

The Veema Bugle

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Dear colleagues,

A very happy New Year to you and your loved ones. I know many of you reading won't have had much of a Christmas break because of making your schools COVID secure — an immense effort from which our government could certainly learn a lesson or two about what strong leadership really means.

This issue of the Bugle focuses on supporting high-quality teaching and learning using our bitesize professional development courses to meet ongoing CPD objectives and priorities. There are three flexible packages to choose from starting at just £120 for 5 members of staff.

Online Academy Updates

We've recently added more training videos and CPD resources to our Online Academy to make it an even more valuable platform for you to use as and when you want.

The short courses you'll find there are all designed to complement existing in-school CPD programmes and School Improvement Plans. However, they are not an end in themselves so think of them as a stepping stone to mastering a particular area of your professional practice.

We will be developing the Online Academy further so it becomes an ever more valuable educational resource to help with your on-going professional development journey.

I hope you enjoy this issue of the Veema Bugle and look forward to seeing you at some of our events this term.

So, from me and everyone at Veema have a great term, stay safe and thank you for everything you are doing.

Warmest best wishes

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Online Short Courses —January 2021

Get a free online course when you book:

- Three courses from our [Online Academy](#)
- Bespoke professional development training for 2021/22.
- A Veema coaching programme
- Or buy our 'Accredited Safeguarding Child Protection for International Schools' Training Pack

All courses are listed below but you can also [download our course brochure](#).

[For further information, please email us quoting #VeemaCPD2021.](#)

T&Cs apply.

2021 ONLINE ACADEMY BROCHURE

CPD Resources

Veema Paper — 'Developing a coaching lesson feedback model'

We all know the importance of giving effective feedback. Hattie and Clarke's research (2018), for instance, has proven that it's the most important factor impacting student progress. In comparison, traditional lesson observation which provides only a snapshot of a teacher's practice in the classroom.

Self-review CPD survey

In case you missed these resources:



[2021 Staff Morale Boosters](#)



[CPD Coupon](#)



[Safeguarding in Schools Checklist](#)

Webinars



Pre-recorded — Strategies to support SEND students with remote learning

If you'd like to hear this 20-minute recording of Nina Jackson's webinar, just email cpd@Veema.co.uk.

UPCOMING WEBINARS

Tuesday 19th January at 5:30 pm

Managing the school improvement journey — Practical ideas

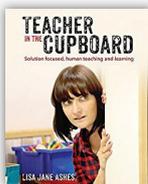
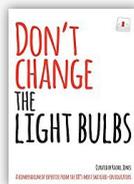


Find out more, or [register here](#).



Delivered by:
John Kane
Leadership & School
Improvement Consultant

Teaching Secondary English (KS3-5)



These 30-minute webinars will be delivered each Thursday at 1:30 pm, UK time, between 4th February and 4th March 2021.

- Session 1 — Making the best use of KS3 for success (4th Feb 2021)
- Session 2 — Practical differentiation strategies for all learners (11th Feb 2021)
- Session 3 — AFL and metacognition (18th Feb 2021)
- Session 4 — Stretch and challenge (25th Feb 2021)
- Session 5 — Effective revision strategies to help students prepare for GCSE and A-level examinations (4th Mar 2021)



Delivered by:
Lisa Jane Ashes
Teaching and Learning Consultant,
Author & Keynote Speaker

You will receive all five recordings, plus presentation slides when you register.

£180 (School Price)

Find out more, or [register here](#)

Updated Safeguarding Courses and School Packages:



[Find out more, or book now for the Summer Term.](#)

Veema Safeguarding courses are delivered by accredited safeguarding consultants.

KS 4 Teacher PSHE Pack — Mental Fitness For Better Learning



This evidence-informed pack comes complete with lesson plans, PowerPoint presentations and handouts covering up to 7 hours of teaching material.

Topics include:

- Unit One — Health and wellbeing
- Unit Two — Personal development
- Unit Three — Effective neuroscience-based revision strategies

[Contact us for more information.](#)

Price **£290**

Recommended Reading

- A Curriculum of Hope — As rich in humanity as in knowledge by Debra Kidd
- Teacher in the Cupboard — Self-reflective, solution-focused teaching and learning by Lisa Jane Ashes (Veema teaching and learning consultant, author and Secondary English Advisor)

Special Educational Needs In Mainstream Schools

- [5 Key Questions For School Leaders To Reflect On - EEF](#)
- [NEW: Rapid evidence assessment Distance learning \(Evidence Review & Key Findings Summary\) - EEF](#)

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