



LDBS SCHOOLS BULLETIN

June 2018

Please pass this bulletin on to all members of the leadership team, governors and Heads of RE / RE Co-ordinators

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Message from Inigo Woolf

Welcome back. GDPR has moved into the implementation phase and we have been inundated with requests for support. Twice as many schools have signed up than we had envisaged and the Liz Rhodes and Revd. John Pearson-Hicks will be joining Robert Bullett in delivering the service.

Penny Harvey will be relinquishing her HR responsibilities in September so that she can concentrate on her advisory work on admissions. With the growing amount of activity in HR we are recruiting a part-time administrator. Perhaps you know someone who should apply.

Congratulations

Ofsted and SIAMS inspection Grades

We offer our congratulations to the following schools who were rated either 'Outstanding' or 'Good' in their recent OFSTED or SIAMS inspections:

- Emmanuel Primary School, Camden – Outstanding (SIAMS)
- The Blue Primary School, Hounslow – Outstanding (SIAMS)

Pupil well-being

The Church of England has published a guidance paper, which can be found on their [website](#), on a whole school approach to mental health and well-being; the guidance is written by Tatty Wilson (Exeter Diocese) and endorsed by the Children's Society.

Buildings Advice - Asbestos Management Assurance Process (AMAP)

After a number of delays we have been reassured that the AMAP Codes have now been sent out to all **Voluntary Aided schools**.

If you have not yet received your Code please contact Leanne Gowar on Leanne.gowar@london.anglican.org

RE Advice - Spiritual Moral Social Cultural Quality Mark

We have also recently received information about a Quality Mark for SMSC. More details can be found at <https://www.smsqualitymark.org.uk/>

Resources - Football World Cup Resources

Scripture Union has produced free resources on the Football World Cup for a church, school and community context. The resources are written and used by practitioners. Please download from the Scripture Union website: www.scriptureunion.org.uk/jumpers-goalposts

Collective Worship - School Worship Calendar 2018-19

The new [School Worship Calendar for 2018-19](#) is now available on the LDBS website. The document lists key religious, historical and national dates for the entire academic year and is a useful resource for teachers.

Grow Education Partners Ltd - Training and Development Programme

Our 2018/19 Grow Training programme has been specially designed to provide Continuous Professional Development opportunities for Teachers, members of Senior Leadership Teams and Newly Qualified Teachers. The booklet will be sent out to schools this week and is also on the LDBS website on the following link: <https://www.ldbs.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/Grow-training-201819.pdf>

Grow Education Partners Ltd - K&C / Westminster Local Authority NQT Induction Tutors briefings for 2018-19

The Bi-Borough has generously offered LDBS/Grow schools the opportunity to attend their NQT induction training sessions to prepare teachers who will be mentors next year. We are also promoting their EYFS NQT programme in our training booklet.

These sessions are **free** for those LDBS/Grow schools signing up with the Bi-Borough Education Service for the EYFS NQT Programme. Otherwise the briefing will be charged at £60 per person.

There will be a briefing for Induction Tutors and Coordinators at 2-4pm on Thursday 21st June at Lilla Huset. The focus will be on clarifying roles and responsibilities and helping NQTs make the best possible start to induction, with some top tips from an experienced coordinator. An overview of useful tools and resources will be given together with AB expectations and timelines.

We will also be running two induction tutor workshop sessions in the Autumn term:

- Tuesday, 11 September, 2-4.30pm at Lilla Huset (tbc) or
- Thursday, 27 September, 1-4.30pm at Lilla Huset (tbc)

Please contact Julie Shaw or Linda Crichton or Clare Sumpter at: clare.sumpter@rbkc.gov.uk to book a place.

Teaching London - Teacher Training Placements at Teaching London (LDBS SCITT)

Do you have any potential TAs or Parent Volunteers who would make an Outstanding teacher?

Teaching London SCITT and the LDBS partnership have been training outstanding teachers for over 16 years. Our expert teacher trainers understand how to achieve the best outcomes for pupils and new teachers, ensuring that all our trainees are successful. Our blend of individualised training, mentoring, coaching and classroom teaching is targeted to ensure the trainee can make a difference to pupils' learning from day one and hit the ground running as an NQT.

Contact us now for further information: Tel: 0207 932 1126; Email: admin@teachinglondon.org

A flyer advertising Teaching London is included in the documents section of this bulletin. Please share this with the wider school community.

Governors' Training Programme

The training programme has been constructed to reflect the key messages in government guidance. We will add sessions during the year, and would particularly draw your attention to the following:

2017/18 SUMMER SCHEDULE

6 th June 2018	2pm – 4pm	Making Sense of Secondary School Performance Data
19 th June 2018	10am-12.30pm	Resolving Complaints
19 th June 2018	2pm – 4pm	Headteacher Appraisal – the Governors' Role
2 nd July 2018	10am – 12noon	Admissions

2018/19 AUTUMN SCHEDULE

13 th September 2018	9am – 3.30pm	Safer Recruitment
19 th September 2018	10am – 12.30pm	Headteacher Appraisal – the Governors’ Role
19 th September 2018	1.30pm – 4pm	Clerking in a Church of England Voluntary Aided school
1 st October 2018	10am – 12.30pm	General Data Protection Regulations 2018
1 st October 2018	2pm – 4pm	Governors with responsibility for SEN
16 th October 2018	10am – 12noon	Understanding Teachers Pay & Conditions
2 nd November 2018	1.30pm – 4pm	SIAMS (The Statutory Inspection of Anglican & Methodist Schools – the New Framework)
8 th November 2018	20am – 3.30pm	Induction for New Governors
21 st November 2018	10am – 12.30pm	New Chairs of Governors
21 st November 2018	2pm – 4pm	Governors Roles and Responsibilities for Safeguarding
4 th December 2018	9am – 3.30pm	Safer Recruitment

Further details and an application form can be found on the [LDBS website](#).

Upcoming events

The following events have been advertised in previous bulletins:

Date	Time	Event	Location	Booking details
Thursday 21 st June 2018	2.30 – 4.30pm	Secondary Headteachers’ Meetings	London Diocesan House, 36 Causton St, SW1P 4AU	Email Kate Roskell
Tuesday 26 th June 2018	9.30 - 11.30am	Secondary Deputy / Assistant Headteachers’ Meetings	London Diocesan House, 36 Causton St, SW1P 4AU	Email Kate Roskell
Thursday 5 th July 2018	9.30 - 11.30am	Heads of 6 th Form network meetings	SDBE, 48 Union St, London, SE1 1TD	Email Kate Roskell
Tuesday 25 th September 2018	4.30 – 6.00pm	LDBS Primary Headteachers – Meet Bishop Sarah	St Michael Paternoster Royal, College Hill, EC4R 2RL	LDBS website
Tuesday 2 nd October 2018	4.30 – 6.00pm	LDBS Secondary Headteachers – Meet Bishop Sarah	St Michael Paternoster Royal, College Hill, EC4R 2RL	Email Kate Roskell

Reminders - LDBS Newsletter

We really enjoy hearing about our schools and their achievements, whether they are academic, sporting, musical or just entertaining. The next newsletter will feature ‘Royal Wedding Street Party / festivities’. If any school would like to send us pieces of work e.g. outstanding poems, newspaper cuttings, news items, a special card or poem that your children have made – these would be a great feature. Please send all items by post, email or fax before Friday 20th July 2018 to: Mitch Gallacher at LDBS, Diocesan House, 36 Causton Street, London, SW1P 4AU; Fax: 020 7932 1111; Email: mitch.gallacher@london.anglican.org **Please make sure you have parental permission for any photos.**