



Primary CPD Meeting Dates and Venues 2025/26

- Face-to-Face - Joint Primary & Secondary - Professional Studies - arrival at 15.45 for a 16.00 start to 17.15/30 x 3 sessions
- Face-to-Face - In school facilitated learning and LLC - arrival at 15.30 - 17.00 x 6 sessions (1 per half term)
- Online sessions start at 16:00; links to follow nearer the time

ITT	ECT1	ECT2
Tuesday 9/9/2025 Welcome to the Watford Partnership (Online Meeting for ITTs and new ECTs) 16.00 - 17.00		
Date: Tuesday 16/9/2025 Location: The Reach Free School Topic: Professional Conduct Delivered by: Andrew Jones	Date: Thursday 18/9/2025 Location: Parmiter's School Topic: AI Workshop Delivered by: Mariam Faisal <i>PRIMARY LEADER - Liz Sedgwick, Deputy Headteacher, Little Green</i>	Date: Thursday 18/9/2025 Location: Parmiter's School Topic: Teacher Persona Delivered by: Lewis Froy <i>PRIMARY LEADER - Duncan Roberts, Headteacher, Little Green</i>
ECT1/ECT2 (ITTs not required but welcome to join) Date: Thursday 16/10/2025 at 15.30; Face-to-Face Location: Arnett Hills Topic: Behaviour as Learning Delivered by: Holly Butcher, Headteacher, Arnett Hills		
<u>OPTIONAL - OPEN TO ANY STAFF IN PARTNER SCHOOLS = Primary ITTs and ECTs welcome to join</u> Date: Tuesday 21/10/2025 Location: ONLINE WEBINAR Topic: Best Practice 1 - Retrieval, Interleaving and Spacing Delivered by: Andrew Jones, The Reach Free School		
<u>OPTIONAL - OPEN TO ANY STAFF IN PARTNER SCHOOLS - Primary ITTs and ECTs welcome to join</u> Date: Thursday 06/11/2025 Location: Garston Manor School, Face-to-Face Topic: SEND Best Practice Delivered by: Christine deGraft-Hanson, Garston Manor School		
No ITT CPD session	Date: Thursday 20/11/2025 Location: Queens' School Topic: Data Delivered by: Jo Day <i>PRIMARY LEADER - Liz Sedgwick, Deputy Headteacher, Little Green</i>	Date: Thursday 20/11/2025 Location: Queens' School Topic: Effective strategies for AfL Delivered by: Tom Perkins <i>PRIMARY LEADER - Emma Cole, Headteacher, Malvern Way Infant and Nursery School</i>
ITT / ECT1 + ECT2 if session not previously attended (along with Secondary colleagues) Date: Tuesday 25/11/2025 (all day) Face-to-Face Location: Parmiter's School Topic: Behaviour Delivered by: Robin Lauder		
ECT1/ECT2 (ITTs not required but welcome to join) Date: Thursday 27/11/2025 at 15.30: Face-to-Face Location: Beechfield School 15.30 Topic: Inclusion as Excellence Delivered by: Maple Cross and Beechfield		

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No ITT session	<p>OPTIONAL Primary ECT1 only Date: Tuesday 11/12/2025 Location: ONLINE WEBINAR Topic: LLC M2 Exploring yourself as a role Model</p>	No ECT2 session
<p>OPTIONAL - OPEN TO ANY STAFF IN PARTNER SCHOOLS - Primary ITTs and ECTs welcome to join Date: Tuesday 13/01/2026 Location: ONLINE WEBINAR Topic: Concrete Examples, Dual Coding and Storytelling Delivered by: Martyn Essery, The Reach Free</p>		
<p>ECT1/ECT2 (ITTs not required but welcome to join) Date: Thursday 22/01/2026 - Face-to-Face 15.30 Location: Little Green Junior School Topic: Effective Confrontation (parents and colleagues) Delivered by: Little Green Junior School</p>		
<p>OPTIONAL Primary ITTs and ECTs welcome to join Date: Tuesday 27/01/2026 Location: The Reach Free School - Face-to-Face Topic: WPFTT Teach Meet Delivered by: Partnership colleagues (Lead School: The Reach Free)</p>		
No ITT session	<p>OPTIONAL Primary ECT1 only Date: Thursday 12/02/2026 Location: Online Topic: LLC M3 The role of powerful disciplinary language</p>	No ECT2 session
<p>Date: Tuesday 03/03/2026 Location: Chessbrook ESC Face-to-Face Topic: Managing yourself and your work-life balance Delivered by: Sameena Riaz & Andy Mirkovic PRIMARY LEADER - To be confirmed</p>	<p>Date: Thursday 05/03/2026 Location: The Reach Free School Face-to-Face Topic: KS2-KS3 SEND transition Delivered by: Karen Crawley PRIMARY LEADER - Hannah Trickett, Headteacher, Maple Cross</p>	<p>Date: Thursday 05/03/2026 Location: The Reach Free School Face-to-Face Topic: Visible Teaching Delivered by: Geoff Curwen PRIMARY LEADER: Emma Hibberd, Assistant Headteacher, Cherry Tree</p>
<p>OPTIONAL - OPEN TO ANY STAFF IN PARTNER SCHOOLS - Primary ITTs and ECTs welcome to join Date: Wednesday 11/03/2025 Location: ONLINE WEBINAR Topic: SEND Best Practice Delivered by: Christine deGraft-Hanson (Lead School: Garston Manor School)</p>		
<p>ECT1/ECT2 (ITTs not required but welcome to join) Date: Thursday mid-MARCH TBC Location: TBC Topic: Behaviour - Deepening Practice Delivered by: St Peter's and Cherry Tree</p>		
No ITT session	<p>OPTIONAL Primary ECT1 only Date: Thursday 26/03/2026 Location: Online Topic: LLC M4 Collaborative Learning</p>	No ECT2 session

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OPTIONAL - OPEN TO ANY STAFF IN PARTNER SCHOOLS - Primary ITTs and ECTs welcome to join
Date: Tuesday 21/4/2026
Location: ONLINE WEBINAR
Topic: Guided Practice and Practice for Fluency
Delivered by: Andrew Jones, The Reach Free School

ECT1/ECT2 (ITTs not required but welcome to join)
Date: Thursday *mid MAY TBC*
Location: TBC
Topic: Inclusive Behaviour Strategies
Delivered by: Malvern Way and Laurance Haines

No ITT session	<u>OPTIONAL Primary ECT1 only</u> Date: Thursday 21/05/2026 Location: Online Topic: LLC M5 Meeting pupils' needs: adaptive teaching	No ECT2 session
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ECT1/ECT2 (ITTs not required but welcome to join)
Date: Thursday *mid-JUNE TBC*
Location: TBC
Topic: Leadership and Inclusion
Delivered by: Maple Cross + St Peters

Friday 12/6/2026 Summer Conference Aldenham Golf Club, WD25 8NN - 11:45 to 16.00

OPTIONAL - OPEN TO ANY STAFF IN PARTNER SCHOOLS - Primary ITTs and ECTs welcome to join
Date: Tuesday 16/06/2025
Location: Online and face-to-face
Topic: SEND Best Practice
Delivered by: Christine deGraft-Hanson
 (Lead School: Garston Manor School)

OPTIONAL Primary ITTs and ECTs welcome to join
Date: Tuesday 30/06/2026
Location: ONLINE WEBINAR
Topic: Share Fair
Delivered by: Partnership colleagues
 (Lead School: The Reach Free School)

No ITT session	<u>OPTIONAL Primary ECT1 only</u> Date: Thursday 09/07/2026 Location: Online Topic: LLC M6 Making productive use of assessment	No ECT2 session
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