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## **KS2 Modern Foreign Languages and Literacy: investigating the links between languages**

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<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>Reference</b>
21/06/2007	09:00 - 12:00	Norwich Professional Development Centre	EPQA2/A
27/06/2007	09:00 - 12:00	West Norfolk Professional Development Centre	EPQA2/B

### **Course Context/Audience:**

This half-day course aims to make exciting links between English and other languages with reference to teaching objectives in the KS2 Literacy Strategy and the KS2 Framework for Primary (foreign) languages. The course is aimed at KS2 subject leaders, classroom teachers, specialist MFL teachers and teaching assistants involved in teaching Literacy and /or Modern Foreign Languages. No foreign language skills will be necessary.

### **Objectives:**

Did you know . . .

- That we call cooked cow meat . . . beef and cooked sheep meat . . . mutton because the Norman invaders only saw their meat on a table and to them it was boeuf and mouton?
- That in Anglo Saxon, the 'g' in the spelling string '...ight' was pronounced out loud and all these words have direct parallels in modern German: licht, nicht, richt sicht etc.
- That penne is Italian for feathers (hence the English 'pen') and that all pasta names have meanings?

Fascinating language facts like these will be covered including: the derivation of meanings and spellings; writing systems and text types; conventions of politeness; word categories and classes; gender; dictionary skills.

Reference will be made to published and on-line resources.

**Course Leader/s:** Joan Dickie Judith Beardsworth

**Phase:** Primary Schools

**Fee: £70.00**

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### **How to book:**

To apply for a place on this activity please visit our website at:

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complete a booking form and return it to:

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