



Forth Valley & West Lothian

Regional Improvement Collaborative

Online professional learning opportunities

For those practitioners who are looking to engage in CLPL during this time, the Forth Valley & West Lothian Regional Improvement Collaborative Career Long Professional Learning workstream have reviewed and developed this list of professional learning opportunities originally posted on Twitter by @lauratsabet. Where a course is included it is not an endorsement by the FV&WL RIC - this list is intended to signpost to a range of opportunities available and is by no means exhaustive. This resource is a result of a collaborative effort between colleagues in Clackmannanshire, Falkirk, Stirling, West Lothian, Education Scotland and the Forth Valley and West Lothian Regional Improvement Collaborative.

Theme	Course title	Link
EAL	A collection of webinars from the Bell Foundation	https://www.bell-foundation.org.uk/eal-programme/language-for-results/webinars/
EAL	TESOL strategies: supporting ESL students in mainstream classrooms	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/tesol-strategies?utm_source=RakutenMarketing&utm_medium=Affiliate&utm_campaign=3287812:Human+Rights+Careers
EAL	Developing induction programmes for newly arrived EAL pupils & Embedding EAL assessment	https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/the-bell-foundation-17182024102
Early career teachers	Becoming a reflective practitioner	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/learning-teach-becoming-reflective-practitioner/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Early career teachers	Learning to teach: an introduction to classroom research	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/learning-teach-introduction-classroom-research/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Early career teachers	Learning to teach: making sense of learning to teach	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/learning-teach-making-sense-learning-teach/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Early career teachers	Professional development for early career teachers	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/early-career-teachers
Ed Tech	Education technology leadership in schools	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/education-technology-leadership-in-schools
Ed Tech	Take your teaching online	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/education/take-your-teaching-online/content-section-overview?active-tab=description-tab

Ed Tech	Impact of technology	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/impact-of-technology
Ed Tech	Accessibility of e-learning	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/education-careers/accessibility-elearning/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Ed Tech	The online educator: people and pedagogy	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/the-online-educator
Ed Tech	Understanding technology in evidence-based teaching and learning	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/technology-teaching-learning
Education Scotland	Practitioner support for online remote learning	https://education.gov.scot/improvement/learning-resources/supporting-online-learning-links-for-practitioners/
Education Scotland	Professional learning and leadership online resource – online professional learning activities	https://professionallearning.education.gov.scot/learn/learning-activities/
Leadership	The what and why of educational leadership and management	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/education-careers/the-why-and-what-educational-leadership-and-management/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Leadership	Leadership and context	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/leadership-and-context/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Leadership	Introduction to Cloud for leaders	https://education.microsoft.com/en-us/course/46b3faaa/overview
Leadership	Exploring educational leadership	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/exploring-educational-leadership/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Leadership	Inspiring social change leaders	https://education.microsoft.com/en-us/course/d96ad722/overview
Leadership	Leadership and change in challenging times (Free online sessions)	https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/leadership-and-change-in-challenging-times-free-online-sessions-registration-103316311870?utm-medium=discovery&utm-
Literacy across the curriculum	Introduction to teaching vocabulary	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/developing-vocabulary
Literacy across the curriculum	English grammar in context	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/education/english-grammar-context/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Literacy across the curriculum	Building literacy with PowerPoint	https://education.microsoft.com/en-us/course/bc04fe50/overview
Literacy across the curriculum	Understanding language: learning and teaching	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/understanding-language
Literacy across the curriculum	Understanding language and learning	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/languages/understanding-language-and-learning/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab

Literacy across the curriculum	Involving the family in supporting pupils' literacy	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/education/involving-the-family-supporting-pupils-literacy-learning/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Literacy across the curriculum	Understanding English dictionaries	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/understanding-dictionaries
MFL	Teaching secondary MFL	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education/teaching-secondary-modern-foreign-languages/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
MFL	Assessment in secondary MFL	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education/assessment-secondary-modern-foreign-languages/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
MFL	SCILT in Scotland	https://scilt.org.uk/Professionallearning/tabid/8328/Default.aspx
Pastoral / wellbeing	Teaching students who have suffered complex trauma	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/teaching-students-trauma
Pastoral / wellbeing	We all have mental health: an introduction for teachers	https://www.samh.org.uk/about-mental-health/elearning-for-teachers
Pastoral / wellbeing	Making sense of mental health problems	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/health-sports-psychology/making-sense-mental-health-problems/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Pastoral / wellbeing	Young people and their mental health	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/young-people-mental-health
Pastoral / wellbeing	Professional relationships with young people	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/health-sports-psychology/professional-relationships-young-people/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Pastoral / wellbeing	Emotional intelligence at work	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/emotional-intelligence-at-work
Pastoral / wellbeing	Introduction to child psychology	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/childhood-youth/introduction-child-psychology/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Pastoral / wellbeing	Bullying in schools	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/peer-bullying
Pastoral / wellbeing	Developing effective anti-bullying practice	https://www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/tools-information/schools-and-teachers/free-cpd-online-training
Pastoral / wellbeing	GTC Health and Wellbeing - incl. Clare Lavelle resources	https://www.gtcs.org.uk/News/news/health-wellbeing.aspx
Pastoral / wellbeing	Breathing Tree - Free "And Breathe" podcasts	https://www.breathingtree.co.uk/
Pastoral / wellbeing	CAMHS - collection of downloadable self-help guides	https://www.camhs-resources.co.uk/downloads

Pastoral / wellbeing	Understanding depression and low mood in young people	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/depression-young-people
RE	Buddhism	Edinburgh University Buddhism Online. CLPL Event for Teachers[A1]
RE	Politics and society	https://www.futurelearn.com/subjects/politics-and-society/courses/religion
Research	Engaging with educational research	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/education/engaging-educational-research/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Research	Introduction to cognitive science	https://cogscisci.wordpress.com/2019/08/13/module-introduction-to-cognitive-science/
Research	Retrieval practice	https://cogscisci.wordpress.com/2019/07/23/module-retrieval-practice/
Research	How to write SLOP	https://cogscisci.wordpress.com/2019/08/08/module-how-to-write-slop/
Research	Education research that matters	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/ways-of-researching
Research	Rosenshine masterclass with Tom Sherrington	https://teacherhead.com/2020/03/16/rosenshine-masterclass-captured-free-cpd/
Research	Free access to EBSCO	Mygtcs – login – research - https://www.gtcs.org.uk/GTCS-login.aspx
Research	Resource library full of free research materials	https://evidence-based-education.thinkific.com/courses/resource-library
Safeguarding	Home Office Prevent training (anti-radicalisation)	https://www.elearning.prevent.homeoffice.gov.uk/
Safeguarding	Suicide Prevention	https://www.zerosuicidealliance.com/
SEN	Introducing British Sign Language	https://www.british-sign.co.uk/learn-online-british-sign-language-course/
SEN	Disability matters learning packages	https://www.disabilitymatters.org.uk/Catalogue/TileView
SEN	Understanding dyslexia	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/education/understanding-dyslexia/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
SEN	Understanding Autism	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/science-maths-technology/understanding-autism/content-section-overview?active-tab=description-tab

SEN	Dyslexia awareness part 1	https://education.microsoft.com/en-us/course/30a7b5e8/overview
SEN	Dyslexia awareness part 2	https://education.microsoft.com/en-us/course/4acb190d/overview
SEN	Addressing dyslexia - free online learning modules	http://addressingdyslexia.org/free-online-learning-modules
STEM	Managing the practical classroom in secondary science	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/managing-the-practical-classroom-secondary-science
STEM	Girls in STEM: closing the STEM gap	https://education.microsoft.com/en-us/course/c3c376f8/overview
STEM	Teaching Biology: inspiring students with plant science	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/teaching-biology-inspiring-students-with-plants-in-science
STEM	Curriculum design for secondary science	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/introduction-to-curriculum-design-secondary-science
STEM	Linking curriculum learning to STEM careers	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/linking-stem-curriculum-learning-to-careers
STEM	Teaching practical science - Chemistry	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/teaching-practical-science-chemistry
STEM	Inspiring young people in STEM	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/stem-volunteering-feedback
STEM	Teaching mathematics	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/teaching-mathematics/content-section-overview?active-tab=description-tab
STEM	Using visualisation in maths teaching	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/using-visualisation-maths-teaching/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
STEM	Maths subject knowledge: understanding numbers	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/maths-subject-knowledge-number
STEM	Maths subject knowledge: fractions, decimals and percentages	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/maths-subject-knowledge-fractions-decimals-and-percentages
STEM	Tinkering Fundamentals: a constructionist approach to STEM learning.	https://www.coursera.org/exploratorium
STEM	Maths subject knowledge: proportion, ratio and scaling	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/maths-subject-knowledge-proportion-ratio-scaling
Teaching and learning	DigiLearnScot Webinars	https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLiNisyhLitoAu3vQ4VI30czAATYchNcy0

Teaching and learning	Future Learn - How To Teach Online: Providing Continuity for Students	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/teach-online
Teaching and learning	Teaching for good behaviour	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/education-careers/teaching-good-behaviour/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Teaching and learning	Planning for learning: formative assessment	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/planning-for-learning
Teaching and learning	Inclusive education	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/inclusive-education
Teaching and learning	Mentoring student teachers	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/learning-teaching-mentoring-and-tutoring-student-teachers/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Teaching and learning	Facilitating learning in practice	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/health-sports-psychology/facilitating-learning-practice/content-section-overview?active-tab=description-tab
Teaching and learning	Teaching sustainable development goals	https://education.microsoft.com/en-us/course/72e17f8d/overview
Teaching and learning	Supporting successful learning in secondary school	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/supporting-learning-secondary
Teaching and learning	Evaluating school classroom discussion	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education/educational-technology-and-practice/educational-practice/evaluating-school-classroom-discussion/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Teaching and learning	Making Best Use of Teaching Assistants	https://www.tes.com/mycourses/courses/making-best-use-of-teaching-assistants-copy-872
Teaching and learning	Embedding employability skills in the curriculum	https://www.tes.com/institute/embedding-employability-skills-CPD
Teaching and learning	Transforming education in challenging environments	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/transforming-education
Teaching and learning	Teaching and learning tricky topics	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/learning/teaching-and-learning-tricky-topics/content-section-overview?active-tab=description-tab
Teaching and learning	Education for all: disability, diversity and inclusion	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/education-for-all
Teaching and learning	Differentiation for learning	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/differentiating-for-learning-stem
Teaching and learning	The science of learning	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/science-of-learning
Teaching and learning	Meeting the needs of diverse learners	https://education.microsoft.com/en-us/course/a41ac17d/overview

Teaching and learning	Leading blended professional learning	https://education.microsoft.com/en-us/course/38ba2124/overview
Teaching and learning	Looking globally: the future of education	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/looking-globally-the-future-education/content-section-overview?active-tab=description-tab
Teaching and learning	Dylan Wiliam online videos	https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAKYTMzYLHAEMEKqz_f00Wg/
Teaching and learning	Learning Creative Learning (LCL) six-week online course	https://learn.media.mit.edu/lcl/
Teaching and learning	Microsoft Educator Center	https://education.microsoft.com/en-us
Teaching and learning	Climate Change teacher free courses	https://unccelearn.org/educate/
The Arts	Becoming a better music teacher	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/becoming-a-better-music-teacher
The Arts	Teaching secondary music	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education/teaching-secondary-music/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
The Arts	Why teach art?	https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education/why-teach-art/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab
Working with refugees	Working supportively with refugees	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/cultural-mediation?utm_source=RakutenMarketing&utm_medium=Affiliate&utm_campaign=3287812:Human+Rights+Careers&
Working with refugees	Migrants and refugees in education: a toolkit for teachers	https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/migrants-and-refugees-in-education?

