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# ASE Teacher Developers

Friday 26 June 2026



# About ASE Teacher Developers



We support teacher developers - all those who in turn support teaching colleagues in any capacity:

- initial teacher education
- continuing professional development (CPD)
- mentoring and coaching
- subject or departmental leadership
- design of curriculum materials



# Teacher Developers Committee



Katy Bloom

Ally Davies

Alex Farrer

Rachel Hartley

Karen Hodgetts

Jo Montgomery

Grace Marson

Emily Perry

Claire Seeley

Natasha Serret

Alex Sinclair

Dom Shibli

Suzanne Swan

Rebecca Peacock – ASE



# Teacher Developers Activities

**Network  
meetings**

Themed twilight, online meetings to share experiences, with expert inputs and group discussions

**Reading  
community**

Series of 3-4 meetings focussed on a theme, structured around reading and shared discussion of 1-2 journal articles, blog posts or other sources of evidence

**Science  
Teacher  
Education  
online Hub**

Articles, podcasts, news, archive, diverse contributions and content capturing perspectives from all



# ASE Annual Conference



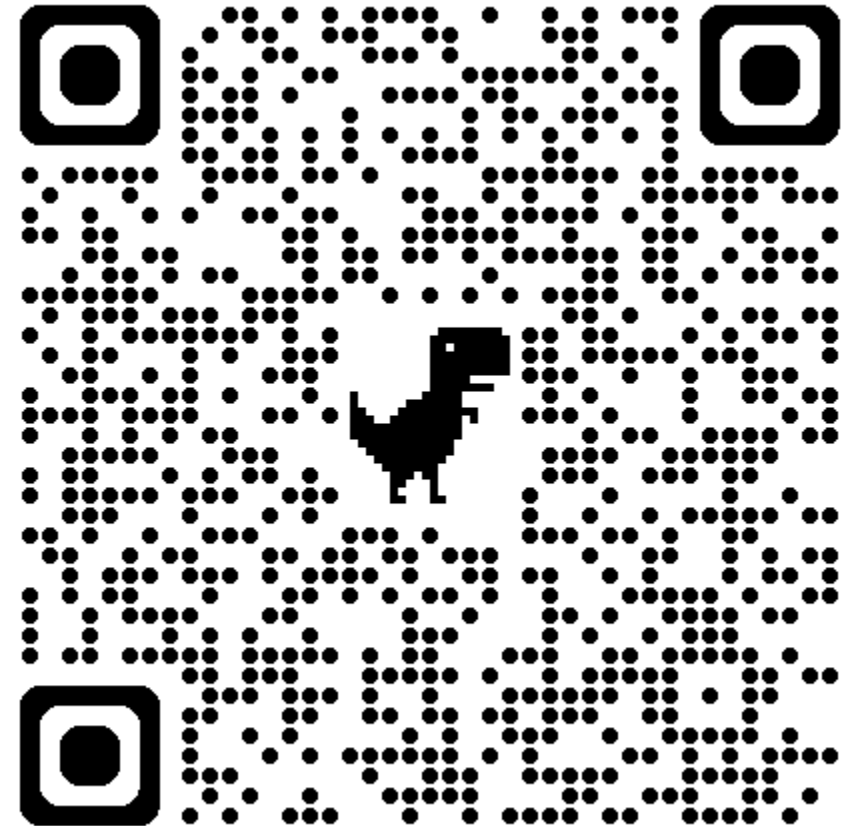
Shaping the Future of Science Education Together

ASE's flagship annual conference

7-9 January 2027

University of Northampton

A programme of workshops and activities for Teacher Developers runs throughout the conference





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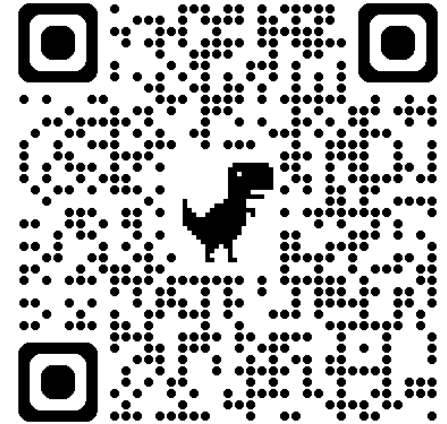
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- Nationwide modules
- Residentials
- Bespoke sessions in your school
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# ASE Teacher Developers Conference: morning



10.00	Welcome	Emily Perry	Room 1
10.15	Embracing equity in education	Lee Elliott-Major	Room 1
11.15	Break		
11.30	SEND and inclusion in science education	Katy Bloom	Room 1
12.30	Lunch and informal networking	Alex Farrer (primary) Ally Davies (11-19) Claire Seeley	Room 1 and breakouts

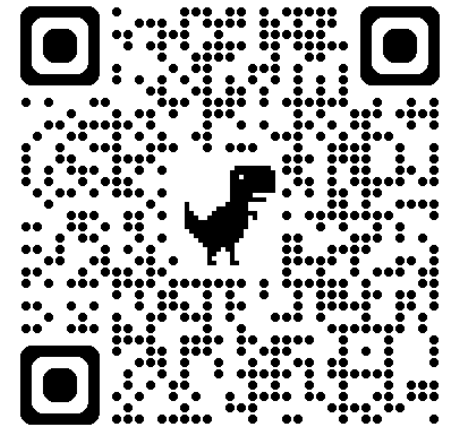


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# ASE Teacher Developers Conference: afternoon



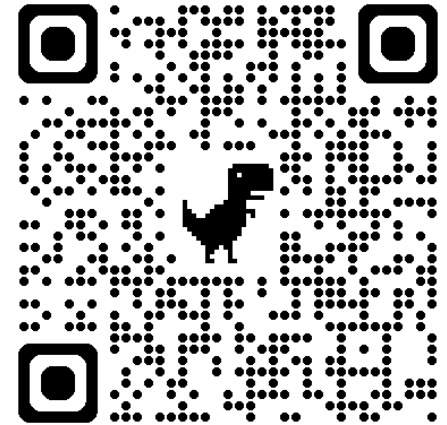
1.15	Teacher Development across a Trust: Disciplinary Literacy	Tbarak Mahar	Room 1
	What makes good teacher development?	Lia Commissar	Room 2
2.15	Lesson Study in Action	Grace Marson, James Calleja	Room 1
	Evidence into Practice: a Toolkit for Evidence-informed Science Teaching	Wonyong Park, Marianne Cutler, Carole Kenrick, Cerys Hughes	Room 2
3.00	Break		
3.15	What has the first year of the new Ofsted framework looked like in practice?	Carla Bennett, Melanie Ellis	Room 1
4.15	Plenary	Claire Seeley	Room 1
4.30	Close		



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# Housekeeping

- Zoom links are in your conference emails
- Go to Sched for full details of sessions and session materials
- Sessions will not be recorded
- Use the Zoom chat to introduce yourself, ask questions and engage in discussions
- Use the 'reactions' to raise your hand, respond to others, etc
- Stay on mute unless invited to speak
- Keep your camera on if you're happy to
- Feel free to pop away during sessions as necessary
- Join a networking room at lunchtime
- Share your feedback at the end of the day



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# ASE Teacher Developers Conference: lunchtime



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12.30 – 1.15: Informal networking in breakout rooms

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Primary	Alex Farrer
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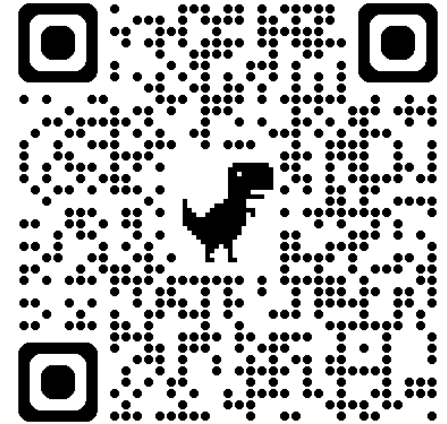
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11-19	Ally Davies
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Main room	Claire Seeley
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# ASE Teacher Developers Conference: afternoon session 1



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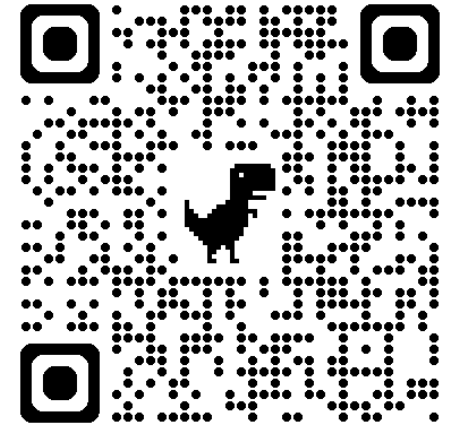
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Teacher Development across a Trust: Tbarak Mahar Room 1  
Disciplinary Literacy

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What makes good teacher development? Lia Commissar Room 2 (open from 1.10)

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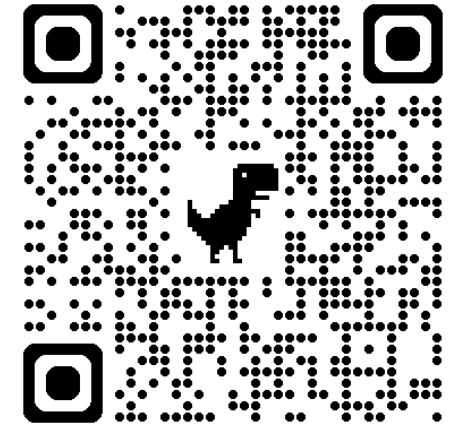
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## 2.15: Choice of sessions

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# Evaluations

- We are grateful for your feedback.
- In particular, we'd like to know your thoughts as we start to plan the format and content of next year's event.

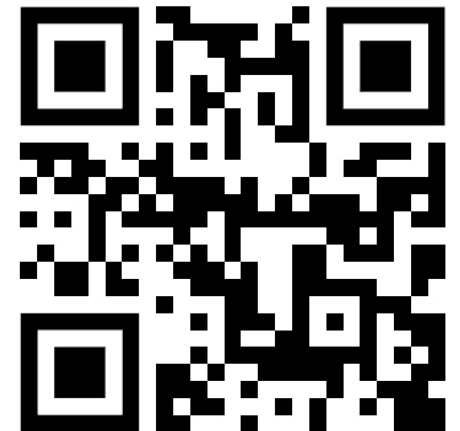
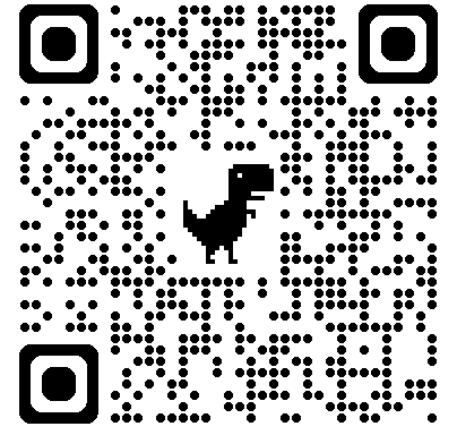


# Today's materials & future events

- All resources are available via Sched  
<https://2026aseteacherdeveloperscon.sched.com/>

## Upcoming Teacher Developer events

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