

## Specialist Teacher Events Flyer

### SPECIAL NOTICE: French Teachers' Day, Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2024

- Time: 9:45 - 14:00
- Location: Institut Français, 17 Queensberry Place, London
- Free event
- Deadline to register: 29<sup>th</sup> November

For this year's edition, primary and secondary school French teachers are invited to come and share their inspiring/impactful projects during various themed sessions related to skills development, international connections and building bridges to facilitate transition years.

[Find further details, the full programme of the day and registration here.](#)

### French Teacher Award

The award returns for its third edition. Two teachers - one in primary and one in secondary school - will be selected for their significant contribution to French language education in their school and community. Winners will be announced on the French Teachers' Day.

Application deadline: 21<sup>st</sup> November 2024

- Teachers can apply for themselves or for their colleagues.
- [Find out more about the French Teacher Award and complete the application form here.](#)

### National Linguistics Day: 26<sup>th</sup> November 2024

National Linguistics Day is an opportunity to spread awareness about the science of language among language learners, professionals and enthusiasts.

Please visit <https://www.linguisticshq.co.uk/national-linguistics-day> to find out more, and to request **\*free\*** taster resources and links to use in schools on the day.

## Curriculum and Assessment Review

[\(Call for evidence Deadline 22nd November 2024\)](#)

### Curriculum and Assessment Review Regional Roadshows

Date	Location	Registration Link
26 <sup>th</sup> November '24 13:00-16:00	North East - Wyvern Academy, Darlington	<a href="#">You can register for these events here.</a>
27 <sup>th</sup> November '24 16:00-19:00	North West – The Oldham Academy North, Oldham ( <b>FULLY BOOKED</b> )	
28 <sup>th</sup> November 13:00 start	Online Webinar	

### Supporting HHCL Exams: Exam Boards and Timeline

#### AQA GCSEs:

Bengali, Chinese (Mandarin only), French, German, Italian, Polish, Panjabi, Modern Hebrew, Spanish, Urdu

#### Edexcel/Pearson GCSEs:

Arabic, Biblical Hebrew, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), French, German, Greek, Gujarati, Italian, Japanese, Persian, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, Turkish, Urdu

#### A typical year supporting HHCL

- First few days in September - Share HHCL GCSE results
- Autumn Term – identify potential HHCL GCSE candidates
- Before Christmas - Mock Exams and feedback
- Before end of January - Confirm exam entries
- Spring Term – HHCL in Y9 option choice discussions
- Before end of March - Communication with HHCL exam candidates helping to prepare for all exams
- April/May – speaking exams
- May/June – other GCSE exams

## Events for Teachers, Students and NCLE Events

Events for Teachers				
Date / Time	Event	Location	Booking Link	Target Audience
26 <sup>th</sup> November '24	<b>Awareness Day: National Linguistics Day</b> (detailed on page 1)		<a href="#">Further information</a>	
3 <sup>rd</sup> December '24 17:00-18:30	Goethe-Institut: Physical activity as a communication incentive in German lessons Speaker: Jacob Nørregård	Online	<a href="#">Register here</a>	German Teachers
7 <sup>th</sup> December '24 09:45 - 14:00	French Teachers' Day (detailed on page 1)	Institut français du Royaume-Uni, London	<a href="#">Register here</a>	Teachers of French (Primary and Secondary)
15 <sup>th</sup> January '25  16:00-17:00	Language Hubs CPD Webinar: <i>Bringing the New GCSE to Life – Examples of best practice from NCLE Language Hubs</i>	Online	<a href="#">Register here</a>	Language Learning Professionals  Mandatory attendance for: NCLE Language Hubs (Lead Schools and Partner Schools)
12 <sup>th</sup> Feb '25 16:00-17:00	Language Hubs CPD Webinar: <i>Making Transition &amp; Transfer from KS2 to KS3 successful</i>  <b>(NB: PLEASE NOTE THIS IS A NEW DATE)</b>	Online	<a href="#">Register here</a>	Language Learning Professionals  Mandatory attendance for: NCLE Language Hubs (Lead Schools, Partner Schools & Primaries in Hub Network)
14-15 <sup>th</sup> March '25	Language World 2025 <a href="#">(You can also find a justification letter available to download)</a>  <a href="#">Find more information about this event here</a>	Kenilworth	<a href="#">Register here</a>	Languages Teachers & Leaders - <i>NCLE Hubs may use their budget for SpTs to attend. Budget depending, funding can be used for Hub Leads to attend as well.</i>

14 <sup>th</sup> -15 <sup>th</sup> March 2025  09:00-17:00	ASCL Annual Conference 2025	Liverpool	<a href="#">Find more information here</a>  <a href="#">Register here</a>	Languages Teachers and Languages Leaders
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## Events for learners

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November '24-March '25	Goethe-Institut Debating Competition	Varies across rounds (Online + In-person)	<a href="#">Register here</a>	Year 12 (England & Wales), Year 13 (Northern Ireland), S5 (Scotland) – learners who are at least in their 4th year of learning German.
12 <sup>th</sup> December '24 13:00-14:00	A Career as a Diplomat with German  Goethe-Institut Business Lunch: Q&A with Tom Crewther	Online	<a href="#">Register here</a>	Year 9 – Year 13 German pupils
15 <sup>th</sup> January '25	Exchange2Change Youth Exchange Programme (Goethe-Institut) <b>Application DEADLINE: 15.01.25</b>	<a href="#">More information is available here</a>	<a href="#">Apply here</a>	Young people, aged between 14 and 17 during the exchange phase, who live in the UK and Germany.
27 <sup>th</sup> April '25 onwards	Exchange2Change Youth Exchange Programme (Goethe-Institut)	Hybrid (Online + in-person in Berlin & London)	<a href="#">More information is available here</a>	Young people, aged between 14 and 17 during the exchange phase, who live in the UK and Germany



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An interesting read: [Wise in 5: Language Learning in Schools](#) Co-authored by Dr Elin Arfon, NCLE Research Fellow and Dr Eira Jepson, PolicyWISE Research Associate.