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The English Hub Newsletter

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Welcome back

Welcome back from everyone at the Teamworks English Hub to what will almost certainly be another very different school year. As a Hub, we are here to support you as you begin your new year and COVID recovery.

We will be working in different ways this year, moving our support to digital, online, and video call rather than face to face. This new way of working will enable us to provide support to an even wider range of settings including those who have not been able to access support before.

News

There is still time to sign up for the opportunity of free NELI.

The DfE is working with the EEF and other delivery partners to make Nuffield Early Language Intervention (NELI) available to state-funded primary schools. Online training and resources will be available at no cost for schools where additional targeted support for oral language would be particularly beneficial. Schools are currently being asked to register an interest and I am sure demand will be high.

<https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/covid-19-resources/neli/>

Blog

Dr. Jo Pearson, Head of Oldham Research School, and Helen Crowther, Principal of The Greetland Academy, share their insights of planning meaningful and manageable assessment in readiness for the full re-opening of schools in September, you can read this by visiting the below link.

<https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/news/guest-blog-back-to-school-meaningful-and-manageable-assessment/>



Welcome Lianne de Villiers

We would like to welcome Lianne de Villiers who will be joining our team of literacy specialists. Lianne brings with her a wealth of experience both as an Early Years SLE and a fantastic Read, Write Inc. practitioner.

Welcome to the team Lianne.