, 4 & 5

#### Career Speed Dating

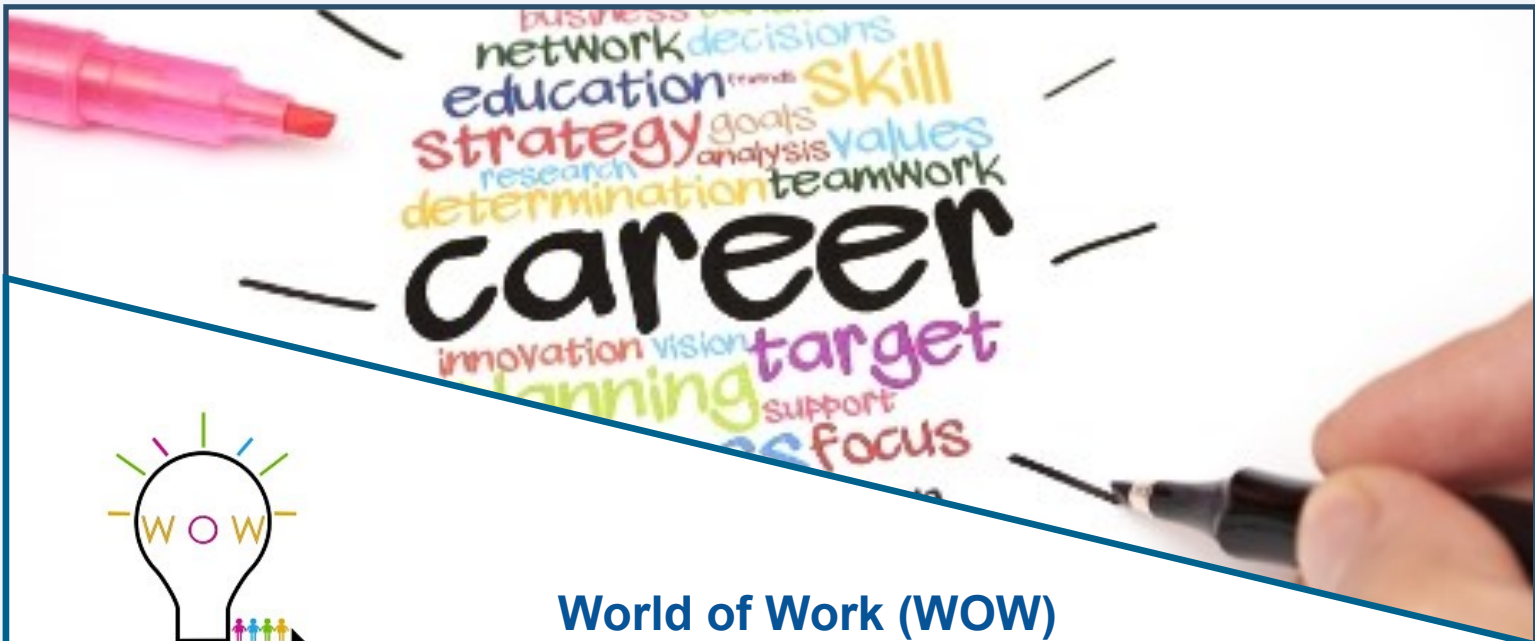
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#### Mock Interviews

Co-ordinated in partnership with the school, students have an arranged 1-1 interview with an employer partner from an employment sector of interest to the student with verbal/written feedback provided. The purpose of a mock interview is to provide students with an opportunity to practice interviewing skills in an environment similar to an actual interview. A mock interview is a great opportunity to become familiar with interview questions and interview etiquette.

#### Career Workshops

Career workshops give pupils insights into a career by having a professional talk them through their own career and education pathway, as well as the job they do and the company they work for. The workshops can be linked to specific themed outcomes or be part of a career workshop day with a number of different sectors and employer partners involved.



## World of Work (WOW) Key Stage 3, 4 & 5

### CareerZone

CareerZone is an Interactive Careers Fair in which students get to experience various different jobs and sectors with real industry experts by participating in practical workshops. The interactive nature of the session give pupils the opportunity to get a real insight into what each career path might entail and gain some meaningful experience of the work involved.

### Bespoke Programmes of Curriculum Enrichment

Tailored to meet your specific needs, a range of employer links can be utilised to provide career talks, question and answer sessions or provide one off workshops which give pupils insights into a career through their own career and education pathway, as well as the job they do.

### Careers Transition Support

A range of fun, interactive activities which explores careers, jobs and skills aimed to support transition with year 6 students as part of your existing transition programme. The activities will encourage the year 6 students to see careers as a part of their secondary education

For any of these careers interventions please contact the secondary WOW Project Lead

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## Regional Training Centre

Being selected as an Apple Regional Training Centre highlights our commitment to facilitating training for teachers to develop skills and build confidence to use Apple technology in the classroom.

Apple Regional Training Centres create a community to share best practice and support teaching staff to attain Apple Teacher status, a professional learning programme designed to support and celebrate educators

Teachers from across the region can attend courses to build their knowledge and skills using technology in the classroom.

  
**COMING SOON**  


**Digital Leader Academy  
goes National**

**iPad Band**

**Aim High with  
Raspberry Pi**



## Regional Training Centre

### Apple Teacher programme



This academic year, one of the CPD opportunities the Trust will be offering to all schools is the Apple Teacher programme through our Apple Regional Training Centre at Stephenson Memorial Primary School.

This accredited training is FREE to all Trust schools and ideally we would like 2 members of staff to attend so that we can have identified Apple Teachers in every Trust school supporting their colleagues in their own school environment

All places in the Autumn Term are now fully booked, but we have availability for Spring and Summer Term. The commitment is 4 afternoons per term 1.00pm-4.00pm  
Information has been sent to all ICT Leads, but if you would like any further information, please contact Laura direct on [laura.dickinson@ntlearningtrust.org.uk](mailto:laura.dickinson@ntlearningtrust.org.uk).

For more information about Apple RTC events or e-learning in your school please contact

[laura.dickinson@ntlearningtrust.org.uk](mailto:laura.dickinson@ntlearningtrust.org.uk)



## Science CPD opportunities

The Trust Science Learning Partnership have a wide range of Primary and Secondary CPD opportunities available

For more information about the Science Learning Partnership please contact

[Laura.topping@ntlearningtrust.org.uk](mailto:Laura.topping@ntlearningtrust.org.uk)

### The Great Outdoor : Natures Classroom

The primary National Curriculum now has an emphasis on outdoor learning. Through this popular course we can offer practical advice to help you make the most of the resources around your school and beyond the classroom to inspire teaching and learning within a safe environment.

Using the outside world will create exciting and inspiring investigations that will motivate and engage your pupils to learn.

**Venue: Denbigh Primary School**

**Date: Thursday 21st September 2017**

**Time: 9.00am-4.00pm**

**Cost: £155.00 per delegate**

To book a place on this course click [HERE](#)



## Working Scientifically

Effective teaching of scientific enquiry is central to developing children's ideas, skills, knowledge and understanding in science.

You will be able to implement strategies for planning, resourcing and organising a range of types of enquiry in order to improve children's outcomes.

**Venue: Wallsend Jubilee Primary School**

**Date: Wednesday 1st November 2017**

**Time: 9.00am-4.00pm**

**Cost: £155.00 per delegate**

To book a place on this course click [HERE](#)

## Primary Science Quality Mark



The Primary Science Quality Mark™ an award scheme to develop and celebrate the quality of science teaching and learning in primary schools. Schools can achieve bronze, silver and gold awards.

If you wish to register your interest or find out more about PSQM then log onto [www.psqm.org.uk](http://www.psqm.org.uk)



## **Strengthening Practical Work in the New GCSE's - Physics**

Explore a range of ideas for teaching topics across the physics curriculum and develop an understanding of how practical work can be made more relevant and effective.

The aim of this course is to enable teachers and technicians of physics to explore a range of ideas for teaching topics across the physics curriculum. Through hands-on activities you will undertake new and established strategies and relevant practical techniques to make students' learning more effective.

\* This course is open to both teachers and technicians. We have found that such courses have the most impact when a teacher and technician attend together; however this is not essential \*

**Venue: George Stephenson High School**

**Date: Friday 22nd September 2017**

**Time: 9.00am-4.00pm**

**Cost: £155.00 per delegate**

**\* Five funded places are available on this course - first come first served \***

**Please contact [Laura Topping](#) to register for a free place**

**To book a place on this course click [HERE](#)**





## Secondary Science Mark

Get your department recognised for the excellent work you do

Science Mark is a quality standard designed to recognise and celebrate good, excellent and outstanding practice in secondary science departments across the UK.

### Why should I take part?

Receive at least a day and a half of support from an external expert

Be recognised for excellence in your science department

Celebrate engaging, stimulating and inspiring lessons for students

Help raise the profile of science across your school

Demonstrate your department's commitment to continual development in science education

For more information or to register please click on the link below

[www.stem.org.uk/science-mark](http://www.stem.org.uk/science-mark)

## STEM Educators

Get professional recognition for your participation



Free to participate in – leads towards accreditation schemes like RSciTeach, RSciTech, CSciTeach (ASE), CPhy (IOP) etc.

Three levels - so accessible for all:

- Effective STEM Teacher or Support staff
- Leading STEM Teacher or Support staff

Whatever level you attain will be an excellent addition to your performance management records, and will help you stand out in the field when applying for new roles.

For more information please follow the link below

[www.stem.org.uk/stem-educators](http://www.stem.org.uk/stem-educators)



The Trust School Improvement Team has been further strengthened this academic year with the appointment of Helen Chambers as the new Maths Lead Practitioner.

Helen will be continuing the maths delivery and development in Trust schools worked on by Wendy Mitcheson and Lindsey Hassan last year.

Helen will soon be in touch to discuss your Maths needs and can be contacted on [helen.chambers@ntlearningtrust.org.uk](mailto:helen.chambers@ntlearningtrust.org.uk)

For a full calendar of events delivered by the Great North Maths Hub please visit the website [www.greatnorthmathsub.co.uk/events](http://www.greatnorthmathsub.co.uk/events)



## Teacher Subject Specialism Training (TSST) Secondary

Our Teacher Subject Specialism Training (TSST) in Secondary Mathematics provides free, high quality professional development to enable and support non-specialist teachers to teach Secondary Mathematics.

Aims of the programme:

- Inspire your enthusiasm for mathematics
- Enhance your mathematical knowledge to be able to confidently deliver mathematics content for Key Stages 3 and 4
- Develop your pedagogical skills in teaching maths
- Provide you with motivating activities and tasks for teaching mathematics.
- Offer mentoring and support throughout the course including observations of teaching in the classroom

The programme consists of:

- A full day induction at The Langdale Centre, Wallsend on Wednesday 1st November.
- Ten twilight pedagogy workshops at The Langdale Centre (Nov 17—May 18) □
- An e-learning and online assessment facility from the CIMT at Plymouth University
- Access to a 30 credit masters module through CIMT at Plymouth University
- Mentor support during the programme \*An Induction session for mentors will be held on 18th October, 9am – 3.30pm

State school teachers can access the programme free of charge - the only cost to school is any cover costs incurred when attending sessions.

All sessions will be held at The Langdale Centre, Wallsend, other than 14th March which will be at Churchill Community College.

For further information, including the date schedule and the expression of interest form, please visit: [www.greatnorthmathshub.co.uk/secondary-mathematics-teacher-subjectspecialism-training-tsst/](http://www.greatnorthmathshub.co.uk/secondary-mathematics-teacher-subjectspecialism-training-tsst/)

# Partner School Opportunities

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## Thrive Lead Practitioner Course - Childhood Years

Learn to work effectively with all children and especially vulnerable children with disruptive and troubling behaviour to help re-engage them with life and learning. You will learn why troubled and vulnerable children behave the way they do. Using Thrive-Online you will be able to screen whole classes and assess individual children to identify their underlying emotional needs and you will be able to select practical activities to help them. By the end of the course you will feel more confident to deal with disruptive and troubling behaviour and you will find stress levels reduce as relationships between staff and children improve.

### Course Content:

- The underpinning theory of brain development and neuroscience
- The Six Developmental Strands of emotional and social development
- Vital Relational Functions
- Attachment Theory
- The role of the arts, play and creativity in supporting social and emotional development
- How fear, anger, loss, change, separation, bereavement and joy can interrupt learning
- Thrive-Online and mentoring throughout the course.

**Duration:** 10 days training spread over two terms (**see dates below**)

**Award:** Thrive membership and Professional Licensing on successful completion of the full course.

**Important:** To maintain professional Licence the Lead Practitioner will need to be an authorised user of Thrive-OnLine through an annual subscription. The initial training fee (see costs below) will cover the cost of access to Thrive On-Line for 90 days. **After the initial 90 days if not already in place you will need to purchase a schools multi-user software subscription which is based on roll number.**

**Requirements:** Full attendance is required for you to gain your Professional Licensed status at the end of the course. No previous qualifications are required other than being comfortable with day to day use of a laptop or tablet, and having the capacity to enjoy working with young people.

### Please note:

- Delegates will need to provide their own wifi enabled Laptop or Tablet
- Delegates will need to provide their own lunch (there will be a restaurant available to purchase lunches at all training venues)
- Refreshments will be provided mid morning and mid afternoon.

# Partner School Opportunities

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**Target Audience:** Teachers and Teaching Assistants

**Thrive Licensed Trainers:** Rachel Hughes and Katie Phillips

**Cost: £1,350 for NorthTyneside Schools  
£1,500 for Out of Borough Schools**

**North Tyneside Learning Trusts Schools have the opportunity to book 2 places for the price of one on a special Buy one Get One Free Offer**

**Course 1 Venues to be confirmed**

13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> September 2017

11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> October 2017  
20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> November 2017  
18<sup>th</sup> December 2017  
22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2018  
26<sup>th</sup> February 2018

A second 10 day Lead Practitioner Course for Childhood Years will run across the following dates:

**Course 2 Venues to be confirmed**

15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> January 2018  
19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> February 2018  
19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> March 2018  
30<sup>th</sup> April 2018  
21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2018  
25<sup>th</sup> June 2018

**To book a place on either course: All bookings need to be made through the North Tyneside Council CPD website at [www.ntcpd.org.uk](http://www.ntcpd.org.uk)**

For further information please contact Rachel Hughes, Educational Psychology Service Manager or Katie Phillips, Educational Psychologist on 0191 643 8739 or Sylvia Wilson in Admin. Support on 0191 643 8740.



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