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JCT NEWSLETTER

Communication is everyone's business.

Happy New Year from the Joint Communication Team

Welcome to our first JCT Newsletter! This is an opportunity for us to share more information about what we offer and our upcoming events. As well as this, we hope to share tips and resources to support children and young people's speech, language and communication development.

Exciting news: This January we are **launching our** new webpage! The JCT webpage will enable you to book onto workshops online and there are a wealth of resources to support speech, language and communication development. You can find the new webpage here: <u>lbhfinspirehub.com</u>

• The JCT Team =

Tip of the Month:

Wait for 8: Remember to give people at least 8 seconds to respond when you ask a question.



Get in touch

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Visit our website: <u>lbhfinspirehub.com</u>



January Workshops:

<u>Understanding Spoken Language</u> <u>Primary</u> <u>15.01.24 - 8:30 - 9:15</u>

Enabling Learning Environments EYFS 15.01.24 3:30 - 4:15

<u>Understanding Spoken Language</u> <u>EYFS</u> <u>18.01.24 8:30 - 9:15</u>

<u>Word Aware / Vocabulary Teaching Strategies</u> <u>Primary</u> <u>18.01.24 3:30 - 4:15</u>

Storytelling and Narrative Teaching Strategies Primary 22.01.24 8:30 - 9:15

<u>Sentence Building Teaching Strategies</u> <u>Primary</u> <u>22.01.24 3:30 - 4:15</u>

> <u>Communication4All</u> <u>EYFS</u> 23.01.23 8:30 - 9:15

Enabling Learning Environments Secondary 23.01.24 3:30 - 4:15

Enabling Learning Environments Primary 29.01.24 8:30 - 9:15

> Barrier Games Primary 29.01.24 12:30 - 1:15

> Communication4All <u>Primary</u> 30.01.24 3:30 - 4:15



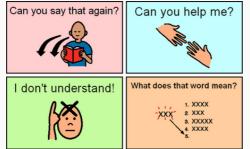
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Workshop of the month

Understanding Spoken Language: Information, Instructions and Questions



Children hear a huge amount of information, instructions and questions at their setting or school every day. This Universal workshop focuses on strategies to make our information and instructions easier to understand, for all pupils, including those with SLCN. This workshop provides strategies and resources for approaches including:

- How to use Task Planners
- Enabling Instructions
- Encouraging children to 'Say when I don't understand.'
- Questioning Strategies
- Approaches to word problems in Maths

Available for EYFS, Primary and Secondary phases.

Resource of the month: Story Ping Pong

At Old Oak Primary School, children have been using these Story Ping Pong bats to support them to retell stories in pairs using key storytelling words.

To check out this resource and more visit our webpage:

https://lbhfinspirehub.com/resources categories/jct-resources/

<u>CLICK HERE</u> <u>To book</u>

Useful Link:

Oracy charity 'Voice 21' have released this new research report which shines a light on 5 key actions schools can take to support vocabulary development. Click <u>here</u> to read.

