

Getting to grips with the teacher assessment of writing at the end of key stage 2

Venue: Guildhall Feoffment Community Primary School Friday 2 March 2018 9.30 – 15.00

Course leader: Jo Shackleton - Independent consultant who works on behalf of the Standards and Testing Agency as a senior external moderator of key stage 2 writing.

Cost: £50 for one person from a school – additional teachers £35

This day's training will provide an opportunity for year 6 teachers and subject leaders to become familiar with the national moderation training materials for **key stage 2 writing** teacher assessment. It will focus on the following:

- exploring the changes to the revised teacher assessment guidance and frameworks;
- unpicking and applying the revised 'pupil can' statements for 'working at the expected standard' and 'working at greater depth within the expected standard';
- understanding the requirements of an external moderation visit and the importance of the professional discussion.

The course is suitable for year 6 teachers and KS2 writing leads, regardless of whether or not they expect an external moderation visit this year. Please note that the course is **not** suitable for colleagues who have applied to be a local authority moderator for KS2 writing this year, since the day will replicate national training already provided by the local authority.

Jo has been a teacher, a local authority adviser, an Ofsted inspector, and a member of the DfE Effective Practice Team. As an independent consultant, she has worked on behalf of the Standards and Testing Agency as a senior external moderator of key stage 2 writing. She is the author of 'Grammar Survival for Primary Teachers' and has worked with primary and secondary schools in Suffolk since 2012.

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