

# Outstanding Preparation for Ofsted Inspection



## Who should attend?

Members of senior leadership teams who are expecting inspection in the next 12 months.

Under the new framework (Sep 2012 onward) self evaluation is every bit as important as it ever used to be. What is equally important is to understand the implications of the new framework as the priorities have changed. This course shares the experiences of our school in late November 2012 which resulted in our school receiving grade 1 in all four categories and therefore grade 1 (OUTSTANDING) overall.

## School context:

We are a mixed 11 - 16 Catholic comprehensive serving mainly the north and west of Preston. Our school has moved from just Satisfactory in 2004 to Good in 2007 to Outstanding in 2012. We have undertaken this journey with no change what so ever in the profile of our pupils on entry. The key to our success has been transformation in behaviour, expectations and levels of belief.

Please visit [www.olchs.lancs.sch.uk](http://www.olchs.lancs.sch.uk) and follow the link to the DfE School Tables for our school's contextual information.

## Workshop Outcomes:

- How to produce a brief but to the point, SEF
- Evidence files - production and linking to the SEF (commended as exemplary by Ofsted)
- Simple tips for teachers to maximise the impact of a 25 minute observation
- Responding to the challenging questions posed by inspectors to SLT

The Guild Training Centre, Fulwood, Preston

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(This includes refreshments and lunch)

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## Meet the Trainer Nigel Ranson

Nigel is headteacher at Our Lady's Catholic High School and is in his eleventh year of headship. Previously he was a pastoral and then curriculum Deputy at a large 11 - 18 Catholic comprehensive in Blackpool. He studied Physics at Liverpool University and began teaching Physics 27 years ago. He became a head of Science in 1994 and spent 3 years training people to teach Physics (PGCE) as part of a School Centred Initial Teacher Training Partnership. He has run training courses for Lancashire education authority on The Management of Behaviour and Physics for the Non-specialist with tremendous reviews. Whilst now a head teacher he still teaches GCSE Physics to both year 10 and year 11 pupils and loves it.

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