

## Primary CPD calendar at a glance: Spring 2025

Date/Time	Title	Series/Course	Format	Focus
Tuesday 17 December, 5pm–6pm	<b>Shakespeare, Ancient Rome and Ancient Britain*</b>	The history that Shakespeare gave us	Live webinar	Subject knowledge
Friday 10 January	<b>Early bird booking opens for HA Conference 2025</b>			
Monday 13 January, 4pm–5pm	<b>Devising and using rigorous historical enquiry questions to lead learning in primary history*</b>	History and literacy: better together	Live webinar	Subject issues, curriculum thinking and pedagogy
Tuesday 14 January, 7.30–9pm	<b>The Fall: last days of the English Republic*</b>	Virtual Branch	Live webinar	Subject knowledge
Wednesday 15 January, 4pm–5pm	<b>Making sense of curriculum frameworks in EYFS</b>	Teaching ‘past and present’ in EYFS	Live webinar	Curriculum thinking and pedagogy
Thursday 16 January, 4pm–5pm	<b>An introduction to HA Chartered Teacher*</b>		Live webinar	Member support
Monday 20 January, 4pm–5pm	<b>When the present informs the past: Researching the history of migration and refugees in Europe*</b>	Subject knowledge webinars	Live webinar	Subject knowledge
Wednesday 22 January, 4pm–5.30pm	<b>Session 1: Introductory meeting</b>	Becoming an effective primary history subject leader	Online course: live meeting	Subject leadership
Monday 27 January, 4pm–5.30pm	<b>Session 2: What makes an effective history subject leader?</b>	Becoming an effective primary history subject leader	Online course: live and recorded	Subject leadership
Tuesday 28 January, 4pm–5pm	<b>Effective pedagogy for EYFS</b>	Teaching ‘past and present’ in EYFS	Live webinar	Curriculum thinking and pedagogy

Wednesday 29 January, 4pm–5pm	<b>Making the most effective use of core literacy texts chosen on a history theme</b>	History and literacy: better together	Live webinar	Subject issues, curriculum thinking and pedagogy
Thursday 30 January, 4pm–5pm	<b>An introduction to the HA Quality Mark*</b>		Live webinar	Member support
Thursday 6 February, 4pm–5pm	<b>Using stories and storytelling in the primary history classroom</b>	History and literacy: better together	Live webinar	Subject issues, curriculum thinking and pedagogy
Wednesday 12 February, 4pm–5pm	<b>Curriculum coherence and transition to Key Stage 1</b>	Teaching ‘past and present’ in EYFS	Live webinar	Curriculum thinking and pedagogy
Wednesday 19 February, 4pm–5.30pm	<b>Session 3: What makes effective teaching of history?</b>	Becoming an effective primary history subject leader	Online course: live and recorded	Subject leadership
Thursday 20 February, 4pm–5pm	<b>Using the work of historians in the primary history classroom</b>	History and literacy: better together	Live webinar	Subject issues, curriculum thinking and pedagogy
Tuesday 25 February, 4pm–5pm	<b>Ottoman trade with Europe in the early modern era*</b>	Subject knowledge webinars	Live webinar	Subject knowledge
Tuesday 25 February, 4pm–5.30pm	<b>Session 4: Curriculum and practice at EYFS</b>	Becoming an effective primary history subject leader	Online course: live and recorded	Subject leadership
Wednesday 26 February, 10am–4pm	<b>Online course: Getting to grips with primary history</b>	Getting to grips with primary history	Live online course	Pedagogy
Monday 3 March, 4pm–5.30pm	<b>Session 5: Curriculum and practice at Key Stage 1</b>	Becoming an effective primary history subject leader	Online course: live and recorded	Subject leadership
Wednesday 5 March, 4pm–5pm	<b>Helping pupils articulate their understanding of history through speaking and listening</b>	History and literacy: better together	Live webinar	Subject issues, curriculum thinking and pedagogy
Tuesday 11 March, 4pm–5.30pm	<b>Session 6: Curriculum and practice at Key Stage 2</b>	Becoming an effective primary history subject leader	Online course: live and recorded	Subject leadership
Friday 14 March, 9.30am–3pm	<b>Supporting SEND pupils in your primary history lessons</b>	Supporting SEND pupils in your primary history lessons	Live online course	Subject issues and pedagogy

Tuesday 18 March, 4pm–5.30pm	<b>Session 7: Approaching sensitive issues in history</b>	Becoming an effective primary history subject leader	Online course: live and recorded	Subject leadership
Wednesday 19 March, 4pm–5pm	<b>Sickness, death and the 19th-century British Post Office*</b>	Subject knowledge webinars	Live webinar	Subject knowledge
Thursday 20 March, 4pm–5pm	<b>Developing formative and extended writing in primary history</b>	History and literacy: better together	Live webinar	Subject issues, curriculum thinking and pedagogy
Thursday 20 March	Early bird booking closes for HA Conference 2025			
Tuesday 25 March, 4pm–5.30pm	<b>Session 8: Interim review meeting</b>	Becoming an effective primary history subject leader	Online course: live meeting	Subject leadership
Wednesday 2 April, 4pm–5pm	<b>Developing visual literacy in the primary history classroom</b>	History and literacy: better together	Live webinar	Subject issues, curriculum thinking and pedagogy
Wednesday 30 April, 4pm–5.30pm	<b>Session 9: Assessment and evidence</b>	Becoming an effective primary history subject leader	Online course: live and recorded	Subject leadership
Friday 9 May–Saturday 10 May	<b>HA Conference 2025, Liverpool</b>			
Wednesday 14 May, 4pm–5.30pm	<b>Session 10: Final meeting</b>	Becoming an effective primary history subject leader	Online course: live meeting	Subject leadership
Date TBC, 4pm–5pm	<b>Making the most of your primary membership*</b>		Live webinar	Member support

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