# School Improvement Continuous Professional Development 2015/16



# CPD Leader Update - Term 5 2016

### <u>Subject Leader Topics – Summer Term</u>

**English:** The summer English Subject Leader meeting will provide any relevant updates from the DfE and Local Authority. In addition to this, there will be a chance for delegates to (voluntarily) contribute a brief presentation about a project or example of good practice from their own school. (Any delegate interested in doing so, please email Penelope.bill@kent.gov.uk in advance of the meeting, so that timing can be planned.) We will also share books and texts which suit the different age groups in the Primary school. Delegates are asked to bring a text for each year group, with a sticky note attached to suggest the year group it would suit, together with any particular elements of English which that text promotes.

**Maths:** News and updates, A review of the work of the HUB, Adapting the Kent planning for mastery, We will be introducing a sample plan that schools can trial which takes the Kent planning and adapts it to reflect the needs of Mastery, What are the key elements in the Singapore approach that schools can adopt for the coming year, Year 5 moderation - all schools are asked to bring samples of work from year 5 to compare and moderate, All participants will be given a staff meeting to run of the using the Bar Model in their schools.

**AEN:** Best endeavours in the SEND Code of Practice, SEN decision making, SEND reporting, The DfE's fifth priority

#### **Course Reminders**

### **Subject Leadership in Action:**

25/04/2016: Hythe Imperial Hotel 16/05/2016: Holiday Inn, Wrotham

13/06/2016: Howfield Manor Horel 04/07/2016: The Hop Farm

Developing Effective Monitoring and Evaluation Practice for all Middle Leaders, including English, Mathematics, Science and Curriculum Subject Leaders and Inclusion Leaders

27/06/2016: Hythe Imperial Hotel 29/06/2016: Howfield Manor 30/06/2016: Salomons

Monitoring the attainment of children in primary science

09/06/2016 - Rianos, Maidstone

#### Good learning starts with questions not answers (Teaching Assistants)

04/05/2016: Inn on the Lake 26/05/2016 St Augustines

14/06/2016 The Conningbrook Hotel 23/06/2016 Mercure Hotel, T Wells

Early Years Foundation Stage Ofsted Toolkit for Head Teachers (2 sessions)

27/04/2016 & 24/05/2016 (am): Shepway Centre, Maidstone

## **Conference Reminders**

#### **Teaching for Mastery Using Big Ideas in Mathematics**

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June Ashford International Hotel

What are big ideas in mathematics and why are they important? As noted in the aims for the new UK National Curriculum: Mathematics is an interconnected subject pupils should make rich connections across mathematical ideas to develop fluency, mathematical reasoning and competence in solving increasingly sophisticated problems. In this keynote Mike Askew will look at how a focus on teaching for Big Ideas can help achieve these aims. Mike will then go onto to explore a definition of what constitutes a Big Idea in primary mathematics, what some of the main Big Ideas are, and how working with Big Ideas can help address with learner diversity and promoting inclusive classrooms.

Click here to request your place

### **Shaping The Future - Kent Association of Head Teachers**

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2016 Ashford International Hotel

This is a key event for the heads of primary, secondary and special schools in the county, and we are delighted to announce the list of confirmed speakers:

- Professor Lord Robert Winston
- Baroness Sue Campell
- Baroness Estelle Morris
- > Toby Greany Professor of Leadership and Innovation at the Institute of Education

In addition to the keynote speakers, the conference will include a range of workshops on aspects of leadership and innovative approaches to teaching and learning.

There are 3 booking options – for further information please click on the relevant link below:

Conference and drinks receptiononly

Conference, drinks reception, dinner and evening entertainment

Conference, drinks reception, dinner and entertainment with overnight accommodation

For further details on all CPD and to book courses and conferences please go to: www.kentcpdonline.org.uk.

If you have any queries regarding the programme, or can't find what you're looking for then please contact me: <a href="mailto:amy.raggett@kent.gov.uk">amy.raggett@kent.gov.uk</a>

If you have any queries regarding the use of CPD online please e-mail the helpdesk: kentcpdonline@kent.gov.uk

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