



**Northumberland**  
County Council

## **Speech, Language and Communication Service Talk Boost Training Opportunities Academic Year 2024-25**

Many of you will be aware of the Talk Boost language intervention programmes, designed to improve the language and communication skills of language delayed children. These interventions are designed to equip school to support their learners as part of the graduated response.

We are pleased to announce that further training opportunities have been arranged for this academic school year, enabling more staff to be trained to deliver these evidence-based interventions.

Training is available for:

- Early Talk Boost, designed to support children aged 3-4 years
- Talk Boost KS1, designed to support children aged 4-7 years.
- Talk boost KS2,

### **How much does it cost?**

**No Talk Boost Intervention Pack in School for the Talk Boost Course you wish to attend**

Participants must have access to the relevant Talk Boost Intervention Pack at the time of the course delivery.

Talk Boost Intervention Packs can be purchased by us on your behalf from Speech and Language UK, the children's language charity.

Please inform HINT if an Intervention pack is required when you book your place.

### **Cost for Schools who have already purchased the relevant Talk Boost Intervention Pack**

Where a school has already purchased a Talk Boost Pack and wish to train additional staff to deliver the intervention the cost is £20 per delegate.

The charge is to cover the cost of the delegate book. The delegate books will be ordered from Speech and Language UK by ourselves on your behalf.

## Intervention Pack Prices & Contents

### Early Talk Boost Intervention Pack    £550 + £20 postage



- The Early Talk Boost Intervention Manual containing detailed group session plans and required resources
- 10 Jake & Tizzy Complete Sets (Titles 1-8) that have been specifically designed and written for the intervention
- Early Talk Boost Participant Book
- Tool Bag including all of the resources needed for intervention activities
- Access to the Online Tracker where progress can be monitored to support Pupil Premium

### Talk Boost KS1 Intervention Pack    £550 + £20 postage



- An Intervention Manual containing detailed group session plans and resources required
- A Teacher Manual that guides teachers in selecting the right children, tracking their progress and managing the overall operation of the groups
- 12 Children's Activity books to reinforce what has been taught in the group sessions
- Access to our Classroom Checklist, Online Tracker Tool and Child Attitude Survey to measure and analyse progress which supports Pupil Premium
- Access to the Communication Cookbook which contains fun activities to support children's language and communication
- Talk Boost KS1 Toolkit which contains a set of musical instruments, toys, and activity materials designed to make your Talk Boost KS1 sessions even more convenient

### Talk Boost KS2 Intervention Pack    £550 + £20 postage



The intervention pack includes:

- An Intervention Manual containing detailed group session plans and resources required
- A Teacher Manual that guides teachers in selecting the right children, tracking their progress and managing the overall operation of the groups
- An Organiser Box which contains pre-cut session cards that are designed to make your Talk Boost KS2 sessions even more convenient
- 12 Communication Detective Notebooks to reinforce what has been taught in the group sessions
- Access to the Online Tracker Tool to measure and analyse progress which supports Pupil Premium

## **Training Details**

All Training sessions are delivered face to face and will be held at:

### **Early Talk Boost:**

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2024      9:30 – 15:00 - **Northumbria House, Manor Walks, Cramlington, NE23 6UR**

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2025    9:30 – 15:00 - **Meadowdale Academy, Hazelmere Ave, Bedlington NE22 6HA**

### **Talk Boost KS1:**

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2024      9:30 – 16:00 - **Northumbria House, Manor Walks, Cramlington, NE23 6UR**

### **Talk Boost KS2:**

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2025      9:30 – 15:30 – **County Hall Conference Room 1**

Please contact [hint@northumberland.gov.uk](mailto:hint@northumberland.gov.uk) to book or if you have any queries or require further information.