

ALL Together Now!

ALL on the road!

for Branches and Networks

Summer 2017

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- Language World Conference 2017
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Languages in Schools survey

- Urgent! ALL has heard concerning news from schools
- With partners we have launched a short survey (10 questions) on the current situation for Languages in schools (Primary and Secondary): impact of financial and other changes that are being felt.
- If you have concerns, please respond! Views are needed by 14 June - you can just answer the questions you want to !
- <https://goo.gl/forms/fBkGXCD0ZkHdzDKd2>

Language World Conference

- Language World Storify
- <https://storify.com/ALL4language/language-world-2017.html>
- Language World 2018 is on 23rd and 24th March at Jury's Inn, Hinckley Island.
- Submissions from Mon 4 Sep for Flying the flag cf Early Bird booking**

Language World Friday

- Many presentations are in the Members' area:

http://www.all-languages.org.uk/calendar_events/language-world/language-world-2017/language-world-2017-friday/

Language World Saturday

- Many presentations are in the Members' area:

http://www.all-languages.org.uk/calendar_events/language-world/language-world-2017/language-world-2017-saturday

News from ALL office

- Welcome to ALL new staff! Members will see their names appearing in ALLnet
- The office is moving in early June 2017. If you don't have the new details, please send any mail to the old address marked ALL /or Association for Language Learning (and nothing else) for forwarding.

News from ALL office

- The website will change soon to <https://> for security reasons; this should not affect your access
- Nominations for Language Teacher of Year for 2018 can be submitted from 11 Sept.

News from ALL office

- Take a look at the Language Zones relevant to you; they aim to present *articles about the cultural events in the target language speaking country, reviews on resources to use in the classroom or to improve your language knowledge, and practice – content/ideas which come straight from the classroom.*
- Contributions are welcome!
- *Contacts are in the Notes below this screen*

Volunteers Week - June

Thanks as ever to our amazing Volunteers who sustain so much activity on our behalf. If you would like to get more involved contact info@ALL-Languages.org.uk

ALL Council: Task&Finish Groups

The ALL Council (representing the membership broadly) T&F Groups are working on their tasks under the headings:

Policy

Membership

Publications

Outcomes include:

The publication of the Head of Department Handbook

Creation of the Secondary Special Interest Group and Steering Group

Plans for electronic resources

TSC KS3 Pedagogy Review

This review by the Teaching Schools Council focusses on modern foreign languages teaching practice in Key Stage 3 and Key Stage 4.

<https://www.tscouncil.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2016/12/MFL-Pedagogy-Review-Report-2.pdf>

- **Recommendation 2:**

- *Pupils need to gain **systematic knowledge** of the **vocabulary**, **grammar**, and sound and spelling systems (**phonics**) ... and how these are used. ...They need to reinforce this knowledge with extensive **practice** and **use***

- There is significant **expertise** in teaching **phonics** in English and in MFL in the Primary sector which should be shared with secondary colleagues
- Good practice in **linking sound and spelling correspondences** in primary languages should set the foundation for KS3

- **Recommendation 6:**

- *Language teachers should know and build on the grammar taught in the **Key Stage 2** national curriculum for English*

- Key role for liaison between primary schools and their receiving secondary schools.
- Opportunities for cross-phase CPD between primary and secondary colleagues re GPS / aka SPaG (Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar)

Coming soon: #SuperSaturday4Languages

On 17th June 2017 look out for these major events :

ALL London June Event + GCSE '*Show & Tell*'

<http://tinyurl.com/alljuneevent17>

ALLNE GCSE event with partners in Newcastle

<http://forms.ncl.ac.uk/view.php?id=12717>

ALL West of England GCSE event

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/all-mfl-gcse-9-1-sos-tickets-33661057128>

Coming soon from partners

- Network for Languages London MFL conference - University of Westminster
- Saturday 24th. June for primary and secondary teachers.
- <http://courses-events.org.uk/158S-4XSQI-32/sv.aspx>



Coming soon from partners

- Language Show London 13-15 October 2017

ALL Jobs Board

An enhanced service for language teachers and their schools, brought to you by your subject association

Do you need to fill a vacancy in language education? Listing your vacancy through [the ALL jobs board service](#) is a cost-effective way of reaching our 4,500 members, as well as their colleagues and informal networks at the local level. As a member, you can receive discounted rates!

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