# Developing Subject Knowledge & Working Scientifically in Chemistry

This one day course will equip the class teacher with both subject knowledge, proven pedagogy and strategies with which to teach Chemistry in the primary phase.

## **Course Outline**

This course builds participants' subject knowledge in Chemistry through reflection on practical activities and investigation. As such it has a focus on the subject knowledge needed to teach the programmes of study, and the pedagogy of Working Scientifically; participants will leave with a bank of practical investigations that can easily be used in the classroom.

Science educators have identified three big ideas in the teaching of chemistry:

- All matter in the Universe is made of very small particles.
- The total amount of energy in the Universe is always the same but can be transferred from one energy store to another during an event.
- The composition of the Earth and its atmosphere and the processes occurring within them shape the Earth's surface and its climate.

# By the end of the session participants will:-

- have a clear and detailed understanding of the Chemistry component of the National Curriculum
- have experience of practical investigations that can be used to teach biology at an appropriate level
- have an understanding of the progression of developing chemical concepts in teaching
- be confident in teaching chemistry

#### Phase Primary

#### Audience

Teacher, NQTs, Returners to Teaching, Subject Leader

**Trainer** Kevin Blogg

Date 21/02/2018

**Time** 9:30 am – 4:00 pm

## Venue

Norwich Professional Development Centre

Cost £165 per delegate

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