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## Celebrating The Foundations of Learning

### An Early Years Conference

**Join us on Friday 3rd March at the Parkhead Hotel, Bishop Auckland, DL14  
8QB from 8.45 a.m to 3 p.m**

#### The conference will focus on:

- ◆ Understanding the characteristics of effective learning
- ◆ Exploring the Prime Areas of the Early Years Foundation Stage
- ◆ Celebrating success and what makes magic happen in Early Years learning
- ◆ Having fun and feeling inspired and empowered



#### Keynote Speaker Dr Tom Robson

Tom has taught in all phases from FS2 to Post Graduate institutions. His experience ranges from being an NPQH trainer, Ofsted Inspector to Senior LA Adviser and consultant. Tom runs conferences worldwide for schools, LAs and large multi national corporations on the power of motivation and inspiration on learning,

Cost **£80.00** per person for the conference only or **£100.00** which includes a visit to one of the nursery schools on page 2 to observe teaching and Learning and and the use of the learning environment. **Hot lunch provided**

## Programme of Events



8.45– 9 a.m Refreshments

9 a.m Welcome– Leslie Patterson Headteacher and NLE

9.10 -10. a.m Keynote - Dr Tom Robson The Characteristics of Effective Learning

10.00– 10.30 a.m Leslie Patterson - Finding the Magic

10.30-10.45 a.m Comfort break/Refreshments

10.45– 11.30 a.m Workshop 1 & 2

11.35 -12.05 p.m Lesley Castling - EYTS Programme Lead, Northumbria University

12.10– 1p.m LUNCH

1.00– 1.45 p.m Workshops 3 & 4

1.50-2.40 p.m Workshops 5 & 6

2.45-3.15/3.30 p.m Dr Tom Robson

**Representatives from the following Nursery Schools will lead workshops.**

- ◆ Etherley Lane Nursery School
- ◆ Langley Moor Nursery School
- ◆ Rosemary Lane Nursery School
- ◆ Seaham Harbour Nursery School
- ◆ Tudhoe Moor Nursery School
- ◆ Aclet Close Nursery School
- ◆ Oxclose Nursery School

### Workshop 1

Title: The Importance of Wellbeing– PSE Development

### Workshop 2

Title: Preparing the Ground for Future Learning– Physical Development

### Workshop 3

Title: The Power of Becoming an Effective Communicator– Communication and Language

### Workshop 4

Title: Learning to be Learners– The Characteristics of Effective Learning

### Workshop 5

Title: Learning Creatively

### Workshop 6

Title: The Potential of the Great Outdoors for Empowering Learners

To book a place at the conference please contact Joe Sonnenfeld, Durham Teaching School Alliance Manager.

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Please provide your name, school name and a contact email address/tel no. You will receive a confirmation of your booking within 24 hours.

Please also indicate whether you wish to visit one of the presenting schools.

