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# Learn Sheffield Opportunities

July 2018

*The purpose of this bulletin is to share opportunities that school leaders may wish to take advantage of. It generally consists of free events, group discounts or local/national initiatives that are being offered to Sheffield. If you know of anything that you think should be included then let us know.*

**This year the bulletin is aimed at all sectors – look out for the labels above to indicate who the opportunity is most likely to be of interest to!**

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2018, 9.30-12.30pm**

**Sheffield Institute of Education**

Sheffield Hallam University, Charles Street Building, Sheffield, S1 2ND

## ‘Governance Stocktake’

***A conference to take stock of the responsibilities, challenges and opportunities involved in education governance now and in the future.***

***How can high quality governance ensure that every child receives a world class education?***



**Mary Myatt**

Mary is a highly respected education adviser, writer and trainer. She spends time in schools talking to pupils, teachers and leaders about learning, leadership and the curriculum. She maintains that there are no quick fixes and that great outcomes for pupils are not achieved through tick boxes. She is working with senior leaders on the link between educational values and high standards, and her books ‘Hopeful Schools’ and ‘High Challenge, Low Threat’ have inspired school leaders across the country.



**John Tomsett**

John has been a teacher for 29 years and a Headteacher for 14. He is currently the Headteacher at Huntington School, York. His school is one of the country’s first Research Schools and works closely with Sheffield. John is a successful author and blogger and has to date published two books around a culture of great teaching and improving mental health in schools. He is a regular contributor to the TES and also co-founded The Headteacher’s Roundtable think tank.

### Conference Programme

9.00am	Registration & Refreshments
9.30am	Opening Remarks
9.45am	Keynote 1 - Mary Myatt
10.45am	Break
11.00am	Keynote 2 – John Tomsett
12.00pm	Panel Q&A

### Booking Information

To book your place at the conference please use the ‘Book Now’ button where tickets can be reserved.

[Book Now](#)

Governance Training Subscriber Schools **Two Free Places**

Non Subscriber School & General Sale - £95 per place

Refreshments are included as part of the conference ticket

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# Moorland Discovery Centre



## THE ROAD TO LONGSHAW

Commemorating the end of the First World War

Suitable for both KS1 and KS2

*Bring the history of World War One to life*



During WW1, Longshaw Lodge became a convalescent hospital for wounded soldiers. Our school's programme focuses on the day-to-day life of convalescing soldiers and the nurses who cared for them.

Our workshop is ideally suited to any primary school looking to commemorate the centenary of the end of WW1 in a meaningful way with their pupils.

Full day 'hands on' workshops are available during October and November 2018. See our website for the full lesson programme and other curriculum programmes we offer ([www.peakdistrict.gov.uk](http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk)).

### Charges per child

A discounted price of £5.00 (+VAT) or £3.00 (+VAT) for schools with National Trust Education Membership. Adults are free.

### Coach Bursary Scheme

We can offer Sheffield schools a subsidy towards transport costs. Please ask us about this when booking.

For more information or to make a booking please phone 01433 637907 or email [mdc@peakdistrict.gov.uk](mailto:mdc@peakdistrict.gov.uk)

Moorland Discovery Centre, Longshaw Estate, Nr Sheffield S11 7TZ



National Trust

# Sheffield Grammar School Exhibition Foundation

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The Sheffield Grammar School Exhibition Foundation is a charity which has offered funding to secondary schools in Sheffield for many years the administration for applications has now passed to Learn Sheffield.

The charity funds disadvantaged Sheffield language learners helping some of the neediest and deserving pupils in our schools to meet the costs of language trips abroad. Without this support, many disadvantaged learners would not be able to participate in these educational visits. The condition of funding is that the visit must be for the purpose of language education.



If you feel you have pupils who would benefit from accessing this fund and would like to know more, please do not hesitate to contact Evelyn at [evelyn.priestley@learnsheffield.co.uk](mailto:evelyn.priestley@learnsheffield.co.uk) or by telephone on 0114 250 7417.

## Universal Credit in Sheffield Event—17th July

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The introduction of Universal Credit has been described as one of the biggest changes to the welfare system since the 1940s. It is due to be rolled out in Sheffield from November 2018 and will eventually replace all working age income-related benefits. Universal Credit is expected to present significant challenges to some people, whether through changes to the way the benefit is paid or the need to apply for and manage the benefit online.

### ***This free event will:***

- Provide an introduction to Universal Credit
- Outline current and planned activity designed to support the citizens of Sheffield through this major change
- Give attendees an opportunity to comment on those plans and to explore how they and their organisations can help support people through the transition to Universal Credit

**To register use the link below**

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/universal-credit-in-sheffield-tickets-46811131354>

# Experiential Training Day On Facilitating Dialogue

Wednesday 11th July 9am to 4pm

Central United Reform Church (S1 2JB)



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## An invitation to practitioners

**Sheffield Cohesion Advisory Group** invites you participate in this training day which will give you the opportunity to experience 3 different methods of facilitating dialogue provided by 3 specialist organisations –

- The Tim Parry Johnathan Ball Peace Foundation
- The Development Education Centre South Yorkshire
- Who is Your Neighbour? Project, South Yorkshire

The processes and approaches will be clearly presented and directly experienced, offering practitioners three sessions that can be used immediately in three styles that can be developed and added to their skillset.

The training will take place on 11th July from 9.00am until 4.00pm at The Central United Reformed Church in Sheffield. There will be a morning break with refreshments and a light lunch provided.

Places are limited - to book follow the below link:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/three-dialogues-community-dialogue-event-tickets-46105154759>

Mike Fitter – Co-chair Sheffield Cohesion Advisory Group

**DECSY**



Tim Parry · Johnathan Ball  
**PEACE FOUNDATION**





## Inspire the next generation with RSPCA's Compassionate Class

*Schools are being asked to stand up for animals*

**Primary schools across England and Wales are invited to sign up to a new education scheme which will help teach KS2 children compassion and empathy through learning about animal welfare.**

Compassionate Class offers schools the chance to inspire the next generation to become compassionate citizens of the future. It also acts as a compelling and interesting way to cover areas of the curriculum whilst learning about what makes animals happy and healthy.

The aim is to prevent animal cruelty in the future and help create a kinder society.

There will even be a chance to showcase what the class have learnt by entering a competition to win the title of 'The Most Compassionate Class of 2019'. Plus there are a number of visits to RSPCA animal centres to be won where children will be able to see some of the animals the charity cares for.

"Compassionate Class teaches children about the five animal welfare needs, the resources gets them talking and debating about the importance of animals and creates an awareness of how we should respect them and each other. In turn, we hope this will help to create a kinder society in the future."

**There are limited spaces available so sign your school up today.**

To sign up visit [www.rspca.org.uk/compassionateclass](http://www.rspca.org.uk/compassionateclass)



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# Parents and Carers Meetings

(Suitable for any/all parents and carers of lesbian, gay, bi, trans, +, non-binary and questioning young people)

**Tuesdays 6.00–7.30PM** (refreshments available from 5.45) at Scotia Works

**5<sup>th</sup> June 2018**

**PRIDE – Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> July all day, Endcliffe Park – SAYiT Parents/Carers stall**

**4<sup>th</sup> September 2018**

**2<sup>nd</sup> October 2018**

**6<sup>th</sup> November 2018**

**4<sup>th</sup> December 2018**

**8<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

**5<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

**5<sup>th</sup> March 2019**

The meetings are an opportunity to meet and share experiences with other parents/carers

**Venue:** [Scotia Works, Leadmill Road, Sheffield, S1 4SE](#)

**Parking:** [There is lots of parking in Sheffield city centre](#)

[www.sayit.org.uk](http://www.sayit.org.uk) For further information contact Kath Broomhead at SAYiT - [info@sayit.org.uk](mailto:info@sayit.org.uk)

Tel: 0114 241 2728

You can just turn up to the meetings, but if you are happy for us to have your contact details please complete this slip and return by email or post to Kath Broomhead, Scotia Works, Leadmill Road, S1 4SE

Your name: .....

Email address: .....

Tel: .....

Please return to Kath Broomhead at SAYiT, Scotia Works, Leadmill Rd, Sheffield S1 4SE, UK or email Kath at [kath.broomhead@sayit.org.uk](mailto:kath.broomhead@sayit.org.uk) Tel: 0114 241 2728

THIRD ANGEL  
brings you...

# FUTURE MAKERS

Love film?  
Love theatre?  
You've come to the right place.

Are you aged between 14 and 19?

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Are you passionate about theatre?

Or fanatical about film?

Do you want real life advice from industry professionals?

Experience different aspects of theatre and film in workshops run by professional actors, screenwriters, camera crew, make up artists, designers and more.

Try out new skills and meet others as passionate about film and theatre as you.

### Want to apply?

Scan the QR code, head to [thirdangel.co.uk/creative-learning](http://thirdangel.co.uk/creative-learning) or get in touch with Sarah to find out more at [sarah@thirdangel.co.uk](mailto:sarah@thirdangel.co.uk)

Workshops will take place in the school holidays throughout the year.

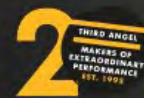
Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November  
Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> February  
Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> February  
Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> April  
Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> April  
Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> May  
Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> July  
Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> August

Each workshop focuses on a different skill - come to as many as you want.

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## THE USE OF ICT IN SUPPORTING THE ACADEMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT OF PUPILS WITH BEHAVIOURAL PROBLEMS WITHIN INCLUSIVE KS2 CLASSROOMS

*OPPORTUNITY TO TAKE PART IN PHD RESEARCH*



Abdullah Ciftci, a doctoral research student at University College London, is completing research focussing on the use of ICT in classrooms for the development and attainment of pupils with behavioural problems.

If you are a KS2 teacher, your participation in completing Abdullah's survey will help extend his research hugely. All of the responses will be kept strictly confidential, and the survey will take no more than 15 minutes to complete.

If you would like to participate, please follow this link to be taken to the survey:

<https://goo.gl/forms/bRbHJyAyk8qgT9jj2>

**Sexual Health Sheffield** is an NHS service provided by Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

They have published a new 2018/19 '**Training and Resources**' brochure including resources, publications and clinical & non-clinical training .

## PASH Project—Peer Activities in Sexual Health

PASH young people's peer education project is made up of young volunteers (aged 16-20 years) who deliver sexual health information and education to young people in Sheffield schools, colleges and other youth/ community settings. Once trained, volunteers get Involved in the following activities:

- Helping to run sexual health information stalls within school/college and other community settings
- Helping to run chlamydia and gonorrhoea screening stalls within a variety of young people's venues
- Delivering sexual health promotion sessions within young people's venues

If you are interested in any of our volunteering opportunities within the department please check our website for details: <http://www.sexualhealthsheffield.nhs.uk/get-involved/>

## Open Doors

Sexual Health Sheffield co-ordinates the 'Open Doors' programme for Sheffield which trains and supports services to provide condoms, pregnancy testing, screening for chlamydia/gonorrhoea and sexual health information for young people.

If you run a service that provides support to young people and you are interested in becoming part of 'Open Doors', please contact [anthony.bains@sth.nhs.uk](mailto:anthony.bains@sth.nhs.uk)

If your service is already part of 'Open Doors' and you have new staff that need to be booked onto training to be able to provide this service in your organisation, please contact Hayley Barlow at: [sexualhealthadmin@sth.nhs.uk](mailto:sexualhealthadmin@sth.nhs.uk)



# LEARN SHEFFIELD TRAINING & DEVELOPMENT HUB



*"Great Facilities, Thank you"*

*"Thank you for making the facilitation easier with great resources and very helpful responsive and welcoming staff."*

*"ICT was very easy to access and the help from staff was friendly, efficient and professional."*

## CONFERENCE & EVENTS FACILITIES

Learn Sheffield provides professional conferencing, training and meeting facilities. Our venue offers a range of rooms with flexible layouts that can be tailored to meet your requirements. To

help you deliver a successful and professional event, both our rooms are equipped with IT facilities, whiteboards and flip charts. A wireless connection is also available, if you wish to use your own equipment.



ROOMS	Charge		Layout / Room Capacity			
	Full Day	Half Day	Cabaret	Theatre	Board	Custom
Training Room 1	£175	£100	40	50	30	Enquire
Training Room 2	£175	£100	30	50	30	Enquire
Meeting Room	£175	£100	-	-	12	-

To enquire about any of the rooms at Learn Sheffield please contact us via email ([bookings@learnsheffield.co.uk](mailto:bookings@learnsheffield.co.uk)) or phone (0114 250 7417). The charge for the room includes all IT facilities and flipchart.

There are additional charges for refreshments and lunch.

# LEARN ENGLISH

If you have young children or have a health problem and cannot get to classes...



"I can help my children"



"I am going to college"



"My teacher really helped me"



"I am independent now"

...we will visit you and match you with a volunteer teacher who will teach you in your home.



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Is delighted to invite you to a taster session to find out more about the programme and meet the team

**Monday 9th July 2018**

at Learn Sheffield Training & Development Hub

1.30pm (Lunch at 1.00pm) or 4.30pm (Tea at 4.00pm)

Each taster session lasts one hour

time and space for headteacher learning, reflection and support

To book place(s) email [bookings@learnsheffield.co.uk](mailto:bookings@learnsheffield.co.uk)

**“The science of memory is key to helping students learn”**

Catharine Young, Neuroscientist and Senior Advisor for Science and Innovation  
at the Foreign and Commonwealth Office

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*The Guardian Dec 2015*



## Registration for the 11th UK Junior Memory Championship 2018/19 is now open

[Click here for quick and easy registration](#)

The JMC Training Plan has been specifically designed to fit into your normal timetable. The JMC has already proved itself as an effective project that's easy to run, with a rapid impact, but we've made several additional innovations this year, including:

- Instructional video clips for teachers, explaining each of the memory training sessions
- Resources for children, with video clips to help them do much of the training independently
- Online competition tests, helping the children to show off the results of their training and compete for a place in the national final
- Prizes for the best-performing teachers and schools and public recognition in our new online 'Hall of Fame'

More details about Junior Memory Championship can be found [here](#)



## Teacher Recruitment and Retention Strategy:

### Summer Term Roadshow



We are holding a series of roadshows across the country to seek teachers' views on how to improve teacher recruitment and retention. These views will feed into the [teacher recruitment and retention strategy](#) which the SoS announced in March.

In the East Midlands and Humber region we are holding two roadshows:

- Thursday 5th July 18 4.30–6.30pm at George Spencer Academy in Nottingham
- Thursday 12th July 18 4.30–6.30pm at Outwood Academy Adwick in Doncaster.

Please accept our apologies for the short notice for these events, but as the SoS is keen for us to engage with as many as teachers as possible we would be grateful if you would promote these roadshows to teachers in schools across your networks

## Teacher Recruitment and Retention Strategy:

### Case Studies Requested



The Department's ITT marketing team are seeking trainee case studies who are willing to support a planned marketing campaign. Ideally case studies would have an interesting back story e.g. a career changer who has left a different profession to train to teach in order to 'give back' to the community. Please could case studies be returned directly to Laura Lane at [Laura.LANE@education.gov.uk](mailto:Laura.LANE@education.gov.uk). Alternatively, as case studies are being sought as quickly as possible, you can send names and contact details directly to Laura so that the ITT marketing team can follow up individually.



The screenshot shows the Learn Sheffield website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Home, Communications, About Us, Strategies, Partnerships, and Services To Schools. The 'Partnerships' link is highlighted in green. Below this, a sub-menu is open, showing 'Commissions & Opportunities' in red, along with other options like Strategic Partners, SACRE, Inclusion Documents, Cultural Education P'ship, and Equality Documents. On the left side of the page, there is a sidebar with 'Partnerships' and 'Commissions & Opportunities' highlighted. The main content area features the heading 'Commissions & Opportunities' and a paragraph of text: 'Learn Sheffield offers a variety of commissions and opportunities to schools. These com... Learn Sheffield and from our partners. Opportunities Bulletins are issued frequently and share opportunities that school leaders may wish to take advantage of. They generally consists of free'.

**The Learn Sheffield website now has a 'Commissions & Opportunities' page within the 'Partnership' section. Clicking on the 'Opportunities' tab will take you to these bulletins. Clicking on the 'Commissions' tab will take you to the current and archived commissions – see below...**

## **BRIGHT Trial**

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Tooth decay is very common in young people living in deprived areas and often leads to toothache, loss of sleep, problems eating and time away from school. One of the most effective ways of preventing tooth decay is regular tooth brushing. BRIGHT will remind pupils to brush their teeth. BRIGHT will raise awareness of the impact of poor oral health and promote good oral health.

*Deadline: 13 July 2018*

[http:// www.learnsheffield.co.uk/Commissions/Current-Commissions](http://www.learnsheffield.co.uk/Commissions/Current-Commissions)