



## Supporting children with English as an additional language in the classroom:

**Training for Teaching Assistants** 

This is a 11 week course which will take place at Sans Souci on a Thursday afternoon (commencing on  $2^{nd}$  May) , 1.30-3.30pm.

These are some of the themes and topics we will cover:

- An introduction to the principles of language acquisition
- Identifying EAL learners in your school
- Supporting new arrivals in school practical tips, resources and strategies
- Supporting more advanced learners of English as an additional language – practical tips, resources and strategies
- Refugees and asylum seekers
- Supporting literacy for pupils with EAL
- SEN or EAL distinguishing the difference

The course will encourage staff to share and reflect on their experiences.

The course will be run by the EAL Service teaching staff and will cost £500

To book a place, please email delegate name/school to inset@solihull.gov.uk

If you require more information please email Diane Winstone on <u>dwinstone@solihull.gov.uk</u>