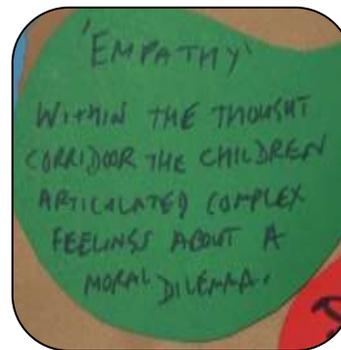
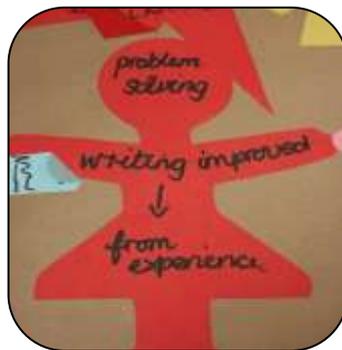
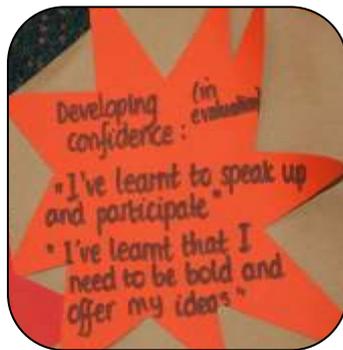


# Drama for Thought, Talk and Writing

A practical training day for KS1 and KS2 teachers, showing how drama strategies can be used to support children to think, talk and write'.



*"Drama can sound quite daunting, particularly if you have little experience of using it or seeing other people doing it. As teachers it can take us out of our comfort zone. It can feel risky as you cannot accurately predict what the children will do with the stimulus you give to them. It gives children a significant amount of control and in doing so it can put them into the very heart of their learning."*

Primary teacher

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2016**  
**9.00am – 4.00pm**

**Carriageworks Theatre**  
**The Electric Press**  
**3 Millennium Square**  
**Leeds**  
**LS2 3AD**





## Drama for Thought, Talk and Writing with Patrice Baldwin

This practical training day will provide teachers with a powerful toolbox, from which to design lessons for children, as thinkers, talkers and writers. The course will be led by Patrice Baldwin an experienced, 'drama in education' expert and is suitable for KS1 and KS2 teachers, as well as teaching assistants.

Participants will discover how a wide range of drama strategies can be used effectively in sequence with whole classes, to focus, scaffold, develop and improve children's:

- thinking (creatively and critically)
- talking (dialogically and purposefully)
- writing (in and out of role)

During the day - whole class, meaningful and compelling drama lessons will be experienced, analysed and evaluated.

**Patrice Baldwin** is an international 'Drama for Learning' specialist. She was Sir Jim Rose's Editorial Expert for Drama, having been a Primary Headteacher, LA Arts Adviser, School Improvement Partner and Ofsted inspector. She was Chair of National Drama and President of the International Drama Theatre and Education Association (IDEA). She has worked as a BBC scriptwriter and consultant and is author of several key books about teaching through Drama.

### Cost:

**ArtForms Arts Development SLA schools:** One teacher place included through SLA. Additional staff £190

**Non SLA schools:** £220 per delegate

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