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# BrainCanDo Teaching and Learning Professional Development Day

**Date:** Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2019

**Theme:** Implementing neuroscience and psychology research in the classroom

**Provisional programme:**

**8.45 am** – Arrival & refreshments

**9 – 9.30am** – Welcome & introductory talk

**9.30 – 10.30am: Keynote Speaker Address:** Professor Patricia Riddell, University of Reading: Harnessing the positive power of emotional contagion in the classroom

10.30 – 10.45am: Break

**\*The remaining seminars will run in parallel so that delegates have the option to choose which session to attend\***

**10.45 – 12.15: Seminar 1**

- a) Dr Amy Fancourt, BrainCanDo research lead: Understanding the teenage brain and implications for teaching and learning
- b) Gary Blunt, teacher Queen Anne's School: Managing challenging behaviour in the classroom

12.15 – 13.00pm: Lunch

**13.00 – 14.30: Seminar 2**

- a) Gill Little, Director of Teaching and Learning, Queen Anne's School: Embedding a culture of evidence-informed teaching and learning through learning study groups
- b) Ben Stephenson, Director of Sixth Form, Queen Anne's School: The Psychology of Effective Revision

14.30 – 14.45: Break

**14.45 – 16.15: Seminar 3**

- a) Mark Richards, Deputy Head Academic, Queen Anne's School: Neuroscience and music analysis
- b) Lesley Mc Neil, Head of EAL, Queen Anne's School: EAL strategies for inclusive teaching and learning

**16.15 – 16.30:** Closing remarks