



Autism Education Trust (AET) training for schools is a package of modules funded by the DfE and supported by OFSTED.

Tier 1 training can be provided free to BANES schools and academies with other modules available throughout the year or on request.

Up-coming AET training dates at Fosse Way School, Longfellow Road, Radstock BA3 3AL

AET Tier 2 Core—October 19th

AET Tier 2 Extending and Enhancing—November 10th

AET Tier 3—December 6th

AET Complex Needs—January 12th

Please contact AET@fossewayschool.com



School to School support

The Bath and Mendip Partnership Teaching School has its own dedicated team of LLEs and SLEs who have all been through a designation process, ensuring that they have both the skills and expertise to work with schools. TBMPTS brokers this support by ensuring the LLE or SLE is best placed to meet the schools' needs. Schools can rest assured that everyone has been quality assured as part of the rigorous designation process.

Schools requiring support should contact us to discuss their requirements. TBMPTS can call upon local, regional or nationally based LLEs or SLEs to be a part of this process. We also work closely with three NLEs who are based in BANES.

The Bath and Mendip Partnership Teaching School can now be found on Twitter and Facebook.

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“New to special” is a series of training sessions for staff who find themselves working with children in primary or special schools and would like some tips and ideas for working with this group.

Future dates include:

New to Special: **Making the most of TAS**—November 1st

New to Special: **Teaching English**—November 15th

New to Special: **Speech and language needs**—November 29th

New to Special: **Tools for assessment and reporting**—January 25th

.b Foundations is a nine-week training course for teachers and staff who wish to learn the foundations of **mindfulness**.

A taster session on **November 9th**, 4pm to 6pm, will introduce the basic principles behind mindfulness and offers a chance to try out the practice. It also sets out the proven benefits of engaging with mindfulness, along with the proviso that commitment and patience are required. It is being held at St Keyna Primary School, Monmouth Road, Keynsham BS31 2JP.

In 2016-17 the Bath and Mendip Partnership Teaching School: Worked with 172 schools, with 888 members of staff accessing training. Of those 627 were from BANES, coming from 71 BANES schools.

We ran a total of 75 courses over the year.

For more details and to book any course, please see the website www.tbmpts.com email office@tbmpts.com or phone 01761 412198



Leadership training coming up:

This year we are offering a comprehensive range of leadership programmes:

NQT induction programme: It is not too late to register an NQT with us. We can offer a complete package or Pay As You Go options.

Leadership Development for UPR Teachers: How to meet the requirements of being on the Upper Pay Range. **Starts November 8th**

Senior Leadership programme: A development programme for deputy heads, assistant heads and senior leaders who have leadership aspiration or head teachers in the first two years of being in post. **Starts November 9th**

Early Leadership programme: Explores key principles behind “stepping up to leadership”. **Starts November 10th**

School Direct

The Bath and Mendip Partnership Teaching School offers initial teacher training through our **School Direct** programme.

It has been devised by local head teachers in conjunction with Bath Spa University. It places trainees in the classroom for most of the year alongside experienced teachers to learn the skills of teaching on the job. This is supported by training at the University and TBMPST.

We can also offer an **SEND** route.

To apply search Bath and Mendip Partnership Teaching School on the **UCAS** website.

Applications for 2018 can be registered from **October 26th, 2017.**

Primary training coming up:

EYFS baseline moderation session:

Supporting teachers in making secure “on entry” judgements—**October 31st**

Guided reading to whole class lessons: Jo Payne, aka blogger MrsPTEach, will share her school’s reading journey—**November 3rd**

TA training: grammar for grown-ups: Help to support TAs with terminology and techniques within the grammar curriculum—**November 7th**

Phonics training: For teaching assistants, NQTs, teachers who need a refresher or are new to the year group—**November 16th**

ASP new data: Exploring the latest set of data with ASP—**November 20th**

Problem solving with Numicon: An introductory workshop—**November 22nd**

SLE recruitment



The Bath and Mendip Partnership Trust is looking to recruit more SLEs in the autumn.

This exciting opportunity will give successful applicants valuable and beneficial experience in local settings.

Details of recruitment evenings to follow

Research: Termly updates reported from the field of SEND, neuroscience and psychology.

SEND programme

Series of twilight sessions running from September under banner “**New to special**” for teachers and TAs who find themselves working in a specialist setting or working more directly with pupils with SEND in mainstream schools, as well as NQTs and trainee teachers.

Other courses include training on:

Managing Anger and Anxiety in Pupils with Autism

TEACCH training
Mindful Emotion Coaching

Girls and autism
Supporting well-being in the primary classroom
Dyslexia

Bespoke packages available: contact us for whole school CPD