

St Mary's University College Belfast A College of Queen's University

ONLINE SUMMER SCHOOL FOR TEACHERS 2020

The St Mary's University College online Summer School offers teachers an excellent opportunity to develop their professional practice as part of a vibrant community of lifelong learners. Through high-quality and researchinformed teaching, the courses aim to build on teachers' strengths to promote teamwork and leadership in line with the 'Learning Leaders' Strategy for Teacher Professional Learning (Department of Education, 2016).

The courses set out below can be taken on a stand-alone basis or as modules in a part-time Master of Education (MEd) degree programme. They will be of five days duration, unless otherwise stated and MEd tuition fee rates will apply.

TEACHER PROFESSIONAL LEARNING

BUILDING LEADERSHIP CAPACITY

FAITH IN EDUCATION

- 1. Principles into Practice in the Early Years
- 2. Current Issues in the Teaching of Language and Literacy
- 3. Behaviour Issues in the Context of Special Educational Needs
- 4. Leaders in Catholic Schools
- 5. Saibhreas agus Cruinneas na Gaeilge (two-day course)
- 6. Contemporary Leadership issues for the Effective School
- 7. Understanding, Supporting and Teaching Pupils with Specific Literacy Difficulties
- 8. A Thematic Approach to STEM (STING)

SUPPORT FOR TEACHERS

St Mary's is also pleased to offer teachers three online courses with no tuition fees payable. The College appreciates the strain on teachers during the pandemic and is making the courses free of charge to support ongoing professional development.

Online Professional Courses (non-accredited) Wednesday, 1st July 2020

- 1. Supporting Teachers as Writers (1st & 2nd July)
- 2. Using Interactive Read-A-Louds in Lower Primary
- 3. Amhránaíocht agus Scéalaíocht na Gaeilge

To register an interest for one of the above courses, please contact:

Helen Mc Bride h.mcbride@smucb.ac.uk

For further information on the eight MEd related courses, please contact: PROGRAMME DIRECTOR, DR DONNA HAZZARD d.hazzard@smucb.ac.uk Register at https://www.smucb.ac.uk/app/mlevel/mlevel.aspx