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...will take place 11-12 March 2016 at Dunchurch Park in Rugby! Early bird booking opens 07 Dec 2015.



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ALL Connect Update

What the ALL Connect project has managed to achieve in its first year, and what we have planned for the second...

Year 1:

ALL Connect has developed training modules for language teachers on major curriculum themes which is now available via the the ALL Connect Blog:

Key Stage 2	Key Stage 3
KS2 Grammar	KS3 Literature
KS2 Speaking	KS3 Spontaneous Speaking
KS2 Writing	KS3 Translation
KS2 Progression	KS3 Grammar
KS2-3 Transition	KS3 Extended Writing

ALL Connect has also delivered face-to-face training in three regions (the East, North East and North Midlands). Regional Coordinators in each region delivered training to teams of ALL Connect Lead Teachers, who then returned to their local centres and delivered the training to language teachers in their local areas. Training sessions have now taken place in all three regions, in around 30 local centres – that's up to 300 twilight sessions, benefitting around 4,000 teachers across the country!



Events

ALL Events

November events

21 Nov 2015, Withington Girls' School

- ALL Manchester Preparing for the new GCSE
- 23 Nov 2015, Thomas Estley Community College
- ALL Connect: Speaking
 24 Nov 2015, St Loys Primary
 School
- ALL Connect: Grammar 25 Nov 2015, Stroud High Sch
- <u>ALL West of England Sixth</u> <u>Form Lectures</u>
- 25 Nov 2015, Immanuel College, Bradford
- <u>ALL Connect: Speaking</u> **25 Nov 2015, Bliss Charity Sch**
- ALL Connect: Grammar 25 Nov 2015, University of Winchester

Year 2:

<u>ALL Connect</u> is now developing two **new training resources** which will be available via the <u>ALL Connect Blog</u> from Spring 2016. These will be showcased at Language World 2016:

- A KS2 Transition Toolkit, with an associated training module; and
- A KS2 Coordinator's Handbook, with an associated training module.

The <u>ALL Connect</u> team is also busy creating **new interactive wikis**, connected to the ALL Connect Blog, allowing teachers to upload examples of their own resources for each module, and providing further support materials for colleagues in KS2 and KS3:

ALL Literature Wiki

ALL Grammar Wiki

ALL Speaking Wiki

Already available to use

Launching today!

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ALL Writing & Translation Wiki Launching November 2015

ALL Progression & Transition Wiki Launching December 2015

The ALL Connect wikis are also intended as a standalone resources for any teacher to use, so have a look and please contribute!

<u>ALL Connect</u> face-to-face training in the existing 10 modules, and the two newly developed modules, is continuing – and has expanded into new areas: the southern part of the North East region, the Midlands region - Northamptonshire (KS2&3) and Leicestershire (KS3), and Yorkshire (KS3) – so entirely new groups of teachers are benefitting from the training.

You can find more details about ALL Connect training courses on our website.

- <u>ALL Hampshire Primary Hub</u> mtg

25 Nov 2015, Moulton Primary School

- ALL Connect: Grammar
 26 Nov 2015, Abingdon, Oxon
- ALL Oxfordshire TeachMeet 28 Nov 2015, Parkside Primary School
- ALL Kent Primary Hub mtg

Impact:

We hope that ALL Connect will continue to benefit participants across the board by building confidence, promoting best practice and laying the foundations for a coherent seven-year programme of study for languages across Key Stages 2 and 3.

We want to create a lasting structure of new local networks and hubs in a range of regions, which will provide CPD and networking opportunities far beyond the life-span of the funded project – as part of ALL, the professional subject association for teachers of languages.

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