

Coding & Programming with Scratch Junior and Scratch

Friday 13 October 2017

Half day course – 9.30am to 12.30pm

Only £76* per person

The Training Centre, OLCHS, Fulwood, PRESTON

The course is aimed at EYFS, KS1 & 2 teachers. Scratch Junior is an app which can be used from Reception upwards. Scratch, a free programme available online or can be downloaded onto computers running Windows, can be used from top infants to Year 6 and beyond.

This course will look at:

- *The 2014 Computing Curriculum, teaching Coding, Algorithms and Programming through Scratch Junior and Scratch block coding.*
- *Designing challenges to develop and extend skills from EYFS to Year 6 and beyond.*

Trainer: Christian Duckworth

After many years teaching in Special Education, Christian moved into teaching ICT in Primary Schools as part of a government funded programme to bring ICT into Primary Education. She has visited a number of European countries both to learn about their use of Information Technology in schools and to present some of her own projects, particularly those involving collaboration between children in multiple European countries. Christian is particularly interested in coding, programming and basic robotics. In the late 1990s she began using an Apple iMac, for film making and editing and attended training with Apple educators. With the introduction of iPads the possibilities for young children to use individual tablets to design and write programs fascinated her and she has been fortunate to work with educators and program designers from around the world.

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**Cost - £65 per person for members of the Catholic Teaching Alliance.*

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