

North Birmingham RTC Hamstead Hall Academy

Date: **27th September 2017**
Venue: **Hamstead Hall Academy**
Time: **4pm – 6pm**
Ability Range: **Beginners**



1. Getting Started: Introduction to the iPad

This is an introduction to using the iPad and is ideal for practitioners that have just got the device(s) or is planning to invest in them.

The session is hands on and walks you through the key features and functionality of the device. It also focuses on using pre-loaded apps, and we introduce some additional apps such as Explain Everything and Show Me and allow you to explore the benefits they may bring to your Teaching & Learning.

Overall, you will leave with an improved understanding of the device and be more confident in how it can be used in an educational setting.

Date: **8th November 2017**
Venue: **Hamstead Hall Academy**
Time: **4pm – 6pm**
Ability Range: **Beginners & Intermediate**



2. The Next Step: Enhancing Productivity

This can be a follow on session from session one or an ideal starting point for intermediate users.

The session is hands on and builds on basics skills and confidence that has been developed from session 1 or you have built up yourself in using the iPad. We will explore multiple integrated apps that will enhance the productivity of our students in classroom. We will touch on 4 key ways to achieve this:

- Productivity fundamentals
- Planning and sharing
- Getting organised
- Documenting and reflecting

Overall, you will leave with the confidence to plan and develop a session the students workflow.

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3. Fostering Creativity

This session will allow you to use the iPad and apps to support creativity.

The session will focus on 3 main stages of the creative process:

- Brainstorming
- Gathering Inspirational Resources
- Telling Compelling Stories

This should help make the learning more meaningful for the students. We will use a selection of inbuilt apps that will spark your creative side on how to use it best in your own classrooms.

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4. AFL on iPads

This is an introduction to using the iPad for Assessment For Learning purposes.

The session is hands on and shares different ideas and apps that allow great AFL with an iPad. The session supports T & L in most subject areas, as all ideas transferrable between different subject areas.

Overall, you will leave with ideas and the confidence to use the iPad for AFL, in your own subject area.

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5. How to engage reluctant writers

The session is hands on and involves tackling a national problem of trying to engage reluctant writers.

We will focus on using the iPad to address these questions:

- What should we write about? Inspiration.
- How should it be written? What structure should it follow?
- Which vocabulary to use?
- Why do I want to write? What do I get out of it?

Overall, you will leave with the ideas and apps to try to engage reluctant participants in lessons and improve their literacy.

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6. Movies, Digital Storytelling & Stop Animation

The session is hands on and involves you in the creating, producing and directing your own movies on the iPad. It also focuses on using apps, such as Lego Movie, in a practical session. Also the session will include the use of a Green Screen.

Overall, you will leave with the knowledge and confidence to try it in your own classrooms.

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7. Microsoft on iPads

This is an introduction to using Microsoft software, such as SWAY, Windows 365 and One Drive on the iPad.

The session is hands on and shares different ideas and how to use some Microsoft apps effectively on the iPad, including how it can support AFL. The session supports T & L in most subject areas and courses, including BTECs, as all ideas are transferrable.

Overall, you will leave with ideas and the confidence to use the Microsoft Software effectively on the iPads.