

Science Subject Leader Termly Updates Session 3 – 2017

### Evening twilight 4-5.30pm June 8<sup>th</sup> 2017 Led by: Jeremy Crook, Impetus Consultant

# Venue: Ingatestone and Fryerning Junior School The Furlongs, Ingatestone CM4 0AL

Audience: Science subject leaders, Senior leaders

Focus: To understand how to use the National Curriculum to teach inspiring science lessons and to understand what Ofsted expects to see in primary school science lessons.

#### Cost: £50 per person +vat

Programme

4pm – 5.30pm at Ingatestone and Fryerning Junior School

This session is the second of termly subject leader update meetings which will take place across the year. This session will focus on Working Scientifically. It will provide colleagues with the opportunity to explore practical activities, discuss how to improve teaching and learning in science and enable them to understand what Ofsted inspectors will be looking for in schools.

It will cover:

## Focus: Working scientifically

- 1. Teaching children to ask relevant questions and use different types of scientific enquiries to answer them
- 2. The importance of real-life contexts for effective science learning
- 3. What makes effective recording and how to use this to assess children's attainment

There will be further sessions next school year on the following dates:

- Autumn term Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2017
- Spring term Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2018
- Summer term Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2018

The venues for these sessions will be agreed at the previous meeting. These sessions will cover relevant up to the minute developments in Science, including how to teach the tricky bits, and providing the opportunity for delegates to share best practice.

**Jeremy Crook** was until recently Headteacher of a Community Primary School in Wickford. He was recognised by Ofsted as an Outstanding teacher and an inspirational Headteacher and he was also Commended in the 2009 Headteacher of the Year Awards for his work in transforming his last school. He now works as a consultant in a wide range of schools in London and across the east of England. He is also a deputy director of a teacher training company, lectures in initial teacher training, runs a wide range of bespoke training courses and is a member of the National Curriculum Science Expert Group.

#### To book

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