

Course Programme 2025-2026



Secondary



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How to use this booklet

The following course booklet is designed to be used as an in-school tool to plan professional development across the academic year. Each subject area has been colour coded for ease of recognition. For up-to-date Information on any of the courses in this booklet, please visit our website at

www.lancashire.gov.uk/lpds/courses

How do I apply for a course?

The easiest way to book a training course is online at www.lancashire.gov.uk/lpds

You can search for a course by keyword, subject area or by entering the course code (e.g. PIV400). All current courses can be found on the website above, which is updated throughout the year as new courses are added.

Login, your bursar or head can help you create an account, select your chosen course date/venue using the radio button, and complete your attendee details, before selecting 'Book Course'.

'Continuing Professional Development (CPD) is a continuous, planned, and lifelong process through which educators develop their professional and personal qualities, and expand their practice, knowledge and skills, resulting in their empowerment, and growth of their organisation and their learners.'

Effective Teaching and Learning | What is CPD for Teachers? Structural Learning



Welcome to the 2025/2026 secondary consultant and LPDS team offer. We know how important it is for you as school leaders to be able to access the specialist, bespoke support that you need to best meet your individual school's development priorities.

Our team are here to support you, in any secondary setting, through a range of flexible, personalised and cost-effective professional learning opportunities.

We know from your feedback how much schools trust and value the experienced, specialist and professional support of the secondary team.

We have a vibrant, diverse and engaging CPD programme available for the new academic year, covering aspects of:

- Mathema cs
- Science
- English
- Whole-school Literacy
- Leadership development
- Behaviour
- Personal, Social and Health Educa on
- Whole-school Learning & Teaching
- Safeguarding
- Management of medical needs
- Paediatric First Aid
- SEND
- Equality & Inclusion network mee ngs
- Schools of Sanctuary network mee ngs
- English as an Addi onal Language network mee ngs
- Suppor ng Gypsy, Roma and Traveller children: CPD and networks

We also have our highly successful half-termly Senior Leaders briefings; which are always extremely well at ended and popular events.

We look forward to welcoming you and your colleagues to our secondary LPDS training sessions this coming year.

If you have any ques ons about the programme or offer please just email secondary.consultants@lancashire.gov.uk and we will be happy to help.

With best wishes.

Secondary Consultant Team

'High quality teaching improves pupil outcomes and effective professional development offers a crucial tool to develop teaching quality and subsequently enhance children's outcomes in the classroom.'

Effective Professional Development – Guidance Report (p10); Education Endowment Foundation



Secondary

English and Literacy



Katy McWean

Prior to taking on the role of Lancashire Secondary Consultant for English and Literacy, Katy worked as a English teacher for nearly twenty-three years in a large successful English department in a 11-18 school, working as Head of English for twelve of those years and a variety of significant leadership roles prior to this. Katy is vehemently passionate about her subject, and prides herself on her excellent working relationships based on trust and mutual respect.

As a highly experienced English practitioner, Katy's consultant role primarily involves providing bespoke support for English departments according to need, running English training courses and hosting termly English subject leader meetings. Katy is particularly proud that feedback from such sessions is consistently excellent. Typical delegate comments from recent courses include: 'Fantastic ...I have taken so much from it.', 'really useful and thought provoking' course, and 'I really enjoyed the session'.

Outside of work, when not watching her beloved Liverpool Football Club, Katy loves nothing better than curling up with a good book; however, if you were to ask her what is her favourite, she would not be able to tell you – she has far too many!

Mathematics



Kate Griffiths

Kate began her teaching career in 2009 at an 11–18 secondary school in St Helens. She later moved into the FE sector at a high-performing Lancashire college, where she taught A level and GCSE maths, leading the GCSE resit course, and becoming a specialist in this area.

During this time, Kate became a Specialist Leader of Education (SLE), an accredited professional development lead, and completed a master's in teaching and learning. She played a key role in the Centres for Excellence in Maths (CfEM) project from 2018 to 2023, focusing on mastery, contextualisation, and research into mindset, motivation, and maths anxiety. Alongside this, she provided meaningful support to colleagues and students in colleges across the northwest.

In 2023, Kate joined the secondary consultant team, where she has embraced the opportunity to work closely with schools and maths departments across Lancashire. This transition has allowed her to contribute directly to the development of teaching and learning in secondary mathematics. She is committed to sharing her expertise, supporting teachers, and driving positive change in maths education across the region and beyond.



PSHE



Jen Macdonald

Jen Macdonald is an experienced PSHE Consultant with a strong background in both primary and secondary education. After earning a BEd (Hons) in Teaching with a specialism in Special Educational Needs from St Martin's College, Lancaster. Jen taught in schools in Blackpool, leading subjects including Maths, Music, RE, Geography, and PSHE, and serving as Assistant SENDCo before making the move to join Lancashire County Council and LPDS.

A passionate advocate for PSHE, Jen has led curriculum development and supported whole-school improvement through roles in a multi-academy trust and with initial teacher training providers. She holds NPQML, NPQSL, and CPD in Instructional Coaching, equipping her to lead change and support colleagues effectively.

Now, as part of the LPDS team, Jen supports schools across Lancashire and beyond. She worked alongside colleagues across the authority to develop the Lancashire Learning 4 Life Award, helping schools celebrate and strengthen their PSHE and personal development provision. Her work spans all age groups and is grounded in inclusive, research-informed practice.

Science



Andy Pearson

Andy is our secondary science and learning and teaching consultant, having been appointed to the role in September 2018. Andy has significant classroom experience, having taught Biology, Chemistry and Physics for 23 years in a Lancashire secondary school. Andy has also been an advanced skills teacher working within and across county by supporting colleagues in science departments at all levels.

Having also been Lead Practitioner for Learning and Teaching for a number of years, Andy has developed a wide ranging expertise in learning and teaching strategies, both pedagogical and subject specific. Andy uses this expertise to support individual teachers, small teams of teachers and whole school staff professional development.

Andy is a proud Preston North End football fan and an even prouder husband to Julie and father to Jessica and Ellie.



Assessment and PIVATS

How to Use PIVATS 5 PSED and the PSED Toolkit			
Teachers, ECTs, SENDCo			
Wednesday 15 October 2025, 1:00pm - 3:30pm. Online video conferencing		£97	
Thursday 4 June 2026, 1:00pm - 3:30pm. Online video conferencing £97			

PIVATS for SENDCOs: Effectively Implementing PIVATS to Assess and Monitor Progress for Children with SEND

SENDCO		PIV405
Thursday 25 September 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£214
Thursday 19 March 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Online video conferencing	£187

Getting Started with PIVATS		
SENDCO		PIV406
Thursday 5 February 2026, 4:00pm - 5:00pm. Online video conferencing		£52

PIVATS: Supporting Pupils Struggling with Reading		
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO PIV407		
Wednesday 5 November 2025, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Online video conferencing	£97

PIVATS: Supporting Pupils Struggling with Writing		
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, SENDO PIV408		
Wednesday 28 January 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm. Online video conferencing		£97

PIVATS: Language and Communication Development			
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECT, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO PIV409			
Tuesday 18 November 2025, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Online video conferencing	£97	

'Great delivery by both Elaine and Steph and a very engaging training.' - Delegate July 2024



Behaviour and Attendance

Understanding and Supporting ADHD Behaviours			
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, TAs, SENDCO, Pastoral and SEND Support Staff, LTA BHV102			
Friday 5 December 2025, 1:15pm - 3:45pm. Impact Conferencing, Burnley			
Tuesday 28 April 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£112	

Working to Reduce Exclusions and Suspensions through Effective Behaviour Support		
Headteachers, Heads of Department, Teachers, Behaviour Leads, SENDCO, Pastoral and Behaviour Support Teams BHV111		
Wednesday 14 January 2026, 9:15am - 3:45pm. Lancashire FA, Leyland		

Planning For and Teaching Positive Behaviour for Learning in Your Classroom		
Teachers, ECTs, SENDCO, LTA BHV115		
Wednesday 13 May 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£112

Behaviour Network Meetings – Autumn Term		
Headteacher, Assistant Heads , Senior Leadership Team, Subject Leaders, Teachers, Pastoral Leads, SENDCO BHV117		
Tuesday 14 October 2025, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	£112	
Wednesday 15 October 2025, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£112

Behaviour Network Meetings – Spring Term			
Headteacher, Assistant Heads , Senior Leadership Team, Subject Leaders, Teachers, Pastoral Leads, SENDCO BHV117			
Wednesday 11 February 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£112	
Thursday 12 February 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£112	

Behaviour Network Meetings – Summer Term		
Headteachers (Deputy, Assistant), Heads of Department, Teachers, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO, Pastoral Support Teams		BHV117
Tuesday 21 April 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	£112	
Wednesday 24 June 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm. Impact Conferencing, Burnley		£112
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		£112



Positive Behaviour Management for Supply Teachers and Cover Staff		
Teachers, ECTs, TAs, Cover Supervisors, LTA, Supply Staff		BHV118
Friday 26 September 2025, 9:15am - 3:45pm. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£214

Creating and Reviewing Your Relationships and Behaviour Policy		
Headteacher, Deputy and Assistant Heads, Behaviour and Pastoral Leads, SENDCO BH		BHV119
Wednesday 12 November 2025, 9:15am - 11:45am. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£112

Planning, Implementing and Evaluating Your Behaviour Curriculum		
Heads of Department, Assistant Heads, Subject Leaders, Teachers, Senior Behaviour Leads, SENDCO, , Behaviour Support Teams		BHV120
Friday 9 January 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am.	£112	

Supporting Students with More Challenging Behaviour: A Course for Teaching Assistants		
Teaching Assistants, SENDCO, Pastoral and Student Support Staff, LTA		BHV122
Friday 6 March 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am. Impact Conferencing, Burnley		£112

School Within Our School: Establishing an Effective On-site Behaviour Support Provision		ort Provision
Headteacher, Deputy and Assistant Heads, Behaviour Leads, SENDCO, Pastoral Support Staff BH\		BHV123
Wednesday 19 November 2025, 9:15am - 11:45am. Burnley Football Club		£112

Understanding and Supporting the Behaviour of Pupils with Autistic Spectrum Condition (ASC) and Pathological Demand Avoidance (PDA) Headteacher, Subject Leaders, Behaviour Leads, Teachers, ECTs, TAs, SENDCO, LTA, Pastoral and Pupil Support Teams, Lancashire FA, Leyland £112 Friday 6 February 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm. Junction 4 Skatepark, Darwen £112

Managing Difficult Conversations with Parents/Carers Around Their Child's		
Headteacher, Deputy/Assistant Heads, Heads of Department, Senior Behaviour Leads, Teachers, TAs, SENDCO, Pastoral Teams		BHV130
Thursday 19 March 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am.	£112	



Building Your Toolkit: Developing Effective Strategies to Teach and Improve Pupil Behaviour in Your Classroom

Teachers, ECTs, LTA		BHV131
Thursday 2 October 2025, 9:15am - 3:45pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£214

NEW- Classroom Dynamics for ECTs: Effective Strategies for Positive Relationships and Behaviour in Your Classroom

Teachers, ECTs, LTA		BHV132
Tuesday 10 February 2026, 9:15am - 3:45pm.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£214



'I really appreciated the welcoming environment and having the time and opportunity to reflect and discuss how we all do things. Catherine was very well prepared with effective resources and encouraged us to participate while making us feel comfortable.'

– Delegate March 2025



English

Building Stronger Sentences in KS2		
Subject Leaders, Teachers, Teaching Assistants, ECTs, LTA, Secondary English and Literacy		ENG105
Tuesday 10 March 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am. Online video conferencing £		£97

Lancashire Reading Partners. A one to one reading approach designed to develop word reading, fluency and comprehension

	Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, Teaching Assistants		ENG134	
Thursday 5 February 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.		Lancashire FA, Leyland	£214	

Talk Six: A year-long CPD programme designed to improve outcomes for children in Y6

Subject Leaders, Teachers		ENG150
Tuesday 30 September 2025, 9:15am - 4:00pm, Monday 24 November 2025, 9:15am - 12:00pm, Monday 1 December 2025, 9:15am - 4:00pm, Tuesday 27 January 2026, 1:00pm - 4:00pm, Tuesday 3 February 2026, 9:15am - 4:00pm, Wednesday 18 March 2026, 9:15am - 4:00pm and Wednesday 17 June 2026, 9:15am - 12:00pm.	Farington Lodge, Leyland	£650

English ECTs: How to Have a Successful First Year Teaching English - 3-day course

ECTs, Recently qualified teachers, non-specialist teachers of English		LIT206
Monday 13 October 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175
Wednesday 25 February 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175
Wednesday 24 June 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175

Secondary English Subject Leader Development Meeting - Autumn 2025

Subject Leaders, Heads of Department, Seconds in English, Lead Teachers of English		LIT207
Thursday 13 November 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston	£214

Secondary English Subject Leader Development Meeting - Spring 2026

Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Seconds in English, Lead Teachers of English		LIT209
Friday 27 February 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston	£214



Secondary English Subject Leader Development Meeting - Summer 2026		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Seconds in English, Lead Teachers of English		LIT210
Friday 19 June 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston	£214

Secondary Literacy Leader Network - Autumn 2025		
Lead teachers of literacy, Lead teachers of reading		LIT510
Tuesday 14 October 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

Secondary Literacy Leader Network - Spring 2026		
Lead teachers of literacy, Lead teachers of reading		LIT505
Thursday 5 February 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston	£214

Secondary Literacy Leader Network - Summer 2026		
Lead teachers of Literacy, Lead teachers of reading		LIT507
Wednesday 3 June 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

English Second in Department Network - Autumn 2025		
Seconds in English, Lead teachers of English		LIT517
Tuesday 18 November 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston	£214

English Second in Department Network - Summer 2026		
Seconds in English, Lead teachers of English		LIT508
Wednesday 22 April 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

'A sea of talk': how to embed regular and impactful student oracy across the w school		e whole	
	Literacy Leaders, Oracy Leaders		LIT534
Wednesday 10 December 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pi		County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175

Key stage 2 to 3 English transition. How can year 7 and transition build effectively on what students learn at KS2 in English and the way they learn it?		ctively on
Teachers, Subject Leaders, Heads of Department, Seconds in English, Lead Teachers of English		LIT535
Tuesday 2 December 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston	£214



Teaching GCSE poetry (anthology and unseen) for excellent outcomes		
Teachers, Subject Leaders, Heads of Department, Seconds in English, Lead Teachers of English, ECTs, LTA		
Monday 15 December 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston		£175

Planning, drafting, composing, editing and all that SPAG! Refining the writing curriculum in English at key stage 3		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, Seconds in English, Lead Teachers of English, ECTs		LIT537
Thursday 12 February 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175

Developing a strong reading-for-pleasure culture across the school		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Reading Leaders, Literacy Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, SENDCO, LTA, TAs, Librarians		LIT538
Thursday 12 March 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175

Developing a whole school writing strategy to support disadvantaged students		
Heads of Department, Seconds in English, Lead Teachers in English, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs		LIT539
Thursday 9 July 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175

Improving GCSE Outcomes in English: a strategic approach		
Heads of Department, Seconds in English, Subject Leaders, Lead Teachers of English, Teachers LIT540		
Wednesday 5 November 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£214

'Sharing ideas and hearing about National updates. The poetry section was particularly good. The presenter was enthusiastic, selected relevant items for discussion and I enjoyed the day.' – Delegate February 2025





English as an Additional Language

How can I support the EAL pupils in my class? (3 part course)		
Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, LTA		EAL112
Wednesday 21 January 2026, Wednesday 4 March 2026 and Wednesday 22 April 2026, 1:00pm - 3:00pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£305

Meeting the Needs of Pupils New to English Including Refugees and Asylum Seekers		
Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO, LTA EAL136		EAL136
Tuesday 27 January 2026, 1:00pm - 3:30pm.	Online video conferencing	£97

Leading EAL Provision Across Your School		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, EAL Leads		EAL146
Tuesday 20 January 2026, Tuesday 3 March 2026, Tuesday 28 April 2026 and Tuesday 16 June 2026, 12:30pm - 3:30pm.	Online video conferencing	£323

Lancashire Equality and Inclusion Network Meetings - Autumn		
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, LTA EAL400		EAL400
Thursday 2 October 2025, 1:15pm - 4:00pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston £112		£112

Lancashire Equality and Inclusion Network Meetings - Spring		
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, LTA		EAL400
Thursday 12 February 2026, 1:15pm - 4:00pm.	Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston	£112

Lancashire Equality and Inclusion Network Meetings - Summer		
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, LTA		EAL400
Thursday 23 April 2026, 1:15pm - 4:00pm.	Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston	£112

Lancashire Schools of Sanctuary Network Meeting - Autumn		
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, TAs, SENDCO, LTA EAL401		
Thursday 16 October 2025, 1:30pm - 3:00pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£62



Lancashire Schools of Sanctuary Network Meeting - Spring		
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, TAs, SENDCO, LTA EAL401		
Wednesday 25 February 2026, 3:30pm - 4:30pm. Online video conferencing		£52

Lancashire Schools of Sanctuary Network Meeting - Summer		
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, TAs, SENDCO, LTA EAL401		
Thursday 07 May 2026, 1:30pm - 3:00pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston £62		£62

EAL or SEN - Language barrier or learning need?		
HOD, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECT, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO, LTA EAL408		
Tuesday 25 November 2025, 1:00pm - 4:00pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£112
Wednesday 20 May 2026, 1:00pm - 3:30pm.	Online video conferencing	£97

Equality and Diversity Team English as an Additional Language (EAL) Network Meeting – Autumn Term		
Headteacher, HOD, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, TAs, SENDCO.		
Monday 3 November 2025, 3:45pm - 5:00pm. Online video conferencing		£30
Wednesday 5 November 2025, 2:45pm - 4:15pm.	The Exchange, Burnley	£30
Thursday 6 November 2025, 2:45pm - 4:15pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£30

Equality and Diversity Team English as an Additional Language (EAL) Network Meeting – Spring Term		
Headteacher, HOD, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, TAs, SENDCO.		
Monday 9 March 2026, 2:45pm - 4:15pm.	The Exchange, Burnley	£30
Tuesday 10 March 2026, 2:45pm - 4:15pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£30
Wednesday 11 March 2026, 3:45pm - 5:00pm.	Online video conferencing	£30

Equality and Diversity Team English as an Additional Language (EAL) Network Meeting – Summer Term		
Headteacher, HOD, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, TAs, SENDCO.		
Monday 8 June 2026, 2:45pm - 4:15pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£30
Tuesday 9 June 2026, 3:45pm - 5:00pm.	Online video conferencing	£30
Wednesday 10 June 2026, 2:45pm - 4:15pm.	The Exchange, Burnley	£30



Improving Progress for EAL Learners through Effective Assessment		
Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECT, Teaching Assistants, Assessment Co-ordinator, EAL Co-ordinator, SENDCO, LTA		EAL413
Tuesday 10 February 2026, 3:45pm - 5:45pm. Online video conferencing		£52

Gypsy, Roma and Traveller Education Network Meeting – Autumn Term		
Headteacher, HOD, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO, LTA EAL415		
Offer – Free for LCC schools		
Wednesday 12 November 2025, 3:45pm - 5:00pm.	Online video conferencing	£52 for schools outside Lancashire

Gypsy, Roma and Traveller Education Network Meeting – Spring Term		
Headteacher, HOD, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO, LTA EAL415		
Offer – Free for LCC schools		
Thursday 5 March 2026, 3:45pm - 5:00pm.	Online video conferencing	£52 for schools outside Lancashire

Gypsy, Roma and Traveller Education Network Meeting – Summer Term		
Headteacher, HOD, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO, LTA EAL415		
Offer – Free for LCC schools		
Monday 18 May 2026, 3:45pm - 5:00pm.	Online video conferencing	£52 for schools outside Lancashire

Adaptive Teaching for All EAL Learners		
HOD, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, TAs, LTA		EAL416
Tuesday 17 March 2026, 1:00pm - 4:00pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£112
Tuesday 12 May 2026, 1:00pm - 4:00pm.	The Exchange, Burnley	£112

Peer Mediation – Empowering Your Pupils to Resolve Conflicts		
Headteachers, Teachers, TAs, SENDCO EAL417		EAL417
Monday 6 October 2025, Monday 13 October 2025 and Monday 20 October 2025, 9:00am - 3:30pm.	TBA - South	£576

'Izabela was really informative and delivered her knowledge on the topic really well. She provided me with lots of great, practical ideas and she inspired me to learn more about teaching EAL learners.' - Delegate March 2025



Designated Safeguarding Lead Training

Designated Safeguarding Lead - Refresher		
Headteacher, DSL Leads		DSL112
Thursday 25 September 2025, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Tuesday 14 October 2025, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£199
Thursday 23 October 2025, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£199
Tuesday 4 November 2025, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Tuesday 18 November 2025, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Broughton High School, Preston	£199
Tuesday 9 December 2025, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Thursday 15 January 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Tuesday 20 January 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Tuesday 27 January 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£199
Thursday 12 February 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Tuesday 24 February 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£199
Tuesday 10 March 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£199
Tuesday 24 March 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Thursday 16 April 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Tuesday 28 April 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£199
Thursday 14 May 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Thursday 21 May 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Tuesday 16 June 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Norwest Medical, Preston	£199
Tuesday 7 July 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£199
Thursday 9 July 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199



Designated Safeguarding Lead - Initial Training		
Headteachers, DSL Leads		DSL113
Thursday 18 September 2025, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Thursday 9 October 2025, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Thursday 6 November 2025, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£199
Thursday 20 November 2025, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Broughton High School, Preston	£199
Tuesday 2 December 2025, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Tuesday 13 January 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£199
Tuesday 3 February 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Broughton High School, Preston	£199
Thursday 26 February 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£199
Thursday 30 April 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Norwest Medical, Preston	£199
Tuesday 19 May 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Prairie Sports Village, Burnley	£199
Thursday 11 June 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Norwest Medical, Preston	£199
Tuesday 30 June 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Norwest Medical, Preston	£199
Tuesday 14 July 2026, 9:30am - 5:00pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£199

'The course was really enjoyable. IT is pertinent for my role in school. Although I am an experienced DSL, it boosts your confidence and reassures you that you are doing things right. Its good to share experiences with others and pick up tips or contacts to make our job a little easier.' - Delegate May 2025





Leadership and Management

IDeAHs - Induction Programme for Deputy and Assistant Headteachers		
Deputy Headteachers, Assistant Headteachers MAN133		
Thursday 6 November 2025, Thursday 5 February 2026, Thursday 21 May 2026 and Thursday 24 September 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Ribby Hall Village, Wrea Green	£736

LPH (Lancashire Programme for Headship)		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Aspiring Heads MAN135		
Thursday 18 September 2025, 4:00pm - 5:30pm, Thursday 9 October 2025, Friday 20 March 2026 and Friday 3 July 2026, 9:00am - 4:30pm.	Brockholes Nature Reserve, Preston	£525

24 Hours in Leadership (The Power of Wonder and Positivity)		
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Senior Leadership Teams MAN146		
Thursday 25 June 2026, 1:30pm - 4:30pm and Preston Marriott Hotel £363 Friday 26 June 2026, 9:00am - 1:30pm. Preston Marriott Hotel £363		£363

Is Headship For Me?		
Deputy Headteachers, Assistant Headteachers		MAN171
Wednesday 25 February 2026, Thursday 26 March 2026, Thursday 14 May 2026, Thursday 2 July 2026, Thursday 15 October 2026 and Thursday 10 December 2026, 4:00pm - 6:00pm.	Online video conferencing	£285

Self-Evaluation within the revised Ofsted Inspection Framework		
Headteacher MAN172		
Thursday 2 October 2025, 9:30am - 12:00pm.	Online video conferencing	£97
Thursday 2 October 2025, 1:30pm - 4:00pm.	Online video conferencing	£97

Appraisal for Teachers in schools and academies 2025 - 2026		
Headteacher, DHT, Assistant HT, Heads of Department, all staff who are appraisers for teachers MAN187		
Wednesday 17 September 2025, 9:15am - 11:45am. Lancashire FA, Leyland £112		



HeadsUp4HTs - Peer support sessions		
Headteacher		MAN411
Thursday 4 September 2025, Thursday 11 September 2025, Thursday 18 September 2025, Thursday 25 September 2025, Thursday 2 October 2025 and Thursday 9 October 2025, 10:30am - 11:30am	Online video conferencing	£299

Secondary Senior Leader Briefings (Half-Termly Briefings - Autumn 1)			
Headteacher, Deputy and Assistant Headteachers, Senior Leadership Team, Heads of Department, SENDCO SEC218			
Wednesday 1 October 2025, 1:30pm - 4:00pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston £112			

Secondary Senior Leader Briefings (Half-Termly Briefings - Autumn 2)			
Headteacher, Deputy and Assistant Headteachers, Heads of Department, Senior Leadership Teams, SENDCO SEC220			
Thursday 27 November 2025, 1:30pm - 4:00pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston £112			

Secondary Senior Leader Briefings (Half-Termly Briefings - Spring)		
Headteacher, Deputy and Assistant Headteachers, Heads of Department, Senior Leadership Team, SENDCO SEC223		
Tuesday 3 February 2026, 1:30pm - 4:00pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston £1:		

Secondary Senior Leader Briefings (Half-Termly Briefings - Summer 1)		
Headteacher, Deputy and Assistant Headteachers, Heads of Department, Senior Leadership Teams, SENDCO SEC225		
Wednesday 6 May 2026, 1:30pm - 4:00pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston £12		£112

Secondary Senior Leader Briefings (Half-Termly Briefings - Summer 2)		
Headteacher, Deputy and Assistant Headteachers, Heads of Departments, Senior Leadership Teams, SENDCO SEC234		SEC234
Thursday 2 July 2026, 1:30pm - 4:00pm.	Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston	£112

'Carefully structured and clear links were made linking together the various aspects of the course. Lots of opportunity to discuss, feedback and gain ideas.' - Delegate March 2025



Mathematics

NEW: Primary to Secondary: Bridging the Gap for Year 7 Success in Mathematics		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs		MAT205
Tuesday 7 July 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston		£175

Secondary Mathematics Subject Leader Development Meeting - Autumn 2025		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders NUM204		NUM204
Friday 7 November 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

Secondary Mathematics Subject Leader Development Meeting - Spring 2026		
Subject Leaders, Head of Departments		NUM224
Monday 2 March 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

Secondary Mathematics Subject Leader Development Meeting - Summer 2026		
Subject Leaders, Head of Departments		NUM203
Friday 26 June 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

NEW Teaching Secondary Mathematics as an ECT - 3 day course		
ECTs NUM228		NUM228
Monday 24 November 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175
Wednesday 11 February 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175
Wednesday 17 June 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175

Teaching Maths But Not A Specialist?		
Teachers, ECTs		NUM229
Thursday 16 October 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston £175		£175

Closing The Gap - Improving Outcomes in Secondary Maths for Pupils with SEND		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO, LTA NUM230		
Tuesday 20 January 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston £175		

Equipping Pupils to Become Effective Problem Solvers in Secondary Mathematics		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, LTA, NUM232		NUM232
Friday 6 March 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston		£175



Subject knowledge enhancement for non-specialist teachers of secondary mathematics		
Teachers, LTA, Non specialist secondary maths teachers		NUM235
Thursday 20 November 2025, 3:30pm - 5:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£62
Wednesday 14 January 2026, 3:30pm - 5:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£62
Thursday 26 February 2026, 3:30pm - 5:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£62
Wednesday 25 March 2026, 3:30pm - 5:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£62
Tuesday 28 April 2026, 3:30pm - 5:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£62

Levelling the Playing Field: Empowering Disadvantaged Learners in Secondary Maths (New course)

Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, LTA		NUM236
Wednesday 12 November 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175

Talking Like a Mathematician: Developing Oracy in the Secondary Maths Classroom (New course)

Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, LTA		NUM237
Friday 5 December 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston		£214

Top Tier Teaching: Strategies for Achieving Top Grades in GCSE Maths (New course)		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, LTA NUM238		
Thursday 29 January 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston £175		£175

Developing Metacognitive Mathematicians (New course)		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, LTA		NUM239
Wednesday 18 March 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston		£175

Maths Assessment: Tools and Techniques for Secondary Maths Teachers (New course)

Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, LTA		NUM240
Tuesday 21 April 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston		£175

NEW Year 7 maths from struggle to success		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, LTA NUM241		NUM241
Friday 26 September 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston £175		£175

'As a non-specialist teacher of maths, this gave me the confidence to teach the topics covered at a higher level.' - Delegate February 2025



Medical Management

Medical Management - Meeting Children's Medical Needs in Nursery, Schools, Colleges, Academies and FE

Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants		MED101
Monday 23 February 2026, 9:00am - 4:00pm. Impact Conferencing, Burnley		£214
Monday 11 May 2026, 9:00am - 4:00pm.	Lancaster and Morecambe College	£214

Paediatric First Aid

Paediatric First Aid		
Teachers, School Support Staff		PFA102
Wednesday 15 October 2025 and Thursday 16 October 2025, 9:00am - 4:00pm.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£397
Tuesday 4 November 2025 and Wednesday 5 November 2025, 9:00am - 4:00pm.	Lancaster and Morecambe College	£397
Tuesday 25 November 2025, and Wednesday 26 November 2025, 9:00am - 4:00pm.	Norwest Medical, Preston	£397
Wednesday 10 December 2025 and Thursday 11 December 2025, 9:00am - 4:00pm.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£397
Wednesday 14 January 2026 and Thursday 15 January 2026, 9:00am - 4:00pm.	Lancaster and Morecambe College	£397
Wednesday 4 February 2026 and Thursday 5 February 2026, 9:00am - 4:00pm.	Norwest Medical, Preston	£397
Wednesday 18 March 2026 and Thursday 19 March 2026, 9:00am - 4:00pm.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£397
Tuesday 12 May 2026 and Wednesday 13 May 2026, 9:00am - 4:00pm.	Lancaster and Morecambe College	£397
Thursday 11 June 2026 and Friday 12 June 2026, 9:00am - 4:00pm.	Norwest Medical, Preston	£397
Thursday 2 July 2026 and Friday 3 July 2026, 9:00am - 4:00pm.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£397



Personal, Social and Health Education

PSHE Network Meeting for SEND and AP Subject Leads – Autumn Term		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders		PSE104
Friday 14 November 2025, 1:15pm - 3:45pm. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£112

PSHE Network Meeting for SEND and AP Subject Leads – Spring Term		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders		PSE104
Friday 20 March 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£112

PSHE Network Meeting for SEND School Subject Leads – Summer Term		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders PSE104		PSE104
Friday 19 June 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm. Lancashire FA, Leyland £112		£112

NEW: Using the PSHE Association Programmes to Meet Pupils' Diverse Needs (2-Part CPD) Heads of Department, Subject Leader, Teachers Friday 28 November 2025 and Friday 27 February 2026, 9:00am - 12:00pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston £203

NEW: *FREE* Lancashire Learning 4 Life Briefings		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs		PSE112
Thursday 11 September 2025, 8:45am - 9:45am. Online video conferencing		No charge
Monday 6 October 2025, 2:30pm - 3:30pm.	Online video conferencing	No charge
Friday 5 December 2025, 9:00am - 10:00am.	Online video conferencing	No charge
Tuesday 6 January 2026, 3:30pm - 4:30pm.	Online video conferencing	No charge
Thursday 19 March 2026, 3:00pm - 4:00pm.	Online video conferencing	No charge
Friday 17 April 2026, 1:00pm - 2:00pm.	Online video conferencing	No charge
Friday 26 June 2026, 9:30am - 10:30am.	Online video conferencing	No charge

NEW: Empowering Your Non-Specialists to Deliver PSHE Education Well		
Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, LTA PSE114		PSE114
Friday 12 September 2025, 9:15am - 11:45am. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston		£85
Friday 12 December 2025, 9:15am - 11:45am.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£112
Friday 23 January 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£85
Friday 24 April 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£112



Assessment in PSHE Education		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers		PSE148
Tuesday 21 October 2025, 1:15pm - 3:45pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston		£85
Monday 20 April 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£112
Monday 6 July 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Online video conferencing	£97

PSHE Network Meeting for Secondary Subject Leads – Autumn Term		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders		PSE203
Friday 14 November 2025, 9:15am - 11:45am. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£112

PSHE Network Meeting for Secondary Subject Leads – Spring Term		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders		PSE203
Friday 20 March 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£112

PSHE Network Meeting for Secondary Subject Leads – Summer Term		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers		PSE203
Friday 19 June 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£112

New to PSHE Subject Leadership		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers		PSE419
Friday 26 September 2025, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£85
Monday 22 June 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£112

'Lots of useful, up to date information, advice, details of resources and support. Always a pleasure to attend. It is a huge help in my role to be able to network and share best practice with Jen and other PSHE Subject leads from other schools.' – Delegate March 2025



Visit www.lancashire.gov.uk/lpds



Science

Secondary Science Subject Leader Development Meeting - Autumn 2025		
Heads of Departments, Subject Leaders		SCI220
Monday 13 October 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

Secondary Science Subject Leader Development Meeting - Spring 2026		
Heads of Departments, Subject Leaders		SCI221
Monday 16 March 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

Secondary Science Subject Leader Development Meeting - Summer 2026		
Heads of Departments, Subject Leaders		SCI222
Monday 6 July 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

NEW: Developing Strong Teaching in Science		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers		SCI233
Monday 10 November 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

NEW: Becoming a Strong Secondary Science Subject Leader		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers SCI234		SCI234
Tuesday 9 December 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

NEW: Removing Barriers in Science Teaching		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs SCI235		SCI235
Thursday 22 January 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

NEW: Identifying Gaps in Science Learning		
Heads of Departments, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs SCI236		SCI236
Tuesday 10 February 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214

NEW: Physics Essentials – Building Confidence for Non-Specialist Teachers		
Heads of Departments, Subject Leaders, Teachers and ECTs		SCI237
Tuesday 24 March 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Jack McLaughlin Centre, Preston		£214



Teaching Secondary Science as an ECT		
ECTs		SCI501
Wednesday 4 March 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175



'The research linked to the focus. Trialling out strategies, discussing with other schools. Lots of information to take back to school. Andy's courses are always engaging, interactive and fabulous.' – Delegate March 25



Special Educational Needs and Disability

SEND: PRECISION TEACHING		
Teachers, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO, ECT, LTA SEN117		SEN117
Thursday 27 November 2025, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£112
Thursday 5 March 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Lancaster and Morecambe College	£112
Thursday 18 June 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£112

SEND - Information to help the Secondary SENDCo - Part 1		
Teachers, SENDCO, LTA SEN200		SEN200
Thursday 13 November 2025, 1:15pm - 3:45pm. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£112

SEND - Information to help the Secondary SENDCo - Part 2 - OFSTED Framework and Inclusion

SENDCO		SEN201
Thursday 5 February 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Burnley Football Club	£112

SEND - Information to help the Secondary SENDCo - Part 3 - SENDCo PaperworkSENDCOSEN202Thursday 4 June 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.Lancaster and Morecambe College£112

SEND LEGO Therapy		
Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistant	ts, SENDCO	SEN710
Thursday 6 November 2025, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£112
Thursday 26 March 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Lancaster and Morecambe College	£112
Thursday 18 June 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£112

SEND - SENDCO Induction - New to Post		
Subject Leaders, Teachers, SENDCO SEN740		SEN740
Thursday 2 October 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£214
Thursday 15 January 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£214
Thursday 18 June 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£214

SEND: Schools Good Autism Practice		
Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO		SEN759
Thursday 16 October 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£214



SEND: Supporting Trauma and Attachment in Children		
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Teachers, ECTs, Teaching Assistants, SENDCO SEN772		
Thursday 9 October 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Farington Lodge, Leyland	£214
Thursday 12 March 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Farington Lodge, Leyland	£214

SEND: Auditory Processing Disorder - What is it? How to Support Learners		
Headteacher, Heads of Departments, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, TAs, SENDCO, LTA SEN779		
Thursday 9 October 2025, 3:30pm - 4:30pm. Online video conferencing		£52

SEND: Understanding and Supporting Neurodiverse Learners in the Classroom		
Teachers, ECTs, TAs, LTA, SENDCO SEN789		SEN789
Thursday 5 March 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£214
Thursday 11 June 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£214

SEND: What are Reasonable Adjustments in your School		
SENDCO		SEN790
Thursday 30 April 2026, 1:15pm - 3:45pm. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£112

SEND: Alphabet Arc		
Teachers, ECTs, TAs, SENDCO		SEN791
Thursday 16 October 2025, 9:15am - 11:45am.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£112
Thursday 26 March 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am.	Impact Conferencing, Burnley	£112
Thursday 16 April 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am.	Lancaster and Morecambe College	£112

'Really great to receive some practical advice and suggestions that will work and are relevant in my school setting' - Delegate May 2025

Staff Wellbeing

Developing A Staff Wellbeing Strategy in Your School		
Headteacher, Subject Leaders WEL401		WEL401
Thursday 21 May 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am.	Online video conferencing	£97



Teaching and Learning

Great Teaching: Cognitive Science Practical Implications for Teaching and Learning		
Headteacher, Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, LTA PTL165		PTL165
Tuesday 20 January 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	Lancashire FA, Leyland	£214
Thursday 26 March 2026, 4:00pm - 5:00pm.	Online video conferencing	£52

NEW: Great Teaching: Identifying Gaps in Knowledge and Learning		
Headteacher, HOD, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs, LTA PTL169		PTL169
Wednesday 14 January 2026 and Wednesday 25 March 2026, 9:15am - 11:45am. Lancashire FA, Leyland		£203

Learning and Teaching Forum for School Leads - Autumn 1		
Headteachers, Heads of Departments, Subject Leaders, Learning and Teaching Leads TAL509		
Wednesday 1 October 2025, 11:00am - 12:30pm. Online video conferencing £52		£52

Learning and Teaching Forum for School Leads - Autumn 2		
Headteachers, Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Learning and Teaching Leads TAL510		
Thursday 27 November 2025, 11:00am - 12:30pm. Online video conferencing		£52

Learning and Teaching Forum for School Leads - Spring		
Headteachers, Heads of Departments, Subject Leaders, Learning and Teaching Leads TAL511		
Tuesday 3 February 2026, 11:00am - 12:30pm. Online video conferencing		£52

Learning and Teaching Forum for School Leads - Summer 1		
Headteachers, Heads of Departments, Subject Leaders, Learning and Teaching Leaders TAL513		
Wednesday 6 May 2026, 11:00am - 12:30pm. Online video conferencing £52		£52

Learning and Teaching Forum for School Leads - Summer 2		
Headteachers, Heads of Departments, Subject Leaders, Learning and Teaching Leads, TAL514		
Thursday 2 July 2026, 11:00am - 12:30pm. Online video conferencing £52		£52

NEW Developing Strong Teaching at a Whole School Level		
Headteachers, Senior Leaders		TAL526
Tuesday 7 October 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£214



NEW Inclusive Teaching through Adaptive Practice		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs TAL527		TAL527
Wednesday 19 November 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston		£175

NEW Identifying Gaps in Learning through Effective Whole Class Assessment		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs		TAL528
Monday 8 December 2025, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£214

NEW Bridging the Gap – Tools and techniques for Helping Disadvantaged Learners		
Heads of Departments, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs		TAL529
Friday 6 February 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm. County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston		£175

NEW Championing Inclusion – Enhancing Learning for SEND Pupils		
Heads of Department, Subject Leaders, Teachers, ECTs		TAL530
Monday 29 June 2026, 9:30am - 3:30pm.	County Hall, Pitt Street, Preston	£175



"Learn continually - there's always 'one more thing' to learn!" Steve Jobs



Venue Information

1	Barton Manor Hotel, 746-768 Garstang Road, Barton, PR3 5AA	
2	Brockholes Nature Reserve, Preston New Road, Preston, PR5 0AG	
3	Broughton High School, Woodplumpton Lane, Preston, PR3 5JJ	
4	Burnley Football Club, Turf Moor, Harry Potts Way, Burnley, BB10 4BX	
5	County Hall, The Exchange, Pitt Street, Preston, PR1 8XJ	
6	Ewood Park, Nuttall Street, Blackburn, BB2 4JF	
7	Farington Lodge, Stanifield Lane, Farington, Leyland, PR25 4QR	
8	Garstang Country Hotel and Golf Club, GARSTANG, Preston, PR3 1YE	
9	Impact Conferencing, Life Church, 30 Sycamore Avenue, Burnley, BB12 6QP	
10	Jack McLaughlin Centre, Corpus Christi High School, St Vincent's Road, Fulwood, Preston, PR2 8QY	
11	Junction 4 Skatepark, Blackburn Road, Darwen, BB3 OAL	
12	Lancashire FA, County Ground, Thurston Road, Leyland, PR25 2LF	
13	Lancaster and Morecambe College, Morecambe Road, Lancaster, LA1 2TY	
14	Moor Park High School, Preston PR1 6DT	
15	Norwest Medical, 220 Cocker Road, Walton Summit, Preston, PR5 8BP	
16	Prairie Sports Village, Windermere Avenue, Burnley, BB10 2FU	
17	Preston Marriott Hotel, Garstang Road, Broughton, PR3 5JB	
18	Ribby Hall Village, Ribby Road, Wrea Green, Nr. Kirkham, Preston, PR4 2PR	
19	The Exchange, Barden Lane, Burnley, BB10 1JD	





Consultancy Support

We know how important it is for you as school leaders to be able to access the specialist, bespoke support that you need to best meet your individual school's development priorities.

The secondary consultant team is available to support you, in any setting, through a range of flexible, personalised and cost-effective models.

We know from your feedback how much schools trust and value the experienced, specialist and professional support of the secondary team. The ways that schools access this has evolved in recent years, and we are responding to the changing needs of schools and trusts.

Secondary schools are able to access consultant support in the following areas:

- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- Learning and Teaching
- Literacy
- Behaviour for Learning
- PSHE/Personal Development

There are a range of ways to secure this support for your staff and school, for the next year. Linked to these packages of support, we are offering reduced price access to the highly regarded half-termly Senior Leaders briefings, 10% discount on all secondary LPDS professional development, e-newsletters and access to subject networks. The packages all offer exceptional value for money: Secondary - Lancashire
Professional Development Service

Package	Includes
A £1600 per academic year	Inclusive access to termly Subject Leader Development meetings
	Half day per term of consultancy support (including short feedback report) in one specialist area from: English; Mathematics, Science, Learning and Teaching, Literacy; could be hybrid at school request
	10% discount on each attendance at a Senior Leaders Briefing
	10% discount on individual CPD/training programmes for Secondary from LPDS
	Monthly electronic subject update briefing
	Short Stay (PRU) and Special Schools: inclusive access to the usual virtual Subject Network Meetings
	Access to the on-demand resource area within the LPDS website
	Termly Secondary Consultant summary newsletter



	Inclusive access to termly Subject Leader Development meetings
	Two half days per academic year of consultancy support (including short feedback report) in one specialist area from: English; Mathematics, Science, Learning and Teaching, Literacy; could be hybrid at school request
В	10% discount on each attendance at a Senior Leaders Briefing
£1290 per academic year	10% discount on individual CPD/training programmes for Secondary from LPDS
	Monthly electronic subject update briefing
	Short Stay (PRU) and Special Schools: inclusive access to the usual virtual Subject Network Meetings
	Access to the on-demand resource area within the LPDS website
	Termly Secondary Consultant summary newsletter
	Inclusive access to termly Subject Leader Development meetings
	One half day per academic year of consultancy support (including short feedback report) in one specialist area from: English; Mathematics, Science, Learning and Teaching, Literacy; could be hybrid at school request
£980 per academic year	10% discount on each attendance at a Senior Leaders Briefing
	10% discount on individual CPD/training programmes for Secondary from LPDS
	Monthly electronic subject update briefing
	Short Stay (PRU) and Special Schools: inclusive access to the usual virtual Subject Network Meetings
	Access to the on-demand resource area within the LPDS website
	Termly Secondary Consultant summary newsletter



Pay As You Go

We also know that you may wish to request specific support for self-evaluation, audit or review; to coach a newly-appointed subject leader; to review whole-school policy or practice. To meet this need, we are also pleased to offer a range of consultant support options which can be accessed as "standalone" support. Further details about this are here:

	Full day of consultancy including summary feedback report
	Half day of consultancy including summary feedback report
	One hour remote consultancy focusing on specific area, with short feedback summary
	Professional development and training courses
	Twilight or other INSET session (bespoke, timed input including travel, planning and resourcing)
D	Attendance at Subject Leader Development meeting
Pay as you Go	Attendance at Senior Leaders briefing
	ECT Support Package
	(To include initial meeting, lesson observation, feedback session/action planning and up to 2 further 2 hour bespoke coaching sessions)
	Subject Leader induction Package
	(To include: access to all subject leader development meetings for the academic year, 1 x 1 hour in-person consultancy followed by a termly online 1 hour consultancy, access to monthly subject newsletter, 10% discount on attendance at other LPDS subject specialist courses and/or Senior Leaders Briefing)

We are really flexible and want to meet the requirements of your individual setting. If you have a bespoke request or professional development need, please just get in touch. We have the team knowledge, expertise and experience to help, and we can tailor something to meet your specific needs.

We are also currently building our LPDS secondary professional development and training offer for the next academic year, and we will be offering a wide range of opportunities covering areas such as:

- Enhancing the progress of disadvantaged learners
- Supporting an effective curricular transition (KS2-3)
- Challenging the most able learners
- Developing oracy
- Embedding disciplinary literacy
- Engaging parents/carers to support learners progress
- Working collaboratively with teaching assistants to accelerate student progress

If you would like to register an initial interest and learn more about accessing either a package of support or the "standalone" options, please just email

secondary.consultants@lancashire.gov.uk



Booking Terms and Conditions

- Applicants will receive confirmation of their booking via the Schools' Portal for LCC Schools and via email for
 external applicants prior to the event. If for any reason you have not received this 4 weeks prior to the
 event please call us on 01257 516100.
- Approval has been sought by the delegate from the school/establishment to attend this course and the school/establishment agree to meet the course fee as advertised. (N/A for self-funded applicants.)
- All Lancashire maintained establishments (except schools with their own bank account) will be billed via journal transfer. All other clients will be invoiced after the first session of the event.
- The **full course** fee will be charged for non-attendance and cancellations received within twenty-one (21) days of the course start date.
- Self-Funding applicants will be invoiced 21 days before the start of the course and full payment is due before the course. Failure to pay will result in the cancellation of the reserved place.
- If a presenter becomes aware that multiple delegates are attending an online course, but a school has only booked one course place, then the details of any additional delegates attending the course will be taken by the presenter and additional course places charged for.

Cancellation Policy

- All requests to cancel a course place must be received via email to lpds@lancashire.gov.uk or by telephone
 01257 516100 at least twenty one (21) days prior to the course start date.
- Should a place be cancelled within 21 days then the full course fee will apply. (For example, a course on Thursday 25 September 2025, would need to be cancelled by 5pm on Wednesday 3 September 2025.)

Course titles, dates, times and venues were correct at the time of printing, if you find a difference on the LPDS website the information provided on the website will be correct.

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Collaboration with Kingsbridge Teacher Training

Lancashire School Improvement Partners have worked with Kingsbridge Teacher Training this year for the first time to deliver their subject knowledge sessions. The team have worked closely with Kingsbridge to ensure that the subject knowledge sessions are seamlessly aligned with the Kingsbridge curriculum and the Initial Teacher Training Early Career Framework.



"Subject Knowledge training days are transformational for my practice."

Our experts have delivered sessions that have helped the primary trainees develop their knowledge and understanding of all aspects of the primary National Curriculum and how pupils' learning progresses from the Early Years to Year 6. They have worked with secondary English, Maths and Science trainees to support their understanding of the more complex concepts within the KS3 and KS4 curriculum.









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