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Beginning Teacher Programme



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AREA OF LEARNING: Art & Design

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
<p>Art & Design, KS3 following through to KS4</p> <p>Creativity through Planning, Thinking & Making (Exploring the key requirements of the Art and Design Curriculum)</p>	<p>Part 1 - Teachers will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consider approaches at KS3 and how to lay the foundation for creative practice at KS4. Consider approaches to planning for teaching and learning at Key stage 4. <p>Part 2 - Teachers will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the principles that underlie the best practice for creativity in art and design. Identify a range of strategies which can be effective in promoting individual thinking (practical workshop). Be provided with information on resources available in the Ulster Museum and include guidance on how to plan a gallery visit with pupils. 	<p>Ulster Museum</p>	<p>Tuesday 29th November 2011</p>
<p>Digital Image Manipulation using Photoshop and Flash (ICT cross curricular skill)</p>	<p>Participants will work in groups according to their individual expertise. Everyone will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work in Photoshop to further develop skills at beginner or advanced level according to individual teachers' skills level. Look at pupil's work from KS3 to A Level to develop an understanding of progression in the use and application of Photoshop. Introduce to those participants at an advanced level the basics of motion graphics using Flash animation. 	<p>AmmA Centre, Armagh SELB</p>	<p>Thursday 8th March 2012</p>
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AREA OF LEARNING: Business Studies

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
The Business Studies Learning Classroom.		Clounagh Centre SELB	Tuesday 6 th December 2011
Using ICT in Business Studies.		Clounagh Centre SELB	Tuesday 14 th February 2012
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AREA OF LEARNING: Drama

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
Active Learning Through Drama at KS3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Developing drama strategies and text.• Looking at progression and assessment.• Review minimum requirement.	Ulidia R.C. BELB	Friday 27 th January 2012
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AREA OF LEARNING: English and Media Education

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
Supporting and inspiring pupils to make progress in Reading in the “learning classroom.”	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creating a supportive environment for reading from page and screen. • Formative feedback as a response to reading. • Intentional planning for teaching reading to a range of abilities. 	Ulidia Teachers’ Centre	Tuesday 22 nd November 2011
Developing strategies for improving pupils’ writing in Key Stages 3 and 4.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using talk as a support for writing. • Using ICT to foster writing skills. • Strategies for individual and group writing. • Task-setting for the Cross-curricular skill of Communication. 	Ulidia Teachers’ Centre	Wednesday 7 th March 2012
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AREA OF LEARNING: Geography

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
<p>"Using digital media to enhance learning and teaching in Geography"</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To develop knowledge and understanding of how to use technology effectively to aid pupil learning in geography. To plan out-of-school activities that consolidate, build on, enrich, personalise and extend pupil learning. To examine some recent developments in ICT, eg. NI Maps, GPS. 	<p>AmmA Centre Armagh SELB</p>	<p>Wednesday 7th December 2011</p>
<p>A practical guide to the completion of the controlled assessment in Geography</p>	<p>Participants will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand how fieldwork contributes to meeting the learning outcomes for Geography in the Northern Ireland Curriculum. Have an opportunity to gain relevant practical experience. Be given a range of ideas for Key Stage 3/4 fieldwork. Gain an awareness and understanding of the key principles of sustainable development (SD) and the role of Geography in promoting an understanding of sustainable development. 	<p>Magilligan Field Centre WELB</p>	<p>Tuesday 20th March 2012</p>
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AREA OF LEARNING: Home Economics

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
Effective Learning and Teaching in Home Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To increase understanding and appreciation of the motivating classroom in Home Economics. To increase awareness and appreciation of the importance of setting good learning intentions and success criteria. To explore a range of active learning strategies and consider how to apply these in the Home Economics classroom. To develop a greater awareness of formative feedback techniques. 	Antrim Board Centre NEELB	Thursday 10 th November 2011
Creating a Positive Learning Environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To increase understanding of how the development of cross curricular skills can enhance pupil learning. To reflect on current practice in Home Economics and identify opportunities for skills development. To model new opportunities for practical food sessions in Home Economics. 	Antrim Board Centre NEELB	Wednesday 7 th March 2012
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AREA OF LEARNING: ICT

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
VLE – developing exchange and Online Collaboration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To develop on-line practice as a method for professional development. • To give participants an opportunity to consider how VLEs can be used to enhance learning outcomes. • To allow beginning teachers to investigate how a VLE might be used across the school curriculum. 	Dundonald SEELB	Wednesday 16 th November 2011
Developing skills with Gamemaker	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To introduce Gamemaker software within the context of GCSE ICT. • To develop skills in using Gamemaker software. • To consider approaches to using Gaming in learning and teaching. 	Clounagh Centre SELB	Wednesday 1 st February 2012
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AREA OF LEARNING: Mathematics

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
Improving learning in the mathematics classroom.		Fortwilliam Educational Resource Centre BELB	Tuesday 31 st January 2012
Communication and active learning strategies in the mathematics classroom		Antrim Board Centre NEELB	Tuesday 6 th March 2012
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AREA OF LEARNING: Modern Languages

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
The Effective Modern Languages Classroom	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To build on prior learning in relation to the Northern Ireland Curriculum within the context of Modern Languages. To explore learning experiences which characterise the Northern Ireland Curriculum. To deepen understanding of the characteristics of the motivating Modern Languages classroom. To reflect on the importance of setting good learning intentions and success criteria. 	Antrim Board Centre NEELB	Tuesday 29 th November 2011
The Effective Modern Languages Classroom	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To explore a range of active teaching strategies and consider how these might be used in the Modern Languages classroom. To investigate a range of formative feedback techniques. To deepen understanding of how the development of pupils' TSPC enhances learning. To deepen understanding of how the development of pupils' skills in Communication & Using ICT enhances learning. 	Antrim Board Centre NEELB	Friday 9 th December 2011
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AREA OF LEARNING: Music

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
Effective Teaching and Learning in Music	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To explore ways of delivering the Northern Ireland Music Curriculum in the context of an effective learning classroom. To develop ideas which will engage all learners effectively in active and creative Music making. To reflect on the ways in which teaching and learning in Music contribute to the acquisition of Communication skills. 	Antrim Board Centre NEELB	Tuesday 15 th November 2011
GCSE Music - Assessing Composition and Performance. Using ICT effectively in the classroom	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To assess Performance and Composition at GCSE focusing on accurate application of the set marking criteria. To consider ways of linking compositions to the areas of study. To explore ways of using ICT effectively in the classroom and possible cross curricular links. 	Belfast School of Music – Fortwilliam BELB	Wednesday 18 th January 2012
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AREA OF LEARNING: Nursery/Early Years

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
The Context for Learning	A knowledge and understanding of: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• how to create an interactive and challenging learning environment;• how to put the pre-school curriculum into practice;• effective relationships.	Antrim Board Centre	Thursday 10th November, 2011
Planning and Observing Learning	To explore the process of observation and planning to meet the needs of the pre-school child.	Antrim Board Centre	Thursday 23 rd February, 2012
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AREA OF LEARNING: Physical Education

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
Effective Teaching and Learning in Gymnastics at KS3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This practical course examines a range of requirements of the NI Curriculum for Physical Education. Participants will develop their knowledge and understanding of an effective learning environment for Gymnastics at KS3. 	Ashfield Girls' High School, Belfast	Friday 20th January 2012
Effective Teaching and Learning in Athletics at KS3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This practical courses examines a range of requirements of the NI Curriculum for Physical Education. Participants will develop their knowledge and understanding of an effective learning environment for Athletics at KS3. 	N.I. Athletics – Mary Peters Track, Belfast	Monday 26 th March 2012
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AREA OF LEARNING: Religious Education

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
Effective learning and Teaching in the RE Classroom	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To build on prior learning in relation to the Northern Ireland Curriculum within the context of Religious Education and explore the principal characteristics of the Northern Ireland Curriculum. To explore the approaches to teaching which have the greatest effect on pupil learning. To develop a knowledge and understanding of and participate in a range of learning and teaching strategies which enhance learning and raise achievement. To develop a knowledge and understanding of the key elements of assessment for learning and their practical application in RE. 	Ulidia Resource Centre BELB	Tuesday 29th November 2011
Enhancing Pupil Learning Through ICT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To participate in a range of e-learning activities that enhance pupil learning in the classroom. To develop a knowledge and understanding of how to use technology effectively to aid pupil learning. To develop an understanding of how the development of pupils' skills in Communication, Using Mathematics & Using ICT enhances learning in RE. 	Fortwilliam Educational Resource Centre BELB	Thursday 8 th March 2012
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AREA OF LEARNING: Science

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
<p>This is a two day programme for teachers with a strong focus on improving teaching and learning.</p>	<p>Day 1 will give the beginning teachers a chance to reflect on their journey so far and consider their vision and hopes for the future. There may be input from ETI on this day and a chance to ask questions about the inspection process and standards in science.</p>	SEELB	Thursday 29 th March 2012
	<p>Day 2 will consider the current research on evidence based learning and what works best in the classroom, and will challenge teachers to develop teaching strategies that have been proved to be the most effective in raising standards through a focus on thinking skills</p>	SEELB	Friday 30 th March 2012
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AREA OF LEARNING: Special Schools/Units

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
Day 1 Statutory processes in Special Schools/Settings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To develop an understanding of Statutory Assessment and the Annual Review process. To have a better understanding of how to interpret psychological advice. To understand the importance of developing meaningful and effective IEPs to meet the needs of individual pupils. 	Antrim Board Centre (Conference Room1)	Monday 14 th November 2011
Day 2 Effective learning and teaching in Special Schools/settings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To be aware of the importance of and consider the principles that underlie best practice for effective learning and teaching. To identify a range of strategies to promote effective classroom practice to enhance learning and teaching. 	Antrim Board Centre (Conference Room1)	Tuesday 15 th November 2011
Day 3 Promoting effective communication and behaviour in the classroom	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To be aware of the importance of and consider the principles that underlie best practice for a communication friendly classroom. To identify a range of strategies to promote a communication friendly classroom. To develop an understanding of the causes of behaviour. To identify a range of strategies to promote and sustain good behaviour and to manage inappropriate behaviour. 	Antrim Board Centre (Conference Room1)	Tuesday 7 th February 2012.
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AREA OF LEARNING: Technology and Design

Title	Outcomes	Venue	Date
Assessment for Learning and other effective Teaching and Learning Strategies		BELB/ WELB depending on location of participants	Postponed until the new year.
Planning for Design – including the cross curricular skills”		Clounagh Centre SELB	Wednesday 25 th January 2012
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