

**Venue:** Larchwood Primary School , Larchwood Gardens,  
Pilgrims Hatch, Brentwood, Essex, CM15 9NG

**Audience:** Senior Leaders, Subject Leaders and Governors

**Cost:** £60 per person +vat

## Programme

### The Programme aims are:

- To identify parallels between reading/writing skills, and those which develop children's ability to think mathematically
- To identify and use opportunities for using the classroom strategies used in English lessons, to support mathematics learning
- To make recommendations for encouraging creative thinking in mathematics using similar approaches to those used in the teaching of reading and writing

Our long-term goal in the teaching and learning of both mathematics and English is to enable children to grow into thoughtful learners, with the confidence and competence to draw upon a range of skills in new situations. In both subjects we want children to take ownership of their learning, and often use a range of teaching strategies to enable them to do so.

This course explores the commonalities between the teaching and learning of the two subjects and looks at ways to effectively use the skills and strategies from English, in mathematics lessons. Delegates will engage in discussion, observation of live teaching and reflection. Everyone will leave with practical ways to teach more efficiently by sharing skills across the subjects, to enable children to enhance their problem solving and reasoning skills.

Janine Blinko works as a consultant both independently and with other experienced consultants. She has worked in primary mathematics for many years at many different levels including: subject leader; advisory teacher (ESG funding); deputy head teacher in a large primary school; assessment writer for the National Tests and NfER; senior lecturer, teaching post-graduate trainees, and GTP trainees; author of articles and curriculum materials; CPD provider for a range of LAs and organisations; researcher for QCDA and the NCETM; and a consultant for BEAM Education, Osiris and Smar+.

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