

**Primary geography – 'getting the focus right'
Informative and inspirational face-to-face professional development
at Shifnal Primary School**

TF11 8EJ

9:15 to 3:30pm Tuesday 3 February 2026

[Course leader: Diane Pye](#)

£130 (+VAT) per school

Informed by HMI subject reviews, the renewed Ofsted framework and curriculum review, this professional learning day covers progress and assessment in geography from early years to Year 6.

The day will include:

- what to focus on and why
- the difference between crucial and optional knowledge
- making sure content choices build readiness for what comes next
- key indicators of progress
- meaningful assessment
- what expanding schemas look like in geography
- ambitious outcomes and what they look like
- lots of resource ideas
- how to keep things simple and ensure children learn more.

Attendees will come away with refreshed thinking and plenty of ideas.

Lunch and refreshments provided.

[Click here to find out more and register your place](#)

Venue:

Shifnal Primary School
Curriers Lane
Shifnal TF11 8EJ

Some feedback from DPSI geography professional learning courses:

'Absolutely fantastic. It enabled us to focus very clearly on the rationale for assessment and how best practice in assessment helps schools to ensure that they are assessing the right things at the right time!'

'Extremely insightful. Packed with knowledge and ideas for next steps'

'Fantastic. It has given me lots of ideas of what I want to bring to my school. Thank you'

