

## Cambridgeshire Primary Heads Forum – Market Place

### ESPO

ESPO was originally established in 1981 and are now one of the country's largest professional buying organisation, managed by six member authority councils: Leicestershire County Council, Lincolnshire County Council, Cambridgeshire County Council, Norfolk County Council, Warwickshire County Council, and Peterborough City Council. We offer a comprehensive, one-stop shop solution to UK schools of over 27,000 catalogue products, 120 frameworks and bespoke procurement services, all with free support and advice available from our expert teams. On top of this, we offer a loyalty scheme which we run with the Sainsburys group called My School Fund. This is an exciting initiative that combines the spending power of parents, guardians, school/nursery staff and other individuals to help boost school and nursery budgets. It's free for schools and nurseries to register, and individuals connected to the school can earn cashback rewards on their behalf as well as pocketing some for themselves when they spend with participating retailers, including Sainsbury's and Argos.

### Grafham Water Centre



Grafham Water Centre (GWC) is a residential outdoor centre run by Cambridgeshire County Council, set against the stunning backdrop of Grafham Water Reservoir. The centre offers outdoor learning experiences for schools, individuals, and other organisations, and includes the option to stay over with 160 bed capacity at the centre in dormitory style rooms. Our Bell Tent Village was launched in Spring 2022 to provide comfortable outdoor residential space and accommodate more school visits. Alongside this we will provide high quality catering facilities able to provide breakfast, lunch and dinner to all dietary needs. The centre also has superb conference facilities for away days and meetings.

### Cambridgeshire & Peterborough Teaching School Hub



We support all Cambridgeshire and Peterborough schools, Trusts and settings in having the best professional development offer from the moment someone decides they want to train as a teacher and throughout their career.

What we deliver for schools:

- Initial Teacher Training with our partner organisations locally ( Cambridge Partnership, CTSN and Teach East)
- Provide appropriate body service for all schools to support induction
- Funded Early Career Framework development programme for all new teachers
- Delivery of National Professional Qualifications for school leadership ( fully funded for 23/24)
- Collaborative working with Curriculum Hubs, signposting opportunities
- Signposting wider CPD in our area responding to local needs.

Our approach is Collaborative/Personal/Transparent/Supportive and Humble. CPTSH

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## National Institute for Health and Care Research



The NIHR was established in 2006 to "create a health research system in which the NHS supports outstanding individuals, working in world-class facilities, conducting leading-edge research focused on the needs of patients and the public".

Since that time, we have transformed research in and for the NHS and helped to shape the health and social care research landscape more broadly.

Working in partnership with the NHS, universities, local government, other research funders, patients and the public, we fund, enable and deliver world-leading health and social care research that improves people's health and wellbeing and promotes economic growth.

We are funded by the Department of Health and Social Care. Our work focuses on early translational research, clinical research and applied health and social care research.

We are centred on England but collaborate closely with the devolved administrations in Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland. We are also a major funder of applied health research in low and middle income countries, work that is principally funded through UK aid from the UK government.

## Burwell House



Burwell House has been offering outdoor learning residentials and day courses for almost 60 years from its site between Newmarket and

Cambridge. Alongside this we are now working in partnership with Sacrewell Farm and Nene Valley Railway to offer the Stibbington Legacy. This outreach programme located currently in two venues close to the closed centre., offer adapted versions of its most popular courses. Come along and have a chat with the team about your residential and day visit needs, and maybe get a treat from the Burwell catering team.

## The ICT Service



The ICT Service is Cambridgeshire County Council's ICT advisory and support service for schools. Founded in 1995, the service has been a trading unit for the

Council since 2000, offering chargeable services to schools and settings in Cambridgeshire and beyond.

With an expert staff of over 40 we are well placed to offer the ICT support that schools need:

- Microsoft 365 and Google Gsuite for Education specialists
- Learning Technology Advice, Consultancy, Training and Support
- MIS/Finance Advice, Consultancy, Training and Support
- ICT Equipment, Installations and Upgrades
- Technical Consultancy, Advice and Support
- The ICT Service Helpline
- Online Safety
- Managed services such as Centrally Hosted SIMS and E-mail
- ICT in School Building Projects