

ZOOM Workshops 2021/2022

Suitable for Practitioners working with children from birth to age seven.

These workshops will be provided via Zoom. ***Bespoke In-school training and support can be requested by individual schools.***
Sessions will take place in the afternoons (15:15) and evenings (19:00)

Workshops

- ⇒ Observation, Assessment & Planning – Session 1
- ⇒ Observation, Assessment & Planning – Session 2
- ⇒ Observation Training for Classroom Assistants
- ⇒ Planning in Nursery (Indoor and Outdoor)
- ⇒ Planning for Investigative Play – Foundation Stage and KS1 – Age 4-7 (Indoor and Outdoor)
- ⇒ Quality Interactions / The role of the adult. (NEW)
- ⇒ Self-Evaluation & Action Planning (NEW)
- ⇒ Technology in the Early Years (NEW)

Observation, Assessment, Documentation and Planning

Name of Workshop	Description	Venue	Date	Time	Number of Places	Cost per person
Observation & Assessment (Session 1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to 3 stage process of observing, assessing and planning (Using the What, So What, Now What Approach) • Examine observation, documenting and assessment formats • Examine the correlation between involvement and children's learning • Practice the observation process • Management of the process in settings 	Zoom Training <i>Link to Zoom will be sent with confirmation of booking</i>	14 th September 2021	15:15 – 17:00	20	£45
			28 th September 2021	19:00 – 20:45	20	£45
			11 th January 2022	15:15 – 17:00	20	£45
			25 th January 2022	19:00 – 20:45	20	£45
			15 th March 2022	15:15 – 17:00	20	£45
			29 th March 2022	19:00 – 20:45	20	£45

Observation, Assessment & Planning (Session 2)	<p><u>This session is only for participants who have previously attended Observation 1.</u></p> <p>The session will address;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Questions re implementation (<i>practitioners will have been asked to practice the process between session 1 and session 2</i>) • Closer look at connection between observation, assessment, documentation and planning for learning. • Planning for learning – from child led and adult led perspective • Examples of planning for Physical Learning • Distinction & correlation between observation and evaluation of learning <p><i>Please note that this session will incur a cost as with other sessions (it is not included with Session 1)</i></p>	Zoom Training <i>Link to Zoom will be sent with confirmation of booking</i>	2 nd November 2021	19:00 – 20:45	20	£45
			22 nd February 2022	15:15 – 17:00	20	£45
			26 th April 2022	15:15 – 17:00	20	£45

Observation Training for Classroom Assistants	<p><u>This session is designed for classroom assistants</u></p> <p>The session will address;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to 3 stage process of observing, assessing and planning (Using the What, So What, Now What Approach) • Practice in making and recording good observations • Supporting the assessment and documentation process 	Zoom Training <i>Link to Zoom will be sent with confirmation of booking</i>	12 th October 2021	19:00 – 20:15	30	£30
			1 st February 2022	19:00 – 20:15	30	£30
			5 th April 2022	19:00 – 20:15	30	£30

Planning in Nursery and Pre-School Settings

Outdoor / Indoor Learning (All on one plan!)

This is a modular approach to planning for anyone wishing to refresh their nursery or pre-school planning. The sessions will take participants through the process of planning for learning. All sessions will be delivered via Zoom. Each session will include:

- Planning for progression in learning across an area of the curriculum – both indoor and outdoor (no need for separate indoor and outdoor plans)
- Examination of planning documents for preschool (up to age 4). Long-Term, Medium-Term and Short-Term Plans will be examined. **Copies of Long, Medium- & Short-Term planning will be given to participants – corresponding to each session**
- Practical support on how to plan for and extend learning - using evaluations and observations to inform planning for learning
- Focus on high quality learning and suitably challenging experiences that engage children’s minds
- Intentional resources and intentional environments – mostly low cost/no cost resources

Name of Workshop	Date	Time	No of Places	Cost	Additional Information
Early Mathematics	15 th September 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All workshops delivered via Zoom - Link to Zoom will be sent with confirmation of booking - Free planning templates and samples will be provided - Participants can choose which sessions to attend – it is not necessary to attend all of the sessions - Completed Long, Medium- & Short-Term Planning will be provided for the curriculum area at each session. <p><i>Please note that, whilst planning is divided into curricular areas, the provision of learning in early years settings is very much a holistic approach.</i></p>
	12 th January 2022	19:00 – 20:30			
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	29 th September 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	
	26 th January 2022	19:00 – 20:30			
Language, Literacy & Communication	13 th October 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	
	9 th February 2022	19:00 – 20:30			
The Arts	3 rd November 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	
	23 rd February 2022	19:00 – 20:30			
Physical Development & Movement	17 th November 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	
	9 th March 2022	19:00 – 20:30			
The World Around Us / STEM	1 st December 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	
	23 rd March 2022	19:00 – 20:30			

Foundation Stage & KS1 - Planning for Learning through Investigative Play

Outdoor / Indoor Learning (All on one plan!)

This is a modular approach to planning for anyone wishing to refresh their Foundation/KS1 play planning. The sessions will take participants through the process of planning for learning through play. All sessions will be delivered via Zoom. Each session will include:

- Planning for progression in learning across an area of the curriculum (demonstrating how to plan for progression from Year 1 to Year 4) – both indoor and outdoor (no need for separate indoor and outdoor plans)
- Examination of planning documents
- Practical support on how to plan for and extend learning - using evaluations and observations to inform planning for learning
- Focus on high quality learning and suitably challenging experiences that engage children’s minds
- Intentional resources and intentional environments – mostly low cost/no cost resources
- Management of play sessions

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Mathematics & Numeracy	23 rd September 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	- All workshops delivered via Zoom - Link to Zoom will be sent with confirmation of booking - Free planning templates and samples will be provided - Participants can choose which sessions to attend – it is not necessary to attend all of the sessions Please note that, whilst planning is divided into curricular areas, the provision of learning in play sessions is very much a holistic approach.
	13 th January 2022	15:15- 16:45			
Personal Development & Mutual Understanding	7 th October 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	
	27 th January 2022	15:15- 16:45			
Language & Literacy	21 st October 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	
	10 th February 2022	15:15- 16:45			
The Arts	4 th November 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	
	24 th February 2022	15:15- 16:45			
Physical Development	18 th November 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	
	10 th March 2022	15:15- 16:45			
The World Around Us / STEM	2 nd December 2021	15:15- 16:45	15	£45	
	24 th March 2022	15:15- 16:45			

New Workshops for 2021 / 2022

Quality Interactions / Role of the Adult	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Examine the role of the adult in supporting young children's thinking, learning & development Examine strategies that adults may use to enhance their interactions with children Explore how adults support and sustain shared thinking with children Viewing quality interactions Planning for quality interactions 	Zoom Training	16 th September 2021	19:00 – 20:30	30	£45
			2 nd March 2022	19:00 – 20:30	30	£45
Technology in the Early Years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What good Technology experiences look like in the Early Years Planning for technology in Nursery, Pre-school and Foundation Stage classrooms Projects demonstrating how technology can be used effectively to support and enhance learning across the curriculum 	Zoom Training	9 th November 2021	19:00 – 20:00	30	£30
			1 st March 2022	15:15 – 16:15	30	£30
			4 th May 2022	19:00 – 20:00	30	£30
Self-Evaluation & Action Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What does Self-Evaluation mean? Consider Self Evaluation within the context of Development Planning Use Self Evaluation tools to help identify strengths and areas for development – gather evidence Prioritise areas for development Plan for improvement – Writing an Action Plan Implementation Monitoring processes Evaluating progress/outcomes 	Zoom Training	21 st September 2021	19:00 – 20:30	15	£45
			8 th November 2021	15:15 – 16:45	15	£45
			7 th February 2022	19:00 – 20:30	15	£45
			9 th May 2022	15:15 – 16:45	15	£45