

Supporting Post-16 GCSE Resit

The Maths Hubs network across England works on projects around national maths education priority areas. One of the Maths Hubs' priorities is to provide high quality training to improve children's understanding, with a particular focus on practitioners' subject knowledge. Each participating Maths Hub runs a local Work Group, where teachers come together over a period of time to work on areas defined by the project. Read on to find out more about your local work group.

For more information contact us by Friday 9th November

Overview

This project aims to explore effective ways of teaching key content of the new GCSE to resit students. Working collaboratively, teachers of resit groups from further education and schools will develop and share effective ways to approach the new GCSE, with a focus on issues particularly affecting this sector such as: student confidence and motivation, condensed time frame, and large student numbers. The work groups will be held at Leeds City College, recently designated as a Maths Centre of Excellence.

Who is this for?

Teachers of Post-16 GCSE Maths.

What is involved?

Session 1: (~~15th November 2018~~) 17 January 2019

- Reflection on the November exams.
- Introduction to the workgroup.
- Presentation of some successful initiatives at Leeds City College, Shipley College and The Maltings College.
- Discussion of challenges and designing gap tasks to address these.

Session 2: (Date TBC)

- Subject to change depending on delegate needs. (Their input will shape the workgroup)
- Feedback on the gap tasks by each participant or group.
- A successful initiative implemented at Leeds City College.
- Plan second gap tasks and visits to other colleges/schools.

Session 3: (Date TBC)

- Feedback on the gap tasks by each participant or group.
- The evaluation process – delegates to complete online.
- The celebration meal!

Venue

Leeds City College.

Dates

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Following sessions: Dates TBC.

What next?

Interested in taking part in this project? For further information please email West Yorkshire Maths Hub at wymathshub@trinitytsa.co.uk by **Friday 9th November**.