



TELA Learning Alliance


Newsletter

Summer term 2026



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Growing Talent, Pursuing Excellence, Together

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Achieve

With TELA Primary & Secondary Teacher Training

TELA Continuing Professional Development

We have successfully facilitated 22 subject networks, hosted at both our TELA Learning Alliance schools and our TELA base, alongside a range of whole-school training opportunities and valuable external inputs.

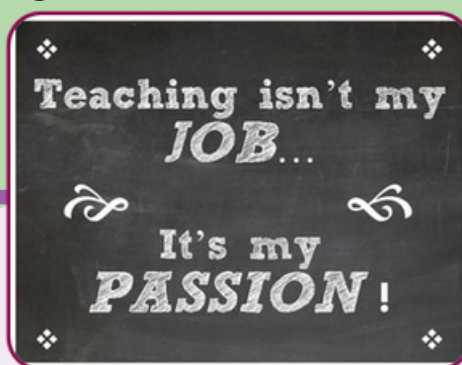
Andrew Pridmore & Kerrie White's secondary Pupil Premium 'The latest implementation guidance and how to use it to maximise the impact of your strategies' and Chris Stansfield - Raising Attainment in a White Working-class Community.

All sessions have provided colleagues with the opportunity to connect, reflect and learn from one another, strengthening practice across our schools.

This term's focus: Sharing Best Practice

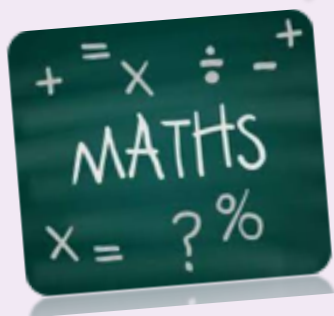
By bringing HoD's together to exchange ideas, strategies and experiences, we continue to build a strong culture of collaboration that benefits staff and ultimately improves outcomes for children and young people across our Trust and TELA alliance.

Thank you to all colleagues who have hosted, presented and contributed to making these networks such a success. Their commitment to professional learning is truly worth celebrating.



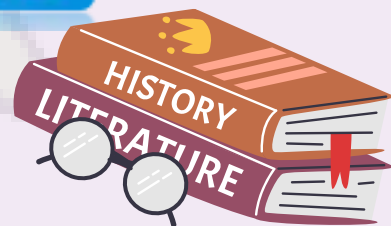
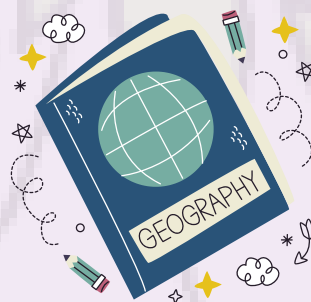
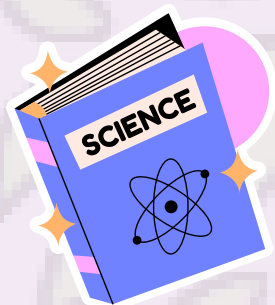
TELA Primary & Secondary Continuing Professional Development

We'd like to express our heartfelt gratitude to our amazing leads who plan and deliver the TELA networks



It was a great meeting today - lots of information and ideas shared.

The lead was really friendly and helpful. Great atmosphere in the room and the conversations were really supportive and non judgemental.



Teaching & Learning



Enjoyed the meeting, found it useful and supportive

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

All 26/27 CPD networks and updates
are available on the TELA website...



To book - email
telacpd@thomasesstley.org.uk

Primary Networks - <https://telaonline.co.uk/primary-cpd>

Secondary networks - <https://telaonline.co.uk/secondary-cpd>



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Continuing Professional Development

From September '25 we began delivering a range of SSAT leadership programmes in association with Futures Education Institute.

A great opportunity to work with like minded school and system leaders to promote leadership and learning together.

2026/27 programmes

Leaders For The Future
National Award for Middle Leaders
Stepping Up to Senior Leadership
Belonging & Inclusion

To book any of the programmes email -
admin@futuresteachingalliance.org.uk

Teacher Training - Achieve with TELA

Since 2013, many of you have supported our Achieve with TELA secondary and primary ITT programme, helping us recruit and develop high-quality teachers for TELA and our wider learning community. Your partnership has been central to this success.

We are pleased to announce that **Achieve with TELA** have become a satellite hub of the **Futures Teaching SCITT**, enabling us to maintain our strong family ethos while continuing to provide exceptional teacher training.

We look forward to ongoing collaboration with our valued placement schools and coordinators, and we are confident that this new partnership will ensure high-quality training, seamless transition, and excellent outcomes for future teachers across TELA and our local schools.



Teacher training - Achieve with TELA

Get Into Teaching events this Summer term...

Face to Face Teacher Training Information Event





**TEACHER TRAINING
INFORMATION
EVENTS**

**SATURDAY 23 MAY
10:30 - 11:30**

AT THE OAKS

01455 283 263 Ext 0286
TELA@THOMASESTLEY.ORG.UK
WWW.TELAONLINE.CO.UK

School Experience Day



SCAN TO REGISTER
YOUR INTEREST




**SECONDARY
SCHOOL EXPERIENCE DAY**

AT THOMAS ESTLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Achieve with TELA - TELA@thomasestley.org.uk

Tuesday - 9.00am to 3.00pm

23 April



Celebrating Our 2025–26 Trainees

As this academic year comes to a close, we would like to extend our sincere thanks to all of the schools that have hosted and supported our TELA trainees. Your commitment, guidance and encouragement have played a vital role in their development, and we are incredibly grateful for the opportunities you have provided.

Congratulations to our trainees for the resilience, determination and dedication they have shown throughout the year. Teacher training is a demanding journey, and you should be immensely proud of everything you have achieved. We look forward to seeing you take the next step in your careers as Early Career Teachers across Leicestershire and beyond.

Three Top Tips for Thriving in Teaching:

- 🍪 Always keep an emergency biscuit supply. Some days they're for the children. Most days they're for you.
- ☕ Never leave your tea unattended. By the time you've dealt with a playground incident, answered three questions and photocopied a worksheet, you'll have forgotten where you left it.
- 🤔 Don't panic if you don't know everything. Great teachers aren't the ones with all the answers - they're the ones who can confidently say, "That's a great question, let's find out together!"

Best of luck to all our trainees as they embark on the next stage of their teaching journey. The future of education is in very good hands.

Teacher Training - Achieve with TELA

Let's
Celebrate!



HUGE CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2025–26 COHORT ON COMPLETING THEIR TEACHER TRAINING JOURNEY! THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, THEY HAVE DEMONSTRATED REMARKABLE PERSEVERANCE, RESILIENCE AND DEDICATION, EVEN WHEN FACED WITH CHALLENGES. HARD WORK AND COMMITMENT HAVE PAID OFF. WE ARE INCREDIBLY PROUD OF EVERYTHING YOU HAVE ACHIEVED. WISHING YOU EVERY SUCCESS AS YOU BEGIN THE NEXT EXCITING CHAPTER OF YOUR TEACHING CAREER – YOU'VE DONE IT!

**WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE
FOLLOWING SCHOOLS FOR HOSTING OUR
TRAINEES DURING THEIR FIRST
PLACEMENTS AND THE CONTINUATION OF
SECOND PLACEMENTS**

SECONDARY

**Redmoor Academy
The Hinckley School
Lutterworth High School
Kibworth Mead
Wigston Academy
Thomas Estley CC
Brockington College**

PRIMARY

**St. Peters Primary
Orchard Primary
Sketchley Hill Primary
Richmond Primary
Cosby Primary
Barwell Academy**



Achieve with TELA - School Experience

This is a great opportunity to explore teaching as a career! The 'Day in the Classroom' initiative is an excellent way for individuals to experience firsthand what it's like to be a teacher. It could truly help decide if this rewarding profession is the right path, while also enhancing a teacher training application.

If you or someone you know is passionate about inspiring and shaping young minds, this might be the perfect first step towards a teaching career.

Visit telaonline.co.uk to learn more and to register interest.

Our Summer Term dates - will be confirmed early September '26

Experience



<https://telaonline.co.uk/get-school-experience>



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Inspire the Next Generation

Thinking about a career where you truly can make a difference?

As a teacher, you'll experience job satisfaction that few professions can match.

Beyond parents, teachers hold an unparalleled influence on a child's life.

Imagine the pride you will feel seeing your pupils grow and achieve, knowing you played a vital role in their journey.

It's a feeling that truly stays with you!



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The Vocation of Teaching!

Ever thought about a career that's more than just clocking in and out?

Like doctors, nurses, and vets, teaching is a true vocation.

It's not just about earning a living; it's about a profound sense of purpose and job satisfaction.

Teachers experience a level of reward unmatched by most professions.

It's about making a real difference, every single day.



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Turn Your Passion Into Your Profession!

Imagine a job where you get to share what you truly love, every single day.

As a teacher, you do not just work; you inspire!

Few careers let you use your passion for a subject like teaching does.

You get the incredible opportunity to instil that same enthusiasm in the next generation.



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Unlock a Rewarding Career!

Teaching is not just about passion? A career in teaching offers truly generous financial packages, making it a smart and fulfilling choice.

As an Early Career Teacher (ECT) in England, you could start on a minimum salary of £31,650.

London and surrounding areas, the pay scales are even higher.

This isn't just a job; it's a career with significant potential for growth and excellent earning power.

Discover how your passion can also lead to financial security.



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Be a Lifelong Learner!

One of the most exciting perks of being a teacher?

You never stop learning!

Nothing encourages you to delve deeper into a topic than teaching it.

Those inquisitive student questions will have you constantly researching new findings, exploring innovative technologies, and broadening your own knowledge.

Embrace a career where every day brings a new discovery – for you and your students!



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Job security....

Teaching offers a high degree of job security due to the consistent need for educators.

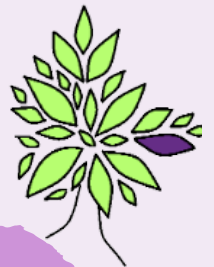
Teaching skills are transferable and valuable across various educational settings, offering opportunities for different roles or even moving between different countries





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Online Recruitment Event

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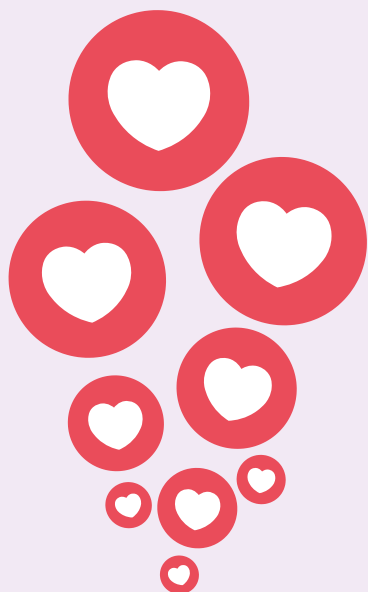




**Wishing you a safe and
relaxing
Summer holiday -
see you for the
Autumn term!**

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