

# The Elms EYFS Conference

**Foundations for Bright Futures** 



# Sat 9th March 2024

08.45-15.30

Join us for a CPD Conference on the role of Communication, Language and Physical Development for Early Years Practitioners.





Join us with your Early Years colleagues, for a CPD Conference on the role of Communication, Language and Physical Development. Spend a day on our beautiful campus at The Elms and hear inspiring talks and workshops from:



### Alice Sharp Keynote Speaker | Workshop Host

Alice Sharp is an Early Years Imagineer, Creator of Adventures with Alice, and Managing Director of Alice Sharp Ltd. Nationally and internationally recognised as using a dynamic and innovative approach to children. Alice uses an experiential approach in her role as early childhood influencer, keynote speaker, mum, and writer. She is waiting to uplift and inspire in a sensitive and thought-provoking way.



### Dr Julie Fisher Guest Speaker | Workshop Host

Dr Julie Fisher is an independent Early Years Adviser and Visiting Professor of Early Childhood Education at Oxford Brookes University. She has achieved a doctorate for her research into the changing role of early childhood educators and is also a recipient of the Nursery World Lifetime Achievement Award for her contribution to early childhood education.



## **Kym Scott** Guest Speaker | Workshop Host

Kym Scott is a freelance Early Years consultant and has over 15 years' experience working with schools and Early Years settings as School Improvement Adviser and Strategic Lead for Early Years. She now provides consultancy, training, workshops, and keynote speeches. Kym is especially passionate about the impact that positive relationships, quality interactions and play can have on a child's learning and life chances.



### Ben Kingstone-Hughes Workshop Host

Ben Kingston-Hughes is an international keynote speaker, author and multi award-winning trainer. He is the Managing Director of Inspired Children and has worked with vulnerable children for over 30 years. He has appeared on TV working on a variety of children's projects and his distinctive blend of humour, neuroscience and real-life practical experiences have made his training invaluable for anyone working with children.