

Teach GCSE Computing

Day 2 – Achieving Success

Trainer: Alan O'Donohoe

Thursday 16 January 2014, Wednesday 19 March 2014,
Thursday 15 May 2014 & Thursday 10 July 2014

The Guild Training Centre, OLCHS, Fulwood, PRESTON PR2 3SQ

Suitable for teachers of GCSE Computing who are looking to develop their own effectiveness as well as preparing their classes for exams

On this course you will be presented with a variety of strategies to plan, teach and organise coursework assignments. There will be an emphasis on hands-on practical workshops to enable you to feel confident about approaching coursework and exam preparation for GCSE Computing.

Part 1 Programming Assignment

Expect to develop your expertise in analysing a problem, designing an algorithm, programming a solution, evaluating with a test plan while ensuring that the assessment criteria is being met.

Part 2 Investigation Assignment

Expect to gain some expertise in assembly language, Von Neumann architecture as well as analysing a problem, designing an algorithm, programming a solution, evaluating with a test plan.

Part 3 Exam Preparation

A number of approaches and strategies to help you prepare your students for success in their terminal exam.

"Highly engaging with plenty of ideas and resources"

Please note that some previous programming experience is required.



Alan O'Donohoe is a Computing at School Master Teacher and Principal Teacher of Computing at Our Lady's Catholic High School, Preston, an Outstanding school. Alan successfully introduced GCSE Computing in September 2011 and has been supporting and training teachers in other schools. Alan consistently receives excellent feedback for the courses he leads.

Cost: £173 per person including lunch and refreshments

To book a place email training@olchs.lancs.sch.uk

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