

Learn Sheffield Opportunities

September 2018

The purpose of this bulletin is to share opportunities that school leaders may wish to take advantage of. It generally consists of free events, group discounts or local/national initiatives that are being offered to Sheffield. If you know of anything that you think should be included then let us know.

Primary

Special

Secondary

South Yorkshire Futures: Working Together to Transform Lives



Sheffield City Region Mayor, Dan Jarvis MBE MP, will be guest speaker at the event.

“Life chances are set early and I want the region’s parents, nurseries, schools and colleges to take a more integrated approach in helping young people achieve their potential.”

Dan Jarvis Mayoral Manifesto 2018

Join us at the event to:

- Learn about the aims and objectives of the programme
- Find out more about our activity and progress over the last 12 months looking at specific projects related to early years, teacher recruitment and retention, and routes into higher education and work
- Discover how you and your organisation can get involved and become part of the most progressive social mobility programmes in the country

**Sheffield Institute of Education,
Charles Street Building,
Tuesday 18th September 2018,
5.00-7.00pm**

Register

<https://southyorkshirefutures.co.uk/syf/events/south-yorkshire-futures-annual-event/>



Brilliant Residential
in the heart of the
Peak District



Schools Special Offer 2018/19

Book a school residential for between the 9th of December 2018 and the 15th of February 2019 and save 20% on our bundle price. Visit our website or contact us to find out more.



#WinterResidentials

Thornbridge supports the Learning Away Brilliant Residentials campaign. This highlights the positive impacts that can be gained from Winter Residentials, including, improved pupil resilience as well as fostering greater teacher-pupil relationships throughout the year.



thornbridge outdoors

01629 640491 | thornbridgeoutdoors.co.uk



Sheffield Grammar School Exhibition Foundation

Secondary

The Sheffield Grammar School Exhibition Foundation is a charity which has offered funding to secondary schools in Sheffield for many years the administration for applications has now passed to Learn Sheffield.

The charity funds disadvantaged Sheffield language learners helping some of the neediest and deserving pupils in our schools to meet the costs of language trips abroad. Without this support, many disadvantaged learners would not be able to participate in these educational visits. The condition of funding is that the visit must be for the purpose of language education.



If you feel you have pupils who would benefit from accessing this fund and would like to know more, please do not hesitate to contact Evelyn at evelyn.priestley@learnsheffield.co.uk or by telephone on 0114 250 7417.

A Midsummer Night's Dream rehearsal observation

Primary

Special

Secondary

This unique experience will explore:

- How to consolidate these rehearsal processes to work within a formal learning setting, creating effective and dynamic Shakespeare sessions.
- How we interpret the text and the discussions that come from this
In a practical context.
- How we take Shakespeare from page to stage.

Thursday 13th September 2018

4.00-6.30pm

The Crucible

Stage door entrance on Norfolk Street

A MIDSUMMER
NIGHT'S DREAM



WHAT SHOULD YOUR UK YOUTH PARLIAMENT CAMPAIGN ON?

On the 9th November the UK Youth Parliament will come together in the House of Commons to debate and decide the most important issues to campaign on for the year ahead.

THEY WILL DECIDE FROM THE TOP* ISSUES VOTED BY YOU!

Find out more about UK Youth Parliament at: www.ukyouthparliament.org.uk
facebook: UKYouthParliament



The UK Youth Parliament House of Commons sitting is part of Parliament Week. It is a great opportunity to find out more about your parliamentary democracy and how you can take part. Parliament Week 2018 runs from 12-18 November 2018.

For more information go to www.parliamentweek.org #parliamentweek

*The result will prioritise the issues for the debate in the House of Commons, but the debate must include at least 2 UK wide topics (not just topics relevant to England) due to the devolved nature of UK democracy

BALLOT PAPER

Who makes decisions about what issues?

Decisions that affect things like your education, healthcare and transport are made by different groups of people depending on where you live in the UK. The power to make some decisions is shared between the UK Parliament in London, the Scottish Parliament, the Assemblies in Northern Ireland and Wales, and some Mayors in England (**Devolved issues**). However, other decisions that affect all of the UK can only be made by the UK Parliament in London (**UK issues**).

place a cross next to the ONE issue you wish to vote for

- Mental Health – Devolved** Mental health services should be improved with young people's help; and should be available in schools.
- End Period Poverty – Devolved** Sanitary products are an essential item. The Government and the NHS should make them free and accessible for all who need it.
- Votes at 16 – UK** Give 16 and 17 year olds the right to vote in all elections/referendums.
- Put an end to Knife crime – Devolved** Too many young people's lives are lost to knife crime; the Government need to do more to help end the knife crime epidemic.
- A curriculum to prepare us for life – Devolved** Schools should cover topics like finance, sex and relationship education and politics.
- Support Youth Services – Devolved** Youth services help young people but in recent years they have been cut. Youth services need better financial support and security.
- Equal Pay for Equal work – Devolved** Give young people the same amount of pay, if they are doing the same work as adults in the same job.
- Let's tackle Homelessness – Devolved** Every person should have a place to live and the opportunity to live comfortably. Let's make it happen and put a stop to homelessness.
- Transport – Devolved** Make public transport cheaper, better and accessible for all.
- Welcome Refugees – UK** Everyone deserves the right to live without fear of death and persecution so we believe that refugees should be welcomed into communities in the UK.

Accessible versions of this ballot inc. a BSL video and a symbol version are available:

ukyouthparliament.org.uk/makeyourmark



Secondary

The Home Office's #Knifefree campaign seeks to steer people away from knife crime by making them aware of the risks and highlighting positive alternatives to carrying a knife. Ahead of the new school year, the Home Office is issuing educational resources ([available here](#)) to support teachers and adults who work with children (for example, youth club leaders), to talk about the dangers of knife crime. There are two lesson plans – one for key stage 3 (for children aged 11 -14) and one for key stage 4 (for children aged 14 – 16) – alongside guidance to help teachers plan the lessons. The resources cover educating young people about the dangers of social media, the impact carrying a knife could have on their future, and how they can develop strategies to resist peer influence.

#knifefree





Computing & Online Safety Courses for Primary Schools:

- Computing Curriculum training for new or recent co-ordinators – 9/10/18
- Online Safety for NQTs and RQTs – 18/10/18
- Computing for NQTs and RQTs – 13/11/18
- Using iPads in Computing – 26/11/18

All courses will take place at Learn Sheffield. To book, find out more information or request other training courses go to

<http://sheffielddclc.net/primary-cpd/>



TEENTECH

is in South Yorkshire!

10 years of TeenTech!

TEENTECH

Inspiring tomorrow's innovators

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TeenTech helps young people understand the opportunities in contemporary industry. Companies can help students realise their potential to succeed and demonstrate different pathways to the industries of the future.

TeenTech provides an environment where young people, educators and employers work together to create unique learning experiences with lasting impact.

After a TeenTech event

81%

students said they were interested in a career in technology and engineering

“
TeenTech changed my life!
”

Student

“ Over three years of engagement with TeenTech the number of girls choosing Physics has increased from 43 to 87.5%.
”

Headteacher

“ We did not realise the full power of engineering and technology before participating in TeenTech.
”

Student

“ TeenTech has given us an incredible platform to help the next generation of designers, engineers and project managers.
”

Company

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March 2019
Doncaster Racecourse
TeenTech South Yorkshire Festival

Start your TeenTech journey today and discover the world of tomorrow.

southyorkshire.teentech.com

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Parents and Carers Meetings

(Suitable for any/all parents and carers of lesbian, gay, bi, trans, +, non-binary and questioning young people)

Tuesdays 6.00–7.30PM (refreshments available from 5.45) at Scotia Works

5th June 2018

PRIDE – Saturday 28th July all day, Endcliffe Park – SAYiT Parents/Carers stall

4th September 2018

2nd October 2018

6th November 2018

4th December 2018

8th January 2019

5th February 2019

5th March 2019

The meetings are an opportunity to meet and share experiences with other parents/carers

Venue: [Scotia Works, Leadmill Road, Sheffield, S1 4SE](#)

Parking: [There is lots of parking in Sheffield city centre](#)

www.sayit.org.uk For further information contact Kath Broomhead at SAYiT - info@sayit.org.uk

Tel: 0114 241 2728

You can just turn up to the meetings, but if you are happy for us to have your contact details please complete this slip and return by email or post to Kath Broomhead, Scotia Works, Leadmill Road, S1 4SE

Your name:

Email address:

Tel:

Please return to Kath Broomhead at SAYiT, Scotia Works, Leadmill Rd, Sheffield S1 4SE, UK or email Kath at kath.broomhead@sayit.org.uk Tel: 0114 241 2728

Schools Offer 2018-19



Hello from SAYiT, Sheffield's leading charity for LGBT+ Youth. We have a fantastic range of sessions and support available for both students and staff in your school, either free of charge or reasonably priced. To book any of the following for the academic year 2018/19 please email Hannah hannah.greenslade@sayit.org.uk. If you would like to discuss a bespoke session, please ring the office on 0114 2412728 or email info@sayit.org.uk. We recommend early booking as we have limited capacity for the delivery of certain sessions.

Assemblies

We can deliver the following assemblies, adaptable for all year groups:

- Stopping Homophobic, Biphobic and Transphobic Bullying
- What is Trans?
- LGBT+ Pride
- HIV Awareness

Free of charge but we encourage early booking as we have limited capacity for 2018/19.

Education/Classroom Sessions

We offer the following education sessions; these are suitable for PSHE or Respect/Anti Bullying Week programmes:

- HIV Awareness
- STIs and Sexual Health
- Gender and Sexual Diversity (LGBT+ Awareness)
- Stopping HBT Bullying and supporting your LGBT+ friends

Free of charge but we encourage early booking as we have limited capacity for 2018/19.

GSAs

A GSA is a gender and sexuality alliance group, which is a student led group of individuals who aim to work towards an accepting environment for all people, regardless of sexual orientation or gender identity. The group isn't just for people who identify as LGBT+ but any student who believes in equality and LGBT+ rights.

We can support you to set up a GSA in school and offer ongoing support.

Free of charge but we encourage early booking as we have limited capacity for 2018/19.

Staff Training and Support

We offer the following training sessions for staff:

- LGBT+ Basic Awareness Training
- Trans Awareness and Supporting Trans Young People in School
- HIV Awareness
- STIs and Sexual Health

Please contact Liz at SAYIT liz.wilson@sayit.org.uk to discuss booking and prices for these sessions.

Also available is our [Trans Support Pack for Sheffield Schools](#) – a resource developed in conjunction with young people.

We are pleased to be able to deliver the majority of our schools offer for free. However, as a small charity, donations towards the running costs of our work make a huge difference to us. If you would like to donate you can do so at <http://sayit.org.uk/donate/>. Thank you.

To refer a young person, to book training or education sessions, to commission bespoke training, purchase resources, gain support or for more information please contact SAYiT:

Email: info@sayit.org.uk / Telephone: 0114 241 2728 / Website: www.sayit.org.uk /

Address: SAYiT, Scotia Works, Leadmill Road, Sheffield, S1 4SE

LEARN SHEFFIELD TRAINING & DEVELOPMENT HUB



"Great Facilities, Thank you"

"Thank you for making the facilitation easier with great resources and very helpful responsive and welcoming staff."

"ICT was very easy to access and the help from staff was friendly, efficient and professional."

CONFERENCE & EVENTS FACILITIES

Learn Sheffield provides professional conferencing, training and meeting facilities. Our venue offers a range of rooms with flexible layouts that can be tailored to meet your requirements. To

help you deliver a successful and professional event, both our rooms are equipped with IT facilities, whiteboards and flip charts. A wireless connection is also available, if you wish to use your own equipment.



ROOMS	Charge		Layout / Room Capacity			
	Full Day	Half Day	Cabaret	Theatre	Board	Custom
Training Room 1	£175	£100	40	50	30	Enquire
Training Room 2	£175	£100	30	50	30	Enquire
Meeting Room	£175	£100	-	-	12	-

To enquire about any of the rooms at Learn Sheffield please contact us via email (bookings@learnsheffield.co.uk) or phone (0114 250 7417). The charge for the room includes all IT facilities and flipchart.

There are additional charges for refreshments and lunch.

Free Artsmark and Arts Award Briefings in Sheffield

Primary

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Secondary

School improvements through the Arts

Awarded by Arts Council England the new Artsmark is a useful, practical and forward thinking tool. Re-designed by schools for schools in 2015, Artsmark will help you to embed arts and culture in your whole school improvement plan. It provides a framework and resources to assess current provision and to develop a plan of action to suit your own setting. It can provide evidence of how your school is meeting the social, moral, cultural and spiritual Ofsted requirements. Artsmark is open to primary, secondary and special schools, pupil referral units and youth offending teams.

This is your chance to learn more about the new Artsmark, meet colleagues from local schools, ask questions and find out more about what's on offer.

Rewarding Pupils' creativity and leadership

Arts Award is a series of five nationally recognised qualifications that supports anyone, aged 5 to 25, to develop their creativity, leadership and communication skills. It's a personalised learning framework which encourages young people to plan their learning and take the lead in activities and projects. Schools report that Arts Award has a positive impact on students' literacy, engagement and attendance. Arts Award can fit with arts activities you already provide and be embedded into the curriculum in all education settings. It provides you with a formal way to recognise and celebrate pupils' artistic and creative achievements.

Come and find out more about the benefits and how you can start to deliver arts award at your school, including details of IVE's subsidised training offer.

Free Artsmark briefing for schools:

4—5.30pm on Monday 12th November 2018

At The Showroom Cinema, Paternoster Row, Sheffield, S1 2BX

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/artsmark-briefing-sheffield-12th-november-tickets-49428985426>

Free 'Arts Award in schools' briefing for all education settings (0-25yrs):

4—5.30pm on Thursday 29th November 2018

At St Mary's Conference Centre, Bramall Lane, Sheffield, S2 4QZ

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/arts-award-briefing-sheffield-29th-november-2018-tickets-49427322452>

Free Prevent Training for Sheffield School Leaders

(Suitable for Headteachers, Safeguarding Leads and Governors)

The DfE published 'The Prevent Duty: Departmental advice for schools and childcare providers' in 2015. It is essential that schools in all phases are aware of and understand their responsibilities under the statutory Prevent duty. This session will cover national and local Prevent perspectives, Safeguarding processes, resources available to schools, advice from Ofsted and will include 'Workshop to Raise Awareness of Prevent' training. This training replicates earlier sessions and is for NEW leaders only.

The next planned training session is
scheduled for:

Wednesday 24th October 2018

9.15-11.45am

at Learn Sheffield, Lees Hall Road,
Sheffield, S8 9JP

To book your place, email:

bookings@learnsheffield.co.uk



Department
for Education

Sexual Health Sheffield is an NHS service provided by Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

They have published a new 2018/19 '**Training and Resources**' brochure including resources, publications and clinical & non-clinical training .

PASH Project—Peer Activities in Sexual Health

PASH young people's peer education project is made up of young volunteers (aged 16-20 years) who deliver sexual health information and education to young people in Sheffield schools, colleges and other youth/ community settings. Once trained, volunteers get Involved in the following activities:

- Helping to run sexual health information stalls within school/college and other community settings
- Helping to run chlamydia and gonorrhoea screening stalls within a variety of young people's venues
- Delivering sexual health promotion sessions within young people's venues

If you are interested in any of our volunteering opportunities within the department please check our website for details: <http://www.sexualhealthsheffield.nhs.uk/get-involved/>

Open Doors

Sexual Health Sheffield co-ordinates the 'Open Doors' programme for Sheffield which trains and supports services to provide condoms, pregnancy testing, screening for chlamydia/gonorrhoea and sexual health information for young people.

If you run a service that provides support to young people and you are interested in becoming part of 'Open Doors', please contact anthony.bains@sth.nhs.uk

If your service is already part of 'Open Doors' and you have new staff that need to be booked onto training to be able to provide this service in your organisation, please contact Hayley Barlow at: sexualhealthadmin@sth.nhs.uk

Primary

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Moorland Discovery Centre



THE ROAD TO LONGSHAW

Commemorating the end of the First World War

Suitable for both KS1 and KS2

Bring the history of World War One to life



During WW1, Longshaw Lodge became a convalescent hospital for wounded soldiers. Our school's programme focuses on the day-to-day life of convalescing soldiers and the nurses who cared for them.

Our workshop is ideally suited to any primary school looking to commemorate the centenary of the end of WW1 in a meaningful way with their pupils.

Full day 'hands on' workshops are available during October and November 2018. See our website for the full lesson programme and other curriculum programmes we offer (www.peakdistrict.gov.uk).

Charges per child

A discounted price of £5.00 (+VAT) or £3.00 (+VAT) for schools with National Trust Education Membership. Adults are free.

Coach Bursary Scheme

We can offer Sheffield schools a subsidy towards transport costs. Please ask us about this when booking.

For more information or to make a booking please phone 01433 637907 or email mdc@peakdistrict.gov.uk

Moorland Discovery Centre, Longshaw Estate, Nr Sheffield S11 7TZ



National Trust

Interfaith Week 2018

Secondary

Sheffield Cathedral
and Sheffield SACRE

Invite

Secondary Schools to a
Question and Answer Panel
at Sheffield Cathedral, Church Street,
Sheffield S1
On Wednesday 21st November,
1:30pm to 3:00pm

Sheffield schools are invited to attend the Question and Answer Panel-Interfaith Forum with their KS4 & KS5 students, where representatives from a variety of Religious Communities will be making up a panel to answer student questions relating to SMSC issues.

The representatives will include panellists from the Christian, Buddhist, Hindu, Jewish, Muslim, and Sikh religions as well as a SACRE member offering a Humanist perspective.

Schools are encouraged to register their interest in this free joint event, as soon as possible to secure places for their students.



SHEFFIELD CATHEDRAL
A PLACE FOR ALL PEOPLE



To register your interest please email: zanib.mushtaq@sheffield.gov.uk

The Lost Words Exhibition

21 - 23 June 2019

Museums Sheffield is curating an exhibition of work by school children in response to *The Lost Words* by Robert Macfarlane and Jackie Morris.

To register your school's interest and find out more please email learning@museums-sheffield.org.uk by Friday 30 November 2018



Acorn. Bluebell. Dandelion. Fern. Heron. Otter.

So many nature words are disappearing from our children's everyday language.

The Lost Words by Robert Macfarlane and Jackie Morris is a spellbook told in gold, for unfolding dreams and songs, and summoning lost words back into the mouth and mind's eye.

Following a successful crowdfunding campaign a copy of this book is being given to every Sheffield primary school in Autumn 2018. The books will be accompanied by the *Explorer's Guide to The Lost Words* which is packed with teaching ideas. The printing of the guides was generously sponsored by Rhyme and Reason bookshop.



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Independent Booksellers



Learn Sheffield will be distributing these
books later this term!