

IT Practitioners: Implementing the Edexcel Level 2 BTEC Firsts for IT Practitioners

Target audience

These full day events are designed for teachers who are delivering the new BTEC Firsts IT Practitioners specification.

Event description

Delegates will:

- Develop an understanding of the structure and content of the qualification
- Consider implementation issues and possibilities
- Discuss effective assessment strategies and assignment design
- Find out about quality assurance processes
- Participate in developmental exercises
- Address common issues and frequently asked questions
- Promote and share good practice in the teaching of the qualification.

Each event can count as 5 hours of CPD.

Detail

Course Code	Location	Date
8NNB01/01	London	Mon 06 Oct 08
8NNB01/02	Manchester	Fri 10 Oct 08
8NNB01/03	Birmingham	Thu 16 Oct 08
8NNB01/04	London	Thu 12 Mar 09
8NNB01/05	Birmingham	Wed 20 May 09

Fee

Early bird fee: **£121.50**

Normal fee: **£135.00**

At all full day events lunch and materials will be provided.

IT Practitioners: Implementing the New Edexcel Level 3 BTEC Nationals for IT Practitioners

Target audience

These full day events are designed for teachers who are delivering the new BTEC Nationals specification from September 2008.

Event description

Delegates will:

- Develop an understanding of the structure and content of the qualification
- Consider implementation issues and possibilities
- Discuss effective assessment strategies and assignment design
- Find out about quality assurance processes
- Participate in developmental exercises
- Address common issues and frequently asked questions
- Promote and share good practice in the teaching of the qualification.

Each event can count as 5 hours of CPD.

Detail

Course Code	Location	Date
8NNB02/01	London	Thu 09 Oct 08
8NNB02/02	Manchester	Mon 20 Oct 08
8NNB02/03	Birmingham	Thu 23 Oct 08
8NNB02/04	London	Wed 22 Apr 09
8NNB02/05	Birmingham	Thu 14 May 09

Fee

Early bird fee: **£121.50**

Normal fee: **£135.00**

At all full day events lunch and materials will be provided.

BTEC

IT Practitioners: Maximising Achievement - Successful Delivery and Assessment of the Edexcel Level 2 BTEC Firsts for IT Practitioners

Target audience

These full day events are designed for teachers who have been delivering these qualifications for at least one year.

Event description

Delegates will:

- Consider planning issues and assessment requirements
- Cover effective assignment design
- Look at assessment and internal verification
- Receive updates on National Standards Sampling
- Look at support materials
- Participate in practical activities
- Address common issues and frequently asked questions
- Promote and share good practice in the teaching of the qualification.

Each event can count as 5 hours of CPD.

Detail

Course Code	Location	Date
8NNB03/01	London	Mon 10 Nov 08
8NNB03/02	Cardiff	Tue 11 Nov 08
8NNB03/03	Birmingham	Thu 13 Nov 08
8NNB03/04	Manchester	Mon 24 Nov 08
8NNB03/05	London	Fri 06 Feb 09

Fee

Early bird fee: **£121.50**

Normal fee: **£135.00**

At all full day events lunch and materials will be provided.

GCE AS/Advanced

Applied ICT: Achieving Success in the Externally Assessed Units

Target audience

These full day events are designed for teachers who are currently teaching, or are aiming to teach GCE Applied ICT. The events will cover the requirements of the practical, externally assessed units.

Event description

Delegates will:

- Be taken through the management of the practical examination for Unit 3
- Be taken through the management of the practical examination for Units 7 & 9
- Explore how to raise the achievement of candidates' performance in these practical examinations
- Review examples of actual candidate responses
- Address common issues and frequently asked questions
- Promote and share good practice in the teaching of the qualification.

Each event can count as 5 hours of CPD.

Detail

Course Code	Location	Date
8NNA01/01	Birmingham	Fri 14 Nov 08
8NNA01/02	Cardiff	Wed 03 Dec 08
8NNA01/03	London	Fri 05 Dec 08
8NNA01/04	London	Thu 11 Dec 08
8NNA01/05	Manchester	Fri 12 Dec 08
8NNA01/06	London	Tue 03 Mar 09
8NNA01/07	Birmingham	Thu 05 Mar 09
8NNA01/08	Manchester	Wed 11 Mar 09
8NNA01/09	Cardiff	Fri 13 Mar 09
8NNA01/10	London	Wed 18 Mar 09

Fee

Early bird fee: **£121.50**
Normal fee: **£135.00**

At all full day events lunch and materials will be provided.

Applied ICT: Achieving Success in the Internally Assessed AS Units

Target audience

These full day events are designed for teachers who are currently teaching, or are aiming to teach GCE Applied ICT. The events will cover the requirements of the internally assessed AS units (Units 1, 2, 4, 5 & 6).

Event description

Delegates will:

- Be shown how to maximise attainment in Units 1 and 2
- Be given direction in maximising attainment in Units 4, 5 & 6
- Be advised on the practicalities of building an e-portfolio
- Be advised on how to apply assessment criteria
- Be directed towards support material for a range of units
- Address common issues and frequently asked questions
- Promote and share good practice in the teaching of the qualification.

Each event can count as 5 hours of CPD.

Detail

Course Code	Location	Date
8NNP01/01	London	Mon 06 Oct 08
8NNP01/02	Manchester	Wed 05 Nov 08
8NNP01/03	Birmingham	Fri 21 Nov 08
8NNP01/04	Cardiff	Fri 21 Nov 08

Fee

Early bird fee: **£121.50**
Normal fee: **£135.00**

At all full day events lunch and materials will be provided.

GCE AS/Advanced

Applied ICT: Achieving Success in the Internally Assessed A2 Units

Target audience

These full day events are designed for teachers who are currently teaching, or are aiming to teach GCE Applied ICT and will cover the requirements of the internally assessed A2 units (Units 8, 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14).

Event description

Delegates will:

- Be taken through the management of the practical examination for Unit 3
- Be taken through the management of the practical examination for Units 7 & 9
- Explore how to raise the achievement of candidates' performance in these practical examinations
- Review examples of actual candidate responses
- Address common issues and frequently asked questions
- Promote and share good practice in the teaching of the qualification.

Each event can count as 5 hours of CPD.

Detail

Course Code	Location	Date
8NNP02/01	London	Tue 07 Oct 08
8NNP02/02	Manchester	Thu 06 Nov 08
8NNP02/03	Birmingham	Mon 24 Nov 08
8NNP02/04	Cardiff	Mon 24 Nov 08

Fee

Early bird fee: **£121.50**

Normal fee: **£135.00**

At all full day events lunch and materials will be provided.

Applied ICT (Double Award): Maximising Achievement

Target audience

These full day events are designed for teachers who are currently teaching, or are aiming to teach the GCSE Applied ICT (Double Award). The events will cover both the internally and externally assessed units.

Event description

Delegates will:

- Be taken through the requirements of the internally assessed units (2 & 3)
- Be shown how the assessment criteria is applied
- Gain an insight into how to achieve a vocational focus in the internally assessed units
- Explore how to aid candidates to access mark band three
- Be taken through the management of the practical examination
- Explore how to raise the achievement of candidates' performance in the practical examination
- Address common issues and frequently asked questions
- Promote and share good practice in the teaching of the qualification.

Each event can count as 5 hours of CPD.

Detail

Course Code	Location	Date
8NNA02/01	London	Thu 20 Nov 08
8NNA02/02	London	Wed 26 Nov 08

Fee

Early bird fee: **£121.50**

Normal fee: **£135.00**

At all full day events lunch and materials will be provided.

Applied ICT: Maximising Achievement

Target audience

These full day events are designed for teachers who are currently teaching, or are aiming to teach GCSE ICT. The events will cover the requirements of the internally and externally assessed components.

Event description

Delegates will:

- Be taken through the requirements of the internally assessed components
- Be shown how to apply the coursework marking criteria
- Explore how to raise the achievement of candidates' performance in the coursework component
- Explore how to raise the achievement of candidates' performance in the externally assessed exam
- Address common issues and frequently asked questions
- Promote and share good practice in the teaching of the qualification.

Each event can count as 5 hours of CPD.

Detail

Course Code	Location	Date
8NNA03/01	Birmingham	Wed 12 Nov 08
8NNA03/02	London	Mon 17 Nov 08
8NNA03/03	Manchester	Wed 19 Nov 08
8NNA03/04	London	Wed 10 Dec 08

Fee

Early bird fee: **£121.50**

Normal fee: **£135.00**

At all full day events lunch and materials will be provided.

Diploma

IT: Diploma Subject Implementation Event for Information Technology

Target audience

These full day events are designed for teachers who are delivering the new Diploma.

Event description

Delegates will:

- Develop an understanding of the structure of the 14-19 Diploma
- Take an in-depth look at the new specification and units
- Discuss approaches to planning the course, writing assignments and assessing learner work
- Find out about quality assurance processes including internal verification of the internally assessed units and the project/extended project and externally assessed units
- Find out about the work experience provision supported by Trident.

Each event can count as 5 hours of CPD.

Detail

Course Code	Location	Date
8NNM01/01	London	Fri 14 Nov 08
8NNM01/02	Manchester	Tue 18 Nov 08
8NNM01/03	Leeds	Thu 20 Nov 08
8NNM01/04	Birmingham	Mon 24 Nov 08
8NNM01/05	Bristol	Wed 26 Nov 08
8NNM01/06	Winchester	Fri 28 Nov 08
8NNM01/07	Plymouth	Wed 03 Dec 08
8NNM01/08	Nottingham	Fri 05 Dec 08

Fee

Early bird fee: **£90.00**

Normal fee: **£100.00**

At all full day events lunch and materials will be provided.

IT: Planning for Assessment

Target audience

These full day events are designed for teachers who are delivering the new Diploma.

Event description

Delegates will:

- Examine the assessment requirements of the Principal Lines of Learning
- Examine the key design features of assessment
- Explore opportunities to maximise student attainment in both external and internal assessment components
- Plan for tracking attainment and implementing internal quality systems for both internal and external assessment.

Each event can count as 5 hours of CPD.

Detail

Course Code	Location	Date
8NNM02/01	London	Thu 19 Mar 09
8NNM02/02	Nottingham	Thu 19 Mar 09
8NNM02/03	Manchester	Mon 23 Mar 09
8NNM02/04	Leeds	Wed 25 Mar 09
8NNM02/05	Birmingham	Thu 26 Mar 09
8NNM02/06	Bristol	Fri 27 Mar 09
8NNM02/07	Winchester	Tue 31 Mar 09
8NNM02/08	Plymouth	Thu 02 Apr 09

Fee

Early bird fee: **£90.00**

Normal fee: **£100.00**

At all full day events lunch and materials will be provided.