

CPD Enrichment Programme 2019/2020

Course details i.e. venue/date/time might change depending on availability. Please see our website for up-to-date information on all our training courses: www.pepmk.co.uk

Please Note: As many courses are oversubscribed schools are expected to cancel 48 hours in advance.

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| AUTUMN 2019 | | | | |
| 26.9.19 Nursery Staff Professional Development Group (1 of 6) | 4.00-5.00 Rickley Park Primary School, Rickley Ln, Bletchley, Milton Keynes MK3 6EW | An opportunity for Nursery staff to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Early Years Staff Nursery Staff |
| 7.10.19 Emergency First Aid (Autumn) | 1:00-3:00 MK Play Association 2 Burners Lane, Kiln Farm, Milton Keynes, MK11 3HB | At the end of this 2 hour course you will be able to recognise and treat an unconscious person. Recognise and treat choking. Perform CPR. Recognise and treat severe bleeding. | Cost £30 per delegate , If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | All Staff ONLY 18 SPACES AVAILABLE |
| 14.10.19 Ofsted Update: Implications of the New Framework | 9.30-12.30 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Helen Jones School Improvement Adviser and Consultant | This session will focus on the changes to the inspection regime which comes into play at the start of the autumn term. There will be opportunities for delegates to consider the implications of the changes on their practice and on their readiness for inspection. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Leaders |

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| 15.10.19 Learning Mentor Professional Development Group (1 of 6) | 9.30-10.30 Oldbrook First School, Illingworth Place, Oldbrook, Milton Keynes, MK6 2NH | An opportunity for Learning Mentors to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Learning Mentors Support Staff |
| 17.10.19 SEMH Series: Looking after the wellbeing of your staff | 10.30-12.00 TBC Lisa Lloyd- Independent Psychologist & Psychotherapist | The recent emphasis on promoting the mental health of pupils is welcome but what about schools' greatest asset; their staff? Teaching is tough. This course will help you reflect on what you can do to look after yourself and those around you. You will gain an understanding of stressors and how they can impact on performance. You will identify ways to limit the impact of stress and to build resilience including help-seeking and help-giving. We will also explore factors that schools should be considering in order to enable staff to thrive. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | ALL Staff ONLY 32 SPACES AVAILABLE |
| 14.11.19 SEMH Series: Attachment Workshop | 10.30-12.00 TBC Lisa Lloyd- Independent Psychologist & Psychotherapist | We will explore the role of attachment in children's development and the impact that different attachment styles have on children's cognition and behaviour. This understanding will help you empathise more with children who are poorly attached. We consider implications for learning and for teaching in the classroom and consider strategies to reduce the impact of attachment difficulties on their everyday lives. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | ALL Staff ONLY 32 SPACES AVAILABLE |

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| 18.11.19 Social Stories /Comic Strip Conversations | 9.30-12.30 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Melissa McIlhiney Specialist Speech and Language Therapist | Children with speech and language or social communication difficulties often find new situations or high level of language difficult. Social stories and comic strip conversations can be used in numerous ways: to develop understanding, to pre-warn of a upcoming event, to stop an unwanted behaviour or reaction. This seminar teaches you the theory behind social stories and comic strips and provides you with detailed guidance on how to create individual resources for children within your care. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers SENDCo TAs HLTAs Learning Mentors Support Staff |
| 19.11.19 Maths in the Early Years | 1.00-3.00 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Katherine Milner Independent Maths | This practical session will support EYFS practitioners in exploring key mathematical concepts in light of the updated Early Learning Goals for mathematics and ways in which they may provide opportunities for all children to develop and deepen their conceptual understanding of these. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers Early Years Support Staff |

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| 19.11.19 Preparing for the end of KS2 Maths Tests | 3.30-5.30 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Katherine Milner Independent Maths Consultant | This session will provide teachers with different approaches to optimise every child's chance of success in the end of key stage 2 mathematics tests. It will include how to identify the specific aspects of the mathematics curriculum to focus on for different groups of children in the lead up to the tests. There will also be detailed exploration of past test papers and questions and will make alternative suggestions about how these could be used in the classroom in engaging and purposeful ways. The session will also focus on effective pedagogy to enable the children to develop mathematical understanding which they can draw upon during and beyond the tests. | Partnership Schools- £0 Non-Partnership Schools- £50 If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers |
| 20.11.19 Supporting Mathematical Learning | 1.00-3.00 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Katherine Milner Independent Maths Consultant | This session will focus on the ways in which additional adults in the classroom may support children, whether individuals or groups, within the whole class maths lesson. Participants will encounter different strategies that they can use with the children they work with to develop understanding of the mathematics, confidence and independence. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | HLTAs TAs Support Staff |

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| 20.11.19 Understanding Times Tables | 3.30-5.30 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Katherine Milner Independent Maths Consultant | This practical session will explore tried-and-tested approaches to developing children's understanding of multiplication using a range of resources and representations. The emphasis on conceptual understanding, rather than rote memorisation, will support the children in recalling multiplication (and related division) facts whilst, more importantly, equipping them with strategies for deriving facts that they have not yet committed to memory. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers |
| 26.11.19 Monitoring For Subject Leaders | 10.00-12.00 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Craig Duncan Independent School Improvement Adviser | Achieving and demonstrating impact on teaching and learning and outcomes for pupils is the key challenge for middle and subject leaders. This two hour course will enable delegates to develop a good understanding of how to generate data and information with which to drive school improvement and how to present this to stakeholders through a series of practical, user-friendly templates and tools. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Leaders Subject Leaders Teachers |

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| 26.11.19 Understanding Formative Assessment | 1.00-3.00 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Craig Duncan Independent School Improvement Adviser | Rich, dialogic assessment is one of the keys to great teaching and unlocking pupil potential. This two hour course enables delegates to deepen their understanding of why 'in the moment' assessment is vital to securing good progress and provides a range of practical suggestions and materials which can be tried straight away in the classroom. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers Leaders |
| 28.11.19 Learning Mentor Professional Development Group (2 of 6) | 1.30-2.30 Oldbrook First School, Illingworth Place, Oldbrook, Milton Keynes, MK6 2NH | An opportunity for Learning Mentors to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Learning Mentors Support Staff |
| 28.11.19 Nursery Staff Professional Development Group (2 of 6) | 4.00-5.00 Cedars Primary School, Bury Street, Newport Pagnell, MK16 0DT | An opportunity for Nursery staff to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Early Years Staff Nursery Staff |

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| TBC Support Staff Professional Development Group (Autumn) (Formerly HLTA/TA PDG) | TBC St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN TBC | This Support Staff professional development group is open to all Support Staff. The three termly sessions provide a fantastic opportunity to hear great speakers, meet and talk with others and share good practice. The focus for this session will be confirmed shortly. | Free to all schools | TAs HLTAs Support Staff |
| TBC Leadership Professional Development Group (Autumn) (Formerly | TBC St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN TBC | This Assistant/Deputy Head professional development group is open to all Deputy and Assistant Heads. The three termly sessions provide a fantastic opportunity to hear great speakers, meet and talk with others and share new initiatives and ideas. The focus for this session will be confirmed shortly. Please feel free to arrive early and network with colleagues. Tea, coffee and pastries will be provided from 12.30-1.00. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Assistant Headteachers Deputy Headteachers Senior Leaders |
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| 21.1.20 Learning Mentor Professional Development Group (3 of 6) | 9.30-10.30 Oldbrook First School, Illingworth Place, Oldbrook, Milton Keynes, MK6 2NH | An opportunity for Learning Mentors to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Learning Mentors Support Staff |

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| 23.1.20 SEMH Series: Anxiety Workshop | 10.30-12.00 TBC Lisa Lloyd- Independent Psychologist & Psychotherapist | This workshop will help you understand the role of anxiety and why the brain adopts this response to the environment, even when as adults we do not perceive a 'justifiable' cause. We will differentiate between normal and problematic anxiety. We will examine the physiological and neurological response that anxiety provokes and the implications this has for learning. You will learn a range of coping strategies for pupils (that will also benefit staff). | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | ALL Staff ONLY 32 SPACES AVAILABLE |
| 23.1.20 Nursery Staff Professional Development Group (3 of 6) | 4.00-5.00 Newton Leys Primary School, San Andres Dr, Bletchley, Milton Keynes MK3 5GG | An opportunity for Nursery staff to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Early Years Staff Nursery Staff |
| 27.1.20 Emergency First Aid (Spring) | 1:00-3:00 MK Play Association 2 Burners Lane, Kiln Farm, Milton Keynes, MK11 3HB | At the end of this 2 hour course you will be able to recognise and treat an unconscious person. Recognise and treat choking. Perform CPR. Recognise and treat severe bleeding. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | All Staff ONLY 18 SPACES AVAILABLE |

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| 6.2.20 Annual Partnership Event | 8.45 - 13.15 Abbey Hill Golf Club Abbey Hill, Monks Way Two Mile Ash Milton Keynes MK8 8AA | <p>All Heads and Deputies are warmly invited to the Annual PEP:mk Partnership Event at Abbey Hill Golf Course.</p> <p><u>Challenging Underperformance</u> In this talk as a precursor to the two part course later in the term, Juliet Adlouné will present an approach to challenging underperformance which is structured and transparent with consideration of the 'how, when and why'. In addition, the well-being of all involved will be upheld.</p> <p><u>Speed Dating</u> Have you ever done speed dating before? Innovate My School will showcase some engaging products around 'Reducing teacher workload' in a fun and effective way.</p> <p><u>Afternoon Tea</u> We will finish off the day with a delicious traditional afternoon tea and some great networking opportunities for everyone.</p> <p>Please book your FREE space by 27th January 2020.</p> | Free to all schools | Headteachers Deputy Heads |

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| 10.2.20 Lego Therapy Training | 9.30-12.30 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Melissa McIlhiney Specialist Speech and Language Therapist | Lego Therapy is an evidence based intervention that is used to support individuals with social communication and language difficulties. This interactive seminar teaches the theory behind Lego therapy and gives guidance on how to implement Lego therapy interventions for children within your setting. Allowing your staff to develop the relevant skills to support the children to meet their full communication potential. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers SENDCo TAs HLTAs Learning Mentors Support Staff |
| 10.3.20 Introduction to working with children with challenging behaviour outdoors | 1.00-3.00 TBC Jo Clanfield and Alex Williams Specialist Outdoor Teachers | This workshop introduces the reasons why children and young people may demonstrate challenging behaviour and demonstrates practical outdoor skills of how to work collaboratively towards positive solutions. This course will be delivered indoors and outdoors so please ensure you dress suitably. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers TAs HLTAs Learning Mentors |

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| 12.3.20 SEMH Series: Depression Workshop | 10.30-12.00 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Lisa Lloyd- Independent Psychologist & Psychotherapist | We will identify differences in mood and when to be concerned. You will better understand the impact of depression on children's ability to engage with the world, including their learning. We will consider causes of depression in young people so that we can empathise and instil the belief and expectation that it can change. We explore interventions and self-help strategies that can be implemented to help lift pupils out of depression. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | ALL Staff ONLY 32 SPACES AVAILABLE |
| 17.3.20 Questioning For Depth & Mastery | 10.00-12.00 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Craig Duncan Independent School Improvement Adviser | Developing conceptual understanding at greater depth is one of the cornerstones of the national curriculum. Teachers need to become highly skilled at using rich questioning to secure learning and then deepen understanding so that it 'sticks' and can be applied across many subject areas. This two hour course will provide delegates with the research-based justifications for why questioning is so important and a range of practical models which can be used back in the classroom. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers |

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| 17.3.20 Language & Vocabulary For Depth & Mastery | 1.00-3.00 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Craig Duncan Independent School Improvement Adviser | Acquiring a wide range of vocabulary for comprehension and application is a fundamental requirement of the current national curriculum. Statistics and research have revealed that the language gap at five years old for disadvantaged pupils has a significant impact on outcomes later in life. This three hour course explains the moral imperative for providing pupils with a workable vocabulary, the thinking that is required for planning and delivery in the classroom and practical suggestions and materials for delegates to use back in school. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers |
| 18.3.20 Understanding Depth & Mastery For Support Staff | 10.00-12.00 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Craig Duncan Independent School Improvement Adviser | Teaching Assistants and additional adults can make a significant impact in the classroom and make the biggest contribution when they enhance and build upon the learning being driven by teachers. Understanding the requirements of security, depth and mastery are central to this. This two hour course will give delegates a sound understanding of these elements and a range of practical suggestions and resources to take back to school and use straight away. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Support Staff |

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| 18.3.20 Curriculum Planning For Depth & Mastery | 1.00-3.00 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Craig Duncan Independent School Improvement Adviser | Organising a curriculum for depth and conceptual understanding is key to achieving the aims of the current national curriculum. Ofsted has recognised this and the increased focus on how schools develop their provision is going to take effect in September 2019. This three hour course will enable delegates to prepare for the new requirements and to support with the leadership of designing a whole-school curriculum which meets the needs of its pupils whilst maintaining a drive for high standards. Planning tools will be provided. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers |
| 19.3.20 Learning Mentor Professional Development Group (4 of 6) | 1.30-2.30 Oldbrook First School, Illingworth Place, Oldbrook, Milton Keynes, MK6 2NH | An opportunity for Learning Mentors to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Learning Mentors Support Staff |
| 19.3.20 Nursery Staff Professional Development Group (4 of 6) | 4.00-5.00 Wood End First School, Redbridge, Stantonbury, Milton Keynes MK14 6BB | An opportunity for Nursery staff to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Early Years Staff Nursery Staff |

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| 24.3.20 Developing Learning/Life Skills Outdoors in the Early Years | 1.00-3.00 TBC Jo Clanfield Specialist Outdoor Teacher | Do you have 'starfish' children in your EYFS area? By this I mean children who stand like a starfish and lack the independence skills they need to be active learners. If you would like to encourage children to develop their life skills then this is the workshop for you! The main areas we will focus on include social, thinking, communication and independence skills. The main aim of this training is to provide teachers and practitioners with an approach to outdoor activities that supports children to develop lifelong learning skills. Please be aware that we will be outside for most of this session, regardless of the weather, so it is important to bring appropriate outdoor clothing. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers Support Staff Early Years Staff TAs HLTAs Learning Mentors |
| 30.3.20 How to Utilise Free PR and Marketing Tools | 9.30-11.30 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Heather Murphy Director of Brand Mission | Designed to give you an understanding of digital marketing and how you can utilise free tools for your school. This workshop will cover: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Google Analytics and how to interpret data • How to make social media manageable • External communication including PR and knowing where to advertise You will come away with an understanding of how to use tools which don't require too much time but can have a big impact to your marketing. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Headteachers Teachers School Business Managers School Office Staff |

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| 28.4.20 Incredible Inference: Teaching inference in KS1 and KS2 | 9.30-12.30 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Rachel Clarke Primary English Ed | On this course, Rachel Clarke provides teachers with a broader understanding of the range of skills involved in inference. Rachel shares practical approaches and activities that enable children to infer meaning so that they can open-up the lines of text and find the hidden answers. Course Outcomes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consider what is meant by inference • Extend understanding of the requirements of the KS1 & KS2 reading SATs • Explore how inference is tested in the KS1 & KS2 reading SATs • Participate in reading comprehension activities | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers |
| 28.4.20 Broadening and Deepening Children's Writing in KS1 and KS2 | 1.15-4.15 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Rachel Clarke Primary English Ed | Rachel Clarke shares techniques and approaches to bring writing in KS1 and KS2 alive. With children's literature at the core of this course, participants should expect to plan, draft and write their own texts based on those they have read. During this course, Rachel explores different story structures, grammar in context, writing across the curriculum and writing for different purposes and audiences. Course Outcomes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extend understanding of narrative structure to include a range of models for creative writing • Use children's literature as models for creative writing • Undertake writing activities that can be replicated in the classroom | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers |

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| 28.4.20 Improving Engagement in an ASD Friendly Classroom | 1.00-3.00 The Willows School and Early Years Centre Fishermead Boulevard Fishermead Milton Keynes MK6 2LP Cheryl Kennedy Director of AIW Consultancy (Autism Inclusion Wellbeing) | Children on the autistic spectrum and those with sensory processing differences have to work far harder than any other child just to be able to focus. This session aims to inform and educate you about the different types of sensory needs that children can face within the classroom. It will provide you with the answers to such questions as Why wont he sit up on the carpet? Why can she not work independently? You will leave with practical ways to make your classrooms more sensory friendly that will enable better engagement and aid the progress of everyone. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers SENDCo TAs HLTAs Learning Mentors Support Staff |
| 6.5.20 Developing Communication and Oracy Skills for Early Years Children | 9.30-12.30 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Suzanne Dunne EYFS Teacher and Consultant | This workshop is of interest for all EYFS and staff in year 1. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The course will aid delegates in understanding and provide ideas for enhancing and developing children's understanding, expressive language and attention skills. • Delegates will gain knowledge of the process of speech, language and communication in young children. • Everyone will take away ideas to utilise in their own setting and ways to monitor their impact. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers Support Staff Early Years Staff ONLY 25 SPACES AVAILABLE |

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| 6.5.20 Challenging and supporting children in working towards an exceeding judgement in reading and writing in Reception | 1.15-4.15 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Suzanne Dunne EYFS Teacher and Consultant | This workshop is of interest to Reception based staff and Year 1 teachers as a preparation for transition in September for the new academic year. The delegates will <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unpick and explore both the as expected and the exceeding judgements for literacy; thus developing their understanding of the exceeding judgements in both these learning goals. • They will take away some practical ideas to utilise within the classroom to ensure that sufficient challenge is provided to support their reception children as they work towards an exceeding judgement in reading and writing. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers Support Staff Early Years Staff ONLY 30 SPACES AVAILABLE |
| 6.5.20 Loose parts play in the Early Years | 1.00-3.00 Greenleys First School, Ardwell Lane, Greenleys, MK12 6AT Jo Clanfield Specialist Outdoor Teacher | Explore the benefits of using loose parts and how they can be used in the early years to support learning. This is a hands on workshop where there will be lots of time to explore loose parts and a range of practical ideas for you try in your setting. Each school attending will be provided with a loose parts resource bag to take back to their school. | Cost £30 per delegate, if delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers Early Years Staff TAs HLTAs Learning Mentors |

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| 7.5.20 SEMH Series: Self-harm workshop | 10.30-12.00 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Lisa Lloyd Independent Psychologist & Psychotherapist | This workshop will help you to develop your understanding of self-harming behaviours; the different forms and the potential triggers. We will look at the response and role of school staff in providing support. You will gain confidence in developing and delivering support plans and involving specialist services. We will consider how whole school strategies and ethos can be developed and strengthened. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | All Staff ONLY 32 SPACES AVAILABLE |
| 14.5.20 Nursery Staff Professional Development Group (5 of 6) | 4.00-5.00 Priory Rise Primary School, 160 Bronte Avenue, Tattenhoe Park, MK4 3GE | An opportunity for Nursery staff to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Early Years Staff Nursery Staff |
| 19.5.20 Learning Mentor Professional Development Group (5 of 6) | 9.30-10.30 Oldbrook First School, Illingworth Place, Oldbrook, Milton Keynes, MK6 2NH | An opportunity for Learning Mentors to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Learning Mentors Support Staff |

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| 8.6.20 Emergency First Aid (Summer) | 1:00-3:00 MK Play Association 2 Burners Lane, Kiln Farm, Milton Keynes, MK11 3HB | At the end of this 2 hour course you will be able to recognise and treat an unconscious person. Recognise and treat choking. Perform CPR. Recognise and treat severe bleeding. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | All Staff ONLY 18 SPACES AVAILABLE |
| 18.6.20 SEMH Series: Gender/Identity Workshop | 10.30-12.00 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Lisa Lloyd- Independent Psychologist & Psychotherapist | We consider the development of sense of self and the formation of gender identity. The link between gender dysphoria and additional psychological vulnerabilities will be discussed to help retain a holistic approach to the young person's emotional health. The implications for schools will be explored, both in terms of organisation to prevent discrimination and increase acceptance, and potential issues around bullying. We will examine the critical role of partnership with parents. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | All Staff ONLY 32 SPACES AVAILABLE |

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| 24.6.20 Vivacious Vocabulary: Developing Children's Vocabularies in KS1 and KS2 | 9.30-12.30 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Rachel Clarke Primary English Ed | Vivacious Vocabulary: Developing Children's Vocabularies in KS1 and KS2 provides teachers with practical, engaging strategies for teaching vocabulary in the primary school. Starting with research, this course secures vocabulary teaching in 'best practice' so that it is part of a rich language-based approach to teaching and learning. During this course, Rachel shares high quality techniques to ensure all participants leave feeling confident in their ability to teach vocabulary skills robustly, actively and strategically. Course Outcomes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consider the place of vocabulary in the 2014 National Curriculum • Familiarisation with research relating to vocabulary acquisition • Consider how vocabulary is assessed in the end of key stage tests • Explore ways to teach vocabulary systematically in the primary classroom. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers |
| 24.6.20 Embedding Grammar using Children's Literature | 1.15-4.15 St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN Rachel Clarke Primary English Ed | This course brings grammar alive by demonstrating how grammatical techniques are used authentically in children's texts. Experienced trainer and education writer, Rachel Clarke, takes participants on a trip through her personal library as she demonstrates how the grammar taught in KS1 and KS2 is used by experienced children's writers. This is a highly practical course and one that aims to inspire teachers to make connections between the requirements of the national curriculum for grammar and a love of high-quality children's literature. Course Outcomes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Build familiarity with the use of grammar for authentic writing • Use children's literature as a source for grammar teaching • Undertake practical activities linked to the grammar requirements of the national curriculum | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Teachers |

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| 2.7.20 Learning Mentor Professional Development Group (6 of 6) | 1.30-2.30 Oldbrook First School, Illingworth Place, Oldbrook, Milton Keynes, MK6 2NH | An opportunity for Learning Mentors to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Learning Mentors Support Staff |
| 2.7.20 Nursery Staff Professional Development Group (6 of 6) | 4.00-5.00 Russell Street First School, Russell St, Stony Stratford, Milton Keynes MK11 1BT | An opportunity for Nursery staff to meet together to share ideas and good practice, discuss national developments, changes, etc. and support one another. | Free to all schools | Early Years Staff Nursery Staff |
| TBC Support Staff Professional Development Group (Summer) (Formerly HLTA/TA PDG) | TBC St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN TBC | This Support Staff professional development group is open to all Support Staff. The three termly sessions provide a fantastic opportunity to hear great speakers, meet and talk with others and share good practice. The focus for this session will be confirmed shortly. | Free to all schools | TAs HLTAs Support Staff |

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| TBC Leadership Professional Development Group (Summer) (Formerly Assistant/Deputy Head PDG) | TBC St Paul's Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN TBC | This Assistant/Deputy Head professional development group is open to all Deputy and Assistant Heads. The three termly sessions provide a fantastic opportunity to hear great speakers, meet and talk with others and share new initiatives and ideas. The focus for this session will be confirmed shortly. Please feel free to arrive early and network with colleagues. Tea, coffee and pastries will be provided from 12.30-1.00. | Cost £30 per delegate, If delegates fail to attend and no cancellation is made this will incur a £30 charge. | Assistant Headteachers Deputy Headteachers Senior Leaders |