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Y6 Teachers from Ipswich visit Hallsville

On Thursday 24th May, four Y6 teachers spent the morning at Hallsville to explore if 'Talk for Write' could and should be taught in Y6. With the pressure of outcomes do schools teach to the test and stick with what is working well or do they teach with a mastery approach?

At Hallsville we are committed to providing an enriching, challenging and questioning curriculum to all our pupils and especially the Y6. The Talk for Write Pedagogy not only teaches our pupils how but also why. The children have to get into the minds of real writers and make their own decisions based on intent and effect.

Hallsville is a Talk for Write training school. For further information
http://www.talk4writing.co.uk/training-centres/hallsville/

Y6 teachers from Ipswich discussing T4W and SATs.

Outstanding Teaching Programme

Hallsville once again hosted its annual 'Outstanding Teaching Programme'. This is a great programme for good teachers to explore a true understanding of what makes an outstanding practitioner. Delegates learn about coaching and mentoring. They have time to reflect on their practice as well as the opportunity to take part in learning 3's . Candidates also have frequent opportunities to visit classrooms at action at Hallsville.

If you are interested in finding out more look at
http://www.olevi.com/our-programmes/the-outstanding-teacher-programme-otp/

Nick Gibb congratulates Scott Wilkie

Well done to Scott Wilkie who received a letter from Nick Gibb because they were in the top 5% nationally for progress between KS1 and 2 in 2017. 'This is down to high expectations, consistency and hard work across the school', reported the Executive HT Keri Edge.

http://scottwilkie.newham.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/NickGibb-letter.pdf

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