

Early Excellence
Training Programme
Summer Term

2017



Summer Term CPD
for EYFS & KS1

Leadership Courses



‘Very inspirational – good practical ideas and a vision of what we’d like to achieve.’

Sarah Coley

EYFS Lead, St George’s C.E. Primary School, Tameside

Securing Strong Leadership

This broad range of leadership courses provides opportunities for senior leaders to address key aspects of practice and resolve complex issues. Informative and inspiring, they will enable leaders to monitor and support effective approaches in EYFS and KS1.

How to Strategically Lead Outstanding Teaching in the EYFS

Led by Prof. Julie Fisher
Northern Centre: Thursday 15th June
London Centre: Wednesday 17th May
£200.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

How to Strategically Lead Outstanding Teaching in KS1

Northern Centre: Friday 19th May
London Centre: Friday 26th May
£200.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Being One Step Ahead: Preparing for Section 8 Inspection

Northern Centre: Friday 23rd June
London Centre: Monday 26th June
£200.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Telling the Story: How to Successfully Demonstrate Progress in the EYFS

Northern Centre: Friday 9th June
London Centre: Thursday 15th June
£200.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Telling the Story: How to Successfully Demonstrate Progress in KS1

Northern Centre: Monday 3rd July
London Centre: Wednesday 5th July
£200.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)



How to Book

Courses take place from 9.30am – 3.30pm in our Northern and London Centres. For further details and to book go online at: earlyexcellence.com/cpd-courses



Influential Thinking with Dr. Ioanna Palaiologou



High Level Seminar

The Psychology of Learning & Teaching

If we are truly to maximise learning for all children, then understanding how they learn is critical to effective practice – however we are often faced with a variety of competing psychological theories and explanations.

In this not to be missed, thought provoking seminar, Dr. Ioanna Palaiologou will help unlock these theories and possible barriers to learning. Delegates will discuss the related implications for planning and teaching and explore solutions that lead to successful outcomes.

This is the ideal opportunity for those looking to review, refine and refresh whole school approaches to successful learning, and ideal for those involved in school inclusion seeking to develop their expertise.

Northern Centre: Thurs 18th May
London Centre: Thurs 4th May
£100.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)



Benefits

- Gain a deeper knowledge of psychology theory.
- An understanding of how the different theories relate to the development of learning.
- Clarity around the implications this has for teaching young children.



'Very informative and interactive – challenging my thinking and consideration of practice.'

Rhian McKeating
Nursery Leader,
Heckmondwike Primary
School, Kirklees



Dr. Ioanna Palaiologou
CPsychol AFBPsS,
FRSA.

Dr. Ioanna Palaiologou has worked as a lecturer and researcher in higher education for the past twenty years and is now returning to her career as a child psychologist.

She is a Chartered Psychologist with the British Psychological Society, with a specialism in child development and learning theories.

The course includes a buffet lunch at 12pm. The seminar will begin at 1pm.

Day Courses

Getting it Right from the Start Three Day Courses

To support colleagues moving in to the early years or Y1 in September, we are leading a package of three day courses specifically designed to equip teachers with the knowledge and skills that underpin effective practice. Be sure to secure places as courses start at the end of this term.

Moving into the EYFS: Getting Off to a Flying Start

The role of the teacher in the early years can be challenging, daunting, exciting and extremely rewarding. This three day course will enable teachers new into working in the EYFS to understand essential knowledge and skills based on principled pedagogy. It will enable participants to critically reflect on their own practice and develop their professional expertise and confidence in working with younger children.

Across the course we will look closely at the requirements of the statutory framework (EYFS) and examine how this can be translated into quality practice for all children. The programme will also draw on current research, child development theories and some of the great pioneers and innovators in early education.

Northern Centre:
Day 1: Wednesday 12th July
Day 2: Wednesday 27th Sept
Day 3: Wednesday 15th Nov

London Centre:
Day 1: Tuesday 4th July
Day 2: Thursday 28th Sept
Day 3: Thursday 23rd Nov

£500.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Moving into Y1: Getting Off to a Flying Start

Learning is not separated by fixed boundaries of time. In Y1 it is essential that practice offers continuity from the EYFS and that the learning experiences provided offer sufficient challenge for all children to make progress. This three day course has been specifically designed to enable teachers new to working with this exciting year group to consider how to successfully develop quality and inspirational provision which enriches curriculum delivery.

This in-depth course will provide delegates with the opportunity to review their current practice and address the issue of balance between children's self-initiated learning and adult-led learning. We will explore the challenges of ensuring curriculum coverage that meets the needs of all children; both indoors and outdoors. Later in the course delegates will look more closely at literacy and numeracy in Y1 and consider ways to offer meaningful activities to stimulate children's interest and understanding.

Northern Centre:
Day 1: Thursday 13th July
Day 2: Tuesday 26th Sept
Day 3: Tuesday 7th Nov

London Centre:
Day 1: Friday 16th June
Day 2: Thursday 28th Sept
Day 3: Thursday 9th Nov

£500.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)



How to Book

Courses take place from 9.30am – 3.30pm in our Northern and London Centres. For further details and to book go online at: earlyexcellence.com/cpd-courses



Embracing the Challenges of Y1 Y1 Courses

Join these specialist courses focused on the unique challenges and opportunities that achieving successful learning in Y1 brings. Looking more closely at curriculum development and highly effective learning environments, you will have the chance to explore case studies and learning strategies in depth.

Rethinking the Y1 Classroom

Northern Centre: Wednesday 17th May
London Centre: Tuesday 23rd May
£200.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Unpicking the Issues: Securing a Broad & Balanced Curriculum in Y1

Northern Centre: Friday 16th June
London Centre: Tuesday 13th June
£200.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)



Innovating Outdoor Learning Outdoor Courses

A well-planned outdoor area is a powerful learning environment for your children and these popular and practical day courses explore how to optimise the quality of leading outdoor learning in the early years. We will look at team roles, interaction and observation and you will be sure to take away a wealth of new ideas.

Maximising Outdoor Learning: Leading the Development of Quality Practice

Led by Kathryn Solly
Northern Centre: Tuesday 23rd May
London Centre: Wednesday 21st June
£200.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

How to Make the Most of Outdoor Opportunities in Y1

Northern Centre: Wednesday 7th June
London Centre: Monday 19th June
£200.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)



'Fantastic! Feeling motivated and wanting to change the world!'

Sophie Scurfield
Reception Teacher, Willow Academy, Doncaster

Half Day Courses

Rethinking the Learning Environment

Our half day courses offer a unique opportunity to develop a good understanding of how children learn and how the quality of the learning environment impacts on outcomes. Led by our expert team of EYFS consultants, these practical sessions will help you to share best practice and develop lots of ideas to enrich teaching and extend learning. Why not book to stay and have your lunch with colleagues afterwards? Contact admin@earlyexcellence.com for details.

Taking a Fresh Look at Dough & Malleable Materials

Northern Centre: Wednesday 10th May
London Centre: Wednesday 10th May
£75.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Taking a Fresh Look at Woodwork

Northern Centre: Wednesday 24th May
London Centre: Tuesday 6th June
£75.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Taking a Fresh Look at Sand & Water

Northern Centre: Wednesday 21st June
London Centre: Tuesday 20th June
£75.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Taking a Fresh Look at Blocks & Small World

Northern Centre: Friday 30th June
London Centre: Friday 30th June
£75.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Book all four half day courses as a package at the discounted rate of £250.00 (exc. VAT).



How to Book

Courses take place from 9.30am – 12.00pm in our Northern and London Centres. For further details and to book go online at: earlyexcellence.com/cpd-courses



Planning to refurbish your classrooms?

Book a free room plan today.

For advice and support in planning your classrooms or to request a free room plan, please contact: phil@earlyexcellence.com or call 01422 311 314



'Your consultant worked with our school to help us to see and develop a wealth of possibilities and opportunities for our early years foundation children. We now have a vibrant environment with enthused staff and engaged children.'

Tina Olivia

Head Teacher, St John Evangelist Catholic Primary School, Islington

Twilights



‘Very very good, inspiring and stimulating. I have been teaching for many many years and this course was excellent.’

Graham Josephs
Reception Teacher, St Robert
Southwell School, Brent

Inspirational Twilights

Our ever popular twilight sessions celebrate a diverse range of best practice across the curriculum – packed full of inspirational ideas and easy to access as a team. Book soon as places are always in demand.

Magical Make-believe: Role Play Outdoors

Northern Centre: Thursday 11th May
London Centre: Tuesday 9th May
£35.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

In the Den! Extending Collaborative Thinking Outdoors

Northern Centre: Wednesday 17th May
London Centre: Tuesday 16th May
£35.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Magnifying Maths: Working on a Large Scale Outdoors

Northern Centre: Thursday 22nd June
London Centre: Wednesday 7th June
£35.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

What’s in a Story? Enriching Language & Literacy Outdoors

Northern Centre: Tuesday 27th June
London Centre: Thursday 29th June
£35.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

From One Small Thing: Planning Inspirational Challenges for Y1

Northern Centre: Wednesday 5th July
London Centre: Tuesday 27th June
£35.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)



How to Book

Courses take place from 4.30pm – 6.00pm in our Northern and London Centres. For further details and to book go online at: earlyexcellence.com/cpd-courses





Planning to
develop your
outdoor area?

Book a free
consultation
today.

For advice and support
in planning your outdoor
area or to request a free
consultation, please contact:
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or call 01422 311 314



'We have an unusual
outdoor space, and it was
through our work with Early
Excellence, who inspired
and supported us, that
we were able to provide
an exciting, dynamic,
challenging and well-
resourced area which offers
opportunities for children
to become independent
learners and explorers
outdoors.'

Judy Shaw

Headteacher, Tuel Lane Infant
School, Sowerby Bridge

Workshops

Improving the Adult Role Practical Workshops

Join these highly practical small group workshops to explore in detail the ways in which adults can support children's learning by improving interaction and building on their interests throughout the learning environment. There will be lots of group discussion and hands-on activities to support the adult role. Why not book to stay and have your lunch with colleagues afterwards? Contact admin@earlyexcellence.com for details.

Securing Effective Interactions: How to Support & Extend Children's Learning

Northern Centre: Wednesday 14th June
London Centre: Tuesday 13th June
£55.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Building on Children's Interests: How to Maximise Opportunities for Learning

Northern Centre: Tuesday 9th May
London Centre: Thursday 11th May
£55.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Supporting Children's Self-Initiated Play: How to Use Continuous Provision Effectively

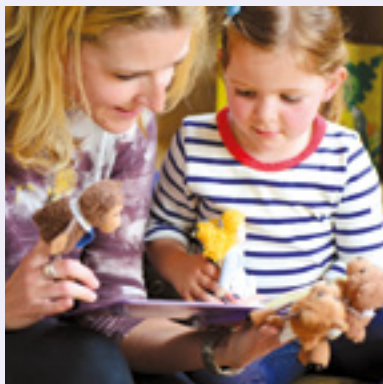
Northern Centre: Tuesday 6th June
London Centre: Wednesday 14th June
£55.00 per delegate (exc. VAT)

Book all three workshops as a package at the discounted rate of £150.00 (exc. VAT).



How to Book

Courses take place from 10.00am – 12.00pm in our Northern and London Centres. For further details and to book go online at: earlyexcellence.com/cpd-courses



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Inspirational Bespoke Training

We offer a wide variety of training and specialise in helping schools with similar needs to share training through local networks and courses. Whether you need training for a group of NQT's or have a specific area of practice to develop, we can help at our Centres or in your school. To enquire, contact nikki@earlyexcellence.com





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Venue

Training courses are held at our Northern Centre and London Centre.

Confirmation Notice

Confirmation notices are automated and sent at the time of booking online. If you do not receive your confirmation notice, please contact us.

Payment Terms

All courses and other training event fees are shown excluding VAT, which is added and itemised on the invoice. Please do not issue payment before receiving your invoice. Payment is due within 30 days of the invoice date.

How to Cancel

Cancellations MUST be made through your online account – this can be done within your original online order. Cancellations notified more than five working days before the course do not incur a cancellation fee. Cancellations notified within five working days of the course, or non-attendance for any reason, incur the full course fee.

Terms & Conditions

Our full T&Cs are available at www.earlyexcellence.com/terms or request a copy by contacting us on 01422 311 314.

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