SSAT’s National Forum for Neuroscience in Special Education

Annual Conference
The learning and neurodevelopmental needs of children born pre-term

A conference to bridge thinking and understanding between education and neuroscience across the school years

In every classroom there are now four children who have been born prematurely.

In the last decade the numbers of children born prematurely (e.g. before 36 weeks) has risen rapidly, and now stands at around 80,000 children per year.

These children, as one parent said, are ‘wired differently’: their learning patterns can be quite different. Research is showing this is particularly so in areas such as mathematics.

Schools and teachers need to be prepared to face this significant challenge. There is much to be resolved in how we teach these children, and indeed, how they learn.

This conference aims to provide a dialogue around the learning needs of children born prematurely. Our nationally and internationally renowned speakers, from the fields of education, psychology, and neuroscience, include:

- Dr Patricia Champion, MBE
- Professor Dieter Wolke
- Professor David Edwards
- Andy Cole, CEO of Bliss

Outcomes for participants

- Key information on the teaching and learning challenges presented by children born pre-term
- Insights into the neurodevelopmental needs of this group of children and the impact on the classroom
- Considering the curricular needs and emerging pedagogy for the learning style of these children
- Sharing innovative practice and emerging trends in this field
- An opportunity to create a ‘common language’ and consider 21st century strategies through discussion, debate and networking with colleagues from the field of education, psychology, therapies, nursing, medicine, paediatrics and the voluntary sector

Date: Thursday 31 January 2013

Venue: London

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Who should attend?
This conference is suitable for teachers, academics, health professionals, psychologists, students and parents.

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