HART Summer Update 2025



HART MEMBERSHIP 2025-6

As we reach the end of another school year, we want to thank all the HART members for continuing to support the alliance and for the collaboration between like-minded schools that is at the heart of HART. Thank you also for providing feedback about what you value and what you would like more of in our annual survey. The message that rang out loud and clear from this was that you want more of the same! So, in response, the 2025-6 membership programme will continue to offer insights on changing Ofsted expectations, curriculum updates and support materials, documents, materials and templates to support leadership monitoring and opportunities for shared practice development.

We appreciate schools' budgets are under great pressure and so we are once again holding membership and CPD events at last year's prices, and we're offering the same discount for early payment. Full details about prices and the booking link are in the box (right).



SIGN UP

HART membership for 2025-6 will remain at £300 for small schools/federations and £450 for large schools.

This entitles you to attend five HART leadership meetings for FREE, plus staff can attend highquality online CPD at a reduced membership rate.

A prompt payment reduction of 10% will be applied when renewals are paid by Friday 14th September 2025.

Please click
here to
register for
HART
membership





HART OFFER 2025-6

HART members meetings

Our five HART leadership meetings will continue to be free for HART members. The meetings provide invaluable updates on learning and leadership research and provide a wide range of bespoke documents to support schools' self-evaluation.

In addition, schools receive support materials and videos of teaching approaches, plus the meetings provide regular OFSTED updates.

Other services

- Headteacher's Performance Management: £500
- School support visit on an agreed area. Half day visit and summary report: £500.
- Subject support is available for school staff as needed.

Please contact HART@ycatschools.co.uk to request any of the bespoke services outlined above.

HART CPD calendar 2025-6

Course	Date	Time	Cost	Links
HART members meeting	23rd Sept 2025	9.30-11.00	FREE	
Leadership that drives learning: focusing on what works	30 th Sept 2025	3.45-4.45	£30/£50	Book here
Writing progression: a systematic approach	14 th Oct 2025	3.45-4.45	£30/£50	Book here
Understanding the new Ofsted framework	23rd Oct 2025	3.45-4.45	£30/£50	Book here
HART members meeting	6th Nov 2025	1.30-3.00	FREE	
Effective adjustments in maths	11 th Nov 2025	3.45-4.45	£30/£50	Book here
A whole-school approach to oracy	8 th Dec 2025	3.45-4.45	£30/£50	Book here
HART members meeting	13th Jan 2026	9.30-11.00	FREE	
Ensuring an ambitious curriculum and provision for vulnerable pupils	28 th Jan 2026	3.45-4.45	£30/£50	Book here
Supporting teaching assistants	9 th Feb 2026	3.45-4.45	£30/£50	Book here
HART members meeting	5th March 2026	9.30-11.00	FREE	
Evaluating the impact of your practice in the EYFS	2 nd March 2026	3.45-4.45	£30/£50	Book here
Making a difference in PSED	16 th March 2026	3.45-4.45	£30/£50	Book here
HART members meeting	21st May 2026	1.30-3.00	FREE	





HART CPD DETAIL 2025-6

Leadership that drives learning: focusing on what works

Establishing strong leadership across the school to ensure improvement priorities are fully achieved by moving away from ineffective practices and focusing on approaches that have the greatest impact on children's learning and progress.

- 30th Sept 2025
- 3.45pm-4.45pm
- Audience: school leaders
- £30 members/£50 non-members
- Booking Link

Understanding the new Ofsted framework

This course offers an update on the latest Ofsted framework, equipping teachers with the key information and insights they need to stay informed and prepared.

- 23rd Oct 2025
- 3.45pm-4.45pm
- Audience: school leaders and teachers
- £30 members/£50 non-members
- Booking Link

A whole-school approach to oracy

Askwith School will share their whole-school oracy approach, highlighting successes and challenges in implementation. Schools who are completing this year's Primary Curriculum Quality Mark will be able to receive their award during the next school year.

- 8th Dec 2025
- 3.45pm-4.45pm
- Audience: school leaders and teachers
- £30 members/£50 non-members
- Booking Link

Writing progression: a systematic approach

Building foundational writing knowledge systematically to ensure pupils progress at the right pace. Examples are provided of planning that meets pupils' needs in small learning steps that build pupils' fluency.

- 14th Oct 2025
- 3.45pm-4.45pm
- Audience: school leaders and teachers
- £30 members/£50 non-members
- Booking Link

Effective adjustments in maths

Making effective adjustments in maths to meet the learning needs of all children. Examples of approaches, materials and videos of lessons will be shared.

- 11th Nov 2025
- 3.45pm-4.45pm
- Audience: school leaders and teachers
- £30 members/£50 non-members
- Booking Link

Ensuring an ambitious curriculum and provision for vulnerable pupils

Ensuring an ambitious curriculum and provision for vulnerable, SEND, and disadvantaged pupils. Understanding what ambition looks like, and materials to support your reviews and identification of appropriate adjustments, including Ordinarily Available Provision.

- 28th Jan 2026
- 3.45pm-4.45pm
- Audience: school leaders and teachers
- £30 members/£50 non-members
- Booking Link





HART CPD DETAIL 2025-6 (CONTINUED)

Supporting teaching assistants

Updates on key provision, and how to ensure learning support improves children's fluency and recall of essential knowledge. TAs will be asked to provide questions before the session and a panel will provide answers to the questions.

- 9th Feb 2026
- 3.45pm-4.45pm
- Audience: school leaders and teachers
- £30 members/£50 non-members
- Booking Link

Evaluating the impact of your practice in the EYFS

What leaders and teachers need to know and implement consistently.

- 2nd March 2026
- 3.45pm-4.45pm
- Audience: school leaders and teachers
- £30 members/£50 non-members
- Booking Link

Making a Difference in PSED

Making a difference in Personal, Social & Emotional Development: evaluating and enhancing your curriculum for greater impact. Reviews are provided and examples of schools' adjusting provision.

- 16th March 2026
- 3.45pm-4.45pm
- Audience: school leaders and teachers
- £30 members/£50 non-members
- Booking Link







HART PRIMARY CURRICULUM Primary Curriculum QUALITY MARK

Establishing a coherent, connected, and effective curriculum across all areas is challenging for all schools and requires a huge commitment from the school team. Primary schools can access more personalised curriculum support through HART's collaborative programme: Primary Curriculum Quality Mark.

The PCQM was launched in September 2024. This award recognises schools for delivering a well-connected, ambitious curriculum that supports strong pupil recall, fluency, and personal development across all subjects and age groups.

The importance of making curriculum connections is at the heart of PCQM; the programme begins with guidance on establishing your curriculum vision, values and ethos and then focuses on the different key stages starting in early years. The programme provides an introductory session in September, and three recorded online training sessions during the programme, offering guidance to schools on building a precise and embedded connected curriculum.

The PCQM provides a portal for participants to access the programme's CPD, videos, key documents and the PCQM final self-evaluation assessment audit materials. The theme is making connections; building essential foundations from early years and there are five self-evaluation documentation documents that form schools' main evidence for the PCQM award. The PCQM will also identify areas for further improvement. The quality mark will provide external validation of your strong primary curriculum, and, on accreditation, you will receive the PCQM Quality Mark logo that can be displayed on your school's documentation and website. The accreditation will last for two years before renewal.

The programme includes:

- CPD sessions linked to the materials on the PCQM portal at each stage.
- Self-auditing and monitoring tools
- PCQM self-evaluation templates.
- A half-day moderation visit by your school's Curriculum Support Adviser.

Cost: HART members £400; Non-members £500

To register an interest in the PCQM, please complete this short form.

If you have any questions or comments about the HART offer, please get in touch at HART@ycatschools.co.uk.