

NW1 Maths Hub Newsletter

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Another exciting term with both Teaching for Mastery in Primary and Secondary now open on the NCETM website <https://www.ncetm.org.uk>

Myself and Andrew Dickens (Failsworth School) presented at BCME at Warwick University during the Easter break. The workshop focused on the secondary projects working on TfM and Problem Solving with informed practice. This was very well received with an extremely positive response from the participating delegates.

If you would like to know more about the work that the hub are doing or are interested in engaging with us on any of the following projects please contact myself or Sarah Ludlam, all relevant email addresses are in the 'contact us' section at the foot of this newsletter.

Have a good term
Simon Mazumder

EARLY YEARS



Laying the foundations of deep maths understanding in children is a key objective of those working in nursery and Reception classes. Work Groups in Maths Hubs will focus on this, either by a concentration on subject knowledge of the teachers or by developing the mathematical language used by children.

Applications are now invited for: [Developing the Leadership Capacity for Early Years Mathematics](#)

Beginning in the summer term 2018, the ten most northerly Maths Hubs (those operating in the Northern Powerhouse) will be providing training and bespoke support for settings in priority areas in their region to support leadership teams with reviewing, analysing and developing their provision for mathematics.

The programme

Beginning in the summer Term 2018 and continuing to summer 2019, each hub will accept settings to engage in the following activities.

- Leaders meet with an Early Years PD lead to identify priorities for their mathematics provision
- PD leads with setting-based leaders will develop a programme to support the leadership capacity in their specific setting
- Leaders will access specific support sessions either individually or as part of a cluster that supports them with priority actions (and identify specific practitioners that may benefit from the content of specific sessions)
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PRIMARY



Our primary focused courses are now underway. We will alert you when new courses become available.

Applications are now being invited to be a Teacher Research group for the Teaching for Mastery programme (application forms can be obtained from Sarah). Click here for more information from the NCETM regarding this programme <https://www.ncetm.org.uk/resources/51959/>

SEN



NW1 have received some funding to support maths development in special schools so in collaboration with Melland High School we have launched a *Special Schools NW Maths Hub* network.

The group will meet regularly and will provide an opportunity for colleagues to share good practice and also view the current programmes developed in maths teaching in all mainstream phases. All interested colleagues are welcome to join this working group. There will also be an opportunity to visit other schools and see outstanding maths provision.

SECONDARY



There will be Tfm secondary and primary meetings plus a Mathematical workgroup these to be scheduled after the GCSE examinations. The recruitment for a Cohort 3 of Secondary Teaching for Mastery Specialists is now open.

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On 3 July, NW1 will be hosting a Level 3 conference at Xaverian 6th Form college in Manchester. This will focus on the many new initiatives being introduced and will have Bernard Murphy from the MEI as the keynote speaker along with many workshops throughout the day. To register your interest please contact Sarah.

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