

Derby and Derbyshire Agreed Syllabus launches

RE Today Services were delighted to work again with Derbyshire SACRE and for the first time with Derby SACRE to produce the 2021-2026 Joint Derby and Derbyshire Agreed syllabus.

We planned to hold either 6 or 7 face to face events with schools paying for delegates to attend bringing in considerable funds for the local authority. The training was planned, written and delivered by Fiona Moss and Lat Blaylock from RE Today services. These day long face to events were spread across the county to ensure they were accessible to all schools.

The first four events in February and early March 2020 were held and were a great success with over 250 delegates attending from primary and secondary schools across the city and county. Due to the Pandemic lockdown the next three events were postponed in the hope that they would be able to be held face to face. It became clear that this was not possible and so three virtual full day Syllabus launches were held in October 2020. These events were delivered by Fiona Moss and Lat Blaylock and hosted on their virtual training platform. More than 100 delegates attended these three events and a recording of the event was provided to some other schools who were unable to attend. Again schools paid the local authority to attend these training days.

In total over face to face, virtual and recordings of the training almost 400 teachers of RE have been trained on using the syllabus. Overall teachers graded the launch 94% very good and 5% good.

- Thank you, you've both been fab!
- Thank you for today, it has been really useful and given me lots of ideas to take back into school. Thanks again :-)
- Brilliant training, really useful and well structured. Very inspiring x
- I liked the interactive sharing of resources and demonstration of how these could be applied in the classroom. The delivery of information from Lat and Fiona was captivating!
- Thank you so much for a productive and informative day!