

Supporting the Non Specialist Dance Teacher in Your School.

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Teacher of Dance

- PE teacher with responsibility for Dance within a PE department.
- PE teacher working alongside a specialist Dance teacher in a PE department.
- PE Teacher, teaching Dance within a Dance department.
- Teacher, teaching Dance as part of an Expressive Arts curriculum.
- Primary Teacher, teaching Dance as part of PE curriculum.
- Other combinations?



Dance is a Unique Activity.....

- Can make a valuable contribution to the 5hour PE and school sport offer.
- Can make a valuable contribution to the 5 hour cultural offer.
- Crucial part of Movement learning ~ Balance, Coordination, Patterns, Rhythm.
- Dance should be part of play.
- Essential part of key stage 3 and 4 PE curriculum provision.
- Popular OSH activity across all stages with both genders.
- Dance provides opportunities for young people to perform
- Dance provides opportunities for young people to develop leadership skills
- Dance is popular as an Extended Schools activity.



WHO is there to support the non specialist?

For delivering Dance in the curriculum, either primary or secondary or 16+.....

- Subject Leader~ CPD opportunities, access to resources.
- Other colleagues within the network ~ AST, PDM, SSCOs, Dance coordinators
- Local association ~ DASH (teachers forum).
- NDTA ~ website, courses, sharing good practice, CPD, national updates, support for examination courses.
- Professional Artists.
- Others





Who is there to support the non specialist?

For delivering Dance as part of the out of hours programme including extended schools.....

- School Sport Partnership network ~ PDM, SSCOs, Dance coordinators.
- Extended Schools network ~ ESCOs
- Youth Dance England network ~ Regional Strategy Managers and network hubsites
- Professional Dance Artists and Dance Companies.
- Others



What Resources are there to support the non specialist?

For delivering Dance as part of the curriculum.....

- AfPE/NDTA key stage 3 book 'A Practical Guide To Teaching Dance'.
- NDTA ~ 'Dance in Education A Guide to Resources'
- Sports Leaders UK ~ Dance Leaders Award
- ADEPT Portal ~ A Dance Education portal for pupils and teachers
- Professional Dance Artists and Dance Companies.
- Dance Network, Best Practice Toolkit
- Others



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For delivering Dance as part of the out of hours programme including Extended Schools

- Local Dance Artists Directory (through YDE).
- Sports Leaders UK ~ Dance Leaders Award
- Professional Dance Artists and Dance Companies.
- Human Kinetics Dance Resources
- YDE ~ U Dance competition framework for Dance
- PGL ~ Dance weekends



Useful Websites

- NDTA ~ www.ndta.org.uk.
- Sports Leaders UK ~ www.sportsleadersuk.org.
- AfPE ~ www.afpe.org.uk
- YDE ~ www.yde.org.uk, www.u-dance.org.
- ADEPT Portal ~ www.Dance in Education.com
- PGL ~ www.pgl.co.uk
- Human Kinetics ~ www.humankinetics.com
- CfSA ~ www.subjectassociation.org.uk

