

October Newsletter



Achieve

With TELA Primary & Secondary Teacher Training

Secondary ITT professional studies

Our cohort of 20 secondary trainees have been into our community of schools throughout September accessing pedagogical and wellbeing inputs from a variety of teachers and leaders. At Brockington the foci were assessment for learning and positive mental health, at Wigston they were positive behaviour management, at Thomas estley they were inclusion, equality act and OFSTED. Trainees also got a chance to go to Soar Valley College for EAL.

We have 17 secondary trainees within Achieve with TELA and cover most curriculum areas. They will be looking for employment within the alliance from December so if you have any vacancies for August 2020 please let us know so that we can pass the details on.

Primary Hub Model

We are looking for primary schools to host placements for 2020/21 in a hub model where you will work in a small group of schools to recruit trainees and place within your hub. If you would like to be part of this then please email TELA.

Claire Price from Badgerbrook is currently working with the University of Leicester and other school direct providers on creating a more school based teacher training model for the future. We will be looking for current and aspirant SLEs to deliver on this course.

<https://telaonline.co.uk/get-into-teaching>

English Research Partnership

Leicester
Leicestershire
& Rutland

The English Research Partnership is a joint Leicester-shire and Rutland initiative aimed at improving English outcomes at both Primary and Secondary age groups. Natalie Teece from John Ferneley College ran 2 ERP launch events

in July that were very well-attended. The aim of the launch was to make people aware of how the ERP wish to create an English focused research group. 71 people attended over the 2 days, which is great. This included many primary colleagues but also 19 secondary schools, there were lots of English leads, but also classroom teachers and some who had been involved in SSIF projects. Key areas were identified, but there was a majority interest in the themes of: Reading and promoting Reading for Pleasure, Real-Life writing experiences and Oracy.

Other areas of work for the ERP are making links with The Literacy trust, mapping English provision across the 3 counties, developing a website and a Spring conference. The next ERP Teacher meet is on Wednesday 23rd October and is to be held at Wreake Valley Academy, Parkstone Rd, Syston, Leicester LE7 1LY at 3.45pm for a 4pm start. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided. Use the link below to book your place.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/erp-research-group-tickets-74275775845>




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New Secondary ITT partner

We have made strong links with  and will be working with them as an accredited body for PGCE, QTS and Masters credits. With this partnership comes additional opportunities to deliver pedagogical content which would add to our already strong school led offer. We will also be delivering subject based content and will be using current SLEs and aspirant SLEs to deliver this. More news later in October.

TELA Online

There has been extensive work on our website to make sure that it is upto date with all things TELA related. For any information visit

www.telaonline.co.uk/



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Please advertise our upcoming ITT events.

ACHIEVE WITH TELA INFORMATION EVENT

Date : Wednesday 23 October 2019, Time : 6 - 7:30pm

Venue :Thomas Estley Community College (LE9 6PT)

SCHOOL EXPERIENCE

Wednesday 30 October 2019, Wednesday 27 November 2019, Wednesday 22 January 2020

email:tela@thomasestley.org.uk to book places

Accredited NPQ provider

TELA NPQs



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It has been a busy few weeks for the TELA NPQs with launch events happening for NPQH, NPQSL and NPQML across the hubs.

These are at TELA, Rushey Mead Academy, John Ferneley College and after half term will be at Ivanhoe College. This has enabled high quality leadership programmes to be rolled out across the city and county and has seen 166 people start in our Autumn cohorts. The success of these courses come from the delivery team the day leads put together using expertise from within the alliance and further.

Spring cohorts are now open for expressions of interest in NPQML and NPQSL at the link below

<https://telaonline.co.uk/overview>



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Upcoming primary CPD

TELA Deputy / Assistant Heads' Network: 7/11/19
1.30—3.30

Attendance Network: 31 October 2019 1:30 – 3:30pm

Business / Support Staff network: 24 October 2019 9:30
– 12:00

TELA SLE Network: 24 October 2019 3:45 – 5:15pm

TELA EYFS Network : 3:45 – 5:00pm 23 October 2019

TELA Maths Subject Leader Network: 1:15 – 4pm
23 October 2019

TELA Music Subject Leaders Network: 1:30 – 3:30
24 October 2019

Making sense of Autism: 4.00—5.30 13/11/2019

Good Autism Practice: 9-4.00pm 12/11/2019

Email tela@thomasestley.org.uk to book any courses
and look on our website for future courses

<https://telaonline.co.uk/cpd>



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TELA Secondary Performance Forum: 7 November
2019 9.30—11.30

TELA Business Studies network: 7th November 4.00—
5.30

English Network: 29th October—4.00—5.30

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Further Opportunities

KYRA Evidence Briefings with Evidence Leads of Education—21/11/19 Metacognition & self
regulated learning @TELA

Memory recall Seminar— 22nd January 4.00—6.00 @ TELA—James Siddle Director of Kyra
Research School

Next month.....Kellies Column