

Training courses from **Norfolk School Library Service**  
Supporting Literacy and Learning in your school

## **Blogging in the Classroom**

**A twilight course for Literacy Co-ordinators and  
Key Stage 2 teachers to create and/or  
maximise use of a Reading Blog**

**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2014**

4.15pm to 6pm (Arrival from  
3.30pm)

SLS Training room, County Hall

**Cost: 1 SLS token**

**Please note: You may park at County  
Hall for this course. More details  
about travel and parking will be sent  
with your joining instructions**

**Course leaders: Apryl Markham  
(SLS), Jon Biddle (Teacher,  
West Earlham Junior)**



**Closing date: Friday 19<sup>th</sup> Sept**

**The course will include:**

- Advice on how to set up a Blog
- Practical suggestions on how to use a Blog to support a Reading Group

The course will support the  
requirements of the

**new National Curriculum:**

**English:** 'maintain positive  
attitudes to reading and  
understanding of what (children)  
read'

**Computing:** (Pupils should be)  
'able to use, and express  
themselves and develop their ideas  
through, information and  
communication technology'

This course will be equally valuable  
for those who have a familiarity  
with Blogging as for those who are  
new to the format.

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## **Playing with Poetry in the New Curriculum**

A twilight course for Literacy Co-ordinators and KS2 teachers/TA's to encourage poetry for pleasure

### **Course Date / Venue**

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2014**

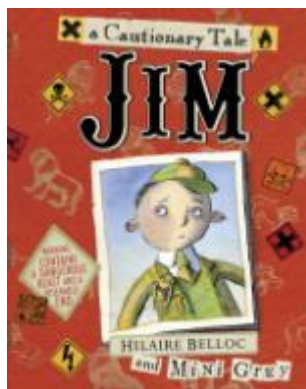
**4.15 pm– 6.00pm (Twilight)**

**SLS Training Room, County Hall**

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**Cost: 1 token**

**Course leader:** Harriet Cox/Gail Arnold, SLS Librarians



**Closing date:** Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Sept

### **Course Objectives:**

- to explore a variety of poetry resources
- to develop creative ideas for using poetry
- to choose a loan collection of 12 books

### **Supporting the new National Curriculum:**

**'Pupils should be taught to:**

- develop and maintain positive attitudes by listening to and discussing a wide range of poetry
- prepare poems to read aloud and perform
- ...evaluate how authors use language, including figurative language'

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### **Making the Most of Junior Librarian**

A half-day INSET course to help your school to get maximum value from the full range of features of this library management software

**Course Date:** Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2014, 9am-12noon

**Venue:** SLS training room COH

**Please note:** There is no parking for visitors at County Hall. More details about travel and parking will be sent with your joining instructions

**Cost:** 1 SLS token

**Course leader:** Caroline Barker



*"Thought all areas covered were relevant, loved inspection report."* (Vicky Thomas)

**Closing date:** Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October

**Please note: This course is for users of the Junior 3 version of the system.**

**For training on the .net version please contact the SLS office**

#### **Course Objectives:**

- To create an effective, searchable catalogue
- To use reports to evaluate the effectiveness of your library
- To use the system to effectively manage the loss of library stock, including SLS stock

#### **Supporting the new National Curriculum:**

- Junior Librarian is a tool useful in assisting pupils in gaining 'the essential knowledge that they need to be educated citizens' assisting in the independent retrieval of information
- Helps teachers identify children's reading choices

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**Fairy Tales for KS1**

A twilight course for Literacy Co-ordinators and KS1 teachers/TA's exploring Fairy Tales through drama

**Course Date / Venue**

**Tuesday 21st October 2014**

**4.15 pm– 6.00pm (Twilight)**

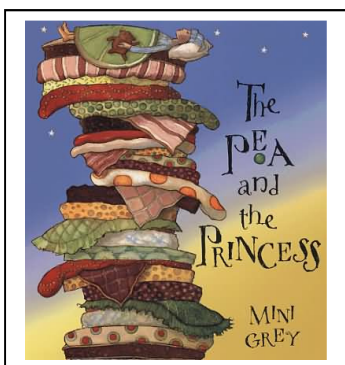
**SLS Training Room, County Hall**

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**Cost: 1 token**

**Course leader:**

**Gail Arnold, SLS Librarian**



Comments from teachers on previous Traditional Tales courses:

*'Can really see the benefit (of drama) – think you would get some super written work as a result!'*

*'It was lovely to share in your enthusiasm!'*

**Closing date: Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October**

**Course Objectives:**

- To use drama as a basis for speaking and writing
- To offer ideas for using Fairy tale picture books
- To consider traditional Fairy tales and Fairy tale twists
- Delegates will be able to browse a range of Fairy tales and borrow a free project loan of 12 books

**Supporting the new National Curriculum:**

**Y1** 'Pupils should be taught to become 'very familiar with .... fairy stories, retelling them and considering their particular characteristics.'

'Role play can help pupils identify with and explore characters.'

**Y2** 'Drama and role play can contribute to the quality of pupils' writing.'

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**Love Your Library – or How to Make Your Library  
the Beating Heart of the School Community**

A half day course for staff responsible for the vision and budget of the school library, considering in depth how the library should support the new curriculum

**Course Date:** Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup>  
October 2014, 9am-12noon

**Venue:** SLS Training Room, County  
Hall, Norwich

**Please note: There is no parking for  
visitors at County Hall. More details  
about travel and parking will be sent  
with your joining instructions**

**Cost:** 1 SLS Token

**Course leader:** Harriet Cox, SLS  
Librarian



**Course closing date:** Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October

**Course Objectives:**

- To look at strategies for running and managing this essential resource efficiently and effectively
- To show how it can support the national curriculum
- To show how it can encourage reading for pleasure

**Supporting the new National Curriculum:**

- 6.3 "Schools...should provide library facilities"
- "Pupils should ...be encouraged to read for pleasure"
- 3.1 "The national curriculum provides pupils with an introduction to the essential knowledge that they need to be educated citizens".

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**Love Your Library – or How to Make Your Library  
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A half day course for staff responsible for the vision and budget of the school library, considering in depth how the library should support the new curriculum

**Course Date:** Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup>  
November 2014, 9am-12noon

**Venue:** Greyfriars Primary School,  
King's Lynn

**Cost:** 1 SLS Token

**Course leader:** Harriet Cox, SLS  
Librarian



**This course is also taking place  
at County Hall on 22/10/14**

**Course closing date:** Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October

**Course Objectives:**

- To look at strategies for running and managing this essential resource efficiently and effectively
- To show how it can support the national curriculum
- To show how it can encourage reading for pleasure

**Supporting the new National Curriculum:**

- 6.3 "Schools...should provide library facilities"
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## **Promoting reading for pleasure using Accelerated Reader and a variety of other means**

**A whole day course for Literacy leaders and school Librarians in primary and secondary schools.**

Schools in Norfolk are taking seriously the issues of poor literacy and are looking for support and ways of investing effectively. Make sure your school library continues to function 'organically', promoting reading for pleasure across a wide range of books and formats, complementing and incorporating the use of AR in your school

**Course Date: Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2014, 9am to 4pm**

**Venue:** Annexe, County Hall, Norwich

**Please note: There is no parking for visitors at County Hall. More details about travel and parking will be sent with your joining instructions**

**Cost: 2 SLS Tokens**

**Course leader:** Bev Humphrey



*"to develop their love of literature through widespread reading for enjoyment"* NC Framework Document, English.

**Course closing date: 24<sup>th</sup> October 2014**

### **Course Objectives:**

- You will be better informed on how to use functions such as writing your own quizzes to enhance student's reading experiences
- A toolkit of digital resources & ideas will help to spark interest in even the most reluctant of readers
- Ideas for popular titles that you can add to your stock, with advice on incorporating them into your AR programme

**Supporting the new National Curriculum:** "...increasing (their) familiarity with a wide range of books..." English, Y5&6 Reading comprehension

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I wish to reserve      place(s) on:

School:

Name(s) of participant(s):

Job title and Year Group(s):

For full day courses, lunch will be provided. Do you have any dietary requirements we should be aware of? (please specify):

Joining instructions will be sent by email, please let us know the best address to send these to (direct email preferred where possible):

**Payment (please tick)**

I would like to redeem existing tokens I have already purchased

☐

I would like to purchase tokens for this course, please tell me how

☐

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