EARLY YEARS & LANGUAGE FOUNDATIONS

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SUPPORTING EARLY LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT

FOR RECEPTION SUPPORT STAFF

A practical and supportive programme designed to build the knowledge, skills and confidence of support staff so they can help every child develop strong communication and language skills from the earliest years.



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DATE
6 SESSIONS

12 Oct • 30 Nov • 8 Feb
15 Mar • 24 May • 5 Jul

TIME

2.30pm-3.30pm

VENUE

Remote Zoom Session

AUDIENCE

Reception Support Staff, TAs, and HLTAs

WHY ATTEND?

Strong communication and language skills are the foundation for all learning.
This programme equips support staff with practical, evidence-informed strategies to promote children's language development and to create rich opportunities for talk and interaction in everyday practice.

RESEARCH IN ACTION

High-quality interactions between adults and children are crucial for language development. Support staff play a vital role in providing these moments throughout the day.

Education Endowment Foundation (EEF), Communication and Lanquage Guidance Report

YOU WILL EXPLORE:

- Key milestones in early language development
- How to support talk and interaction effectively
- Identifying children who need additional support
- Practical strategies to build vocabulary and communication
- Creating language-rich environments in the classroom

THE IMPACT

Confident support staff • Richer language environments • Stronger communication • Better outcomes for every child

EVIDENCE INFORMED
Grounded in the latest research and DFE guidance.

CLASSROOM FOCUSED
Practical strategies for real impact in your school.

SUSTAINED PROGRAMMES
Structured learning to produce lasting change.

BOOK YOUR PLACE

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