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# INTRODUCTION

This report covers the academic year September 2021 - August 2022.

## ABOUT THE THAMES VALLEY LEARNING PARTNERSHIP (TVLP)

The Thames Valley Learning Partnership (TVLP) is an equal partnership of state and independent secondary-aged schools in Berkshire.

# Our aims include:

- Providing collaborative and informative experiences for secondary-aged students across a range of subjects, thereby providing a variety of learning opportunities and diversity in social and cultural engagement.
- Ensuring that staff across our schools are able to share their passion for their specialist subjects and good practice with one another, and exchange views about current educational issues.

### **OUR HISTORY**

The TVLP appointed a part-time Coordinator, Clare Matheson, in September 2019 to launch the TVLP and to create, develop and deliver a programme of events, networks, competitions and actions that would benefit students and staff at the schools in the partnership.

# TVLP CHAMPIONS

Each school has appointed a member of staff to act as a TVLP Champion, regularly liaising with the TVLP Coordinator and helping to arrange and promote TVLP events, competitions and networks within their school. In this academic year they were: Mike Gaffin (Beechwood School), Andrew Saunders (Eton College), Samantha Smith (Holyport College), Sarah Bellis, (The Langley Academy), Deborah Lombard, (Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College), Georgia Wellesley-Davies (St Joseph's Catholic High School), Andrew Smith (St Mary's School Ascot), & Elise Martin (The Windsor Boys' School).

### **OUR FOUNDING SCHOOLS**

The 8 schools that created the TVLP are:

Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport College, The Langley Academy, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School.

















All our schools are currently located in either the Royal Borough of Windsor & Maidenhead, or in the Borough of Slough.

### **NEW PARTNERS**

From September 2022, we will welcome 3 additional state-funded secondary schools. They are:

Herschel Grammar School. Lynch Hill Enterprise Academy. Windsor Girls' School.







# COVID-19 OVERVIEW

The spread of coronavirus (COVID-19) started to affect the UK in February 2020. The government advised self-isolation for anyone showing symptoms of infection. It also advised against large group gatherings. A number of lockdowns resulted.

As a result of the vaccination programme rollout, government restrictions were eased, allowing us to hold our first TVLP Student Leadership Conference at Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College in September 2021.

Towards the end of 2021, a new variant led to rising rates of infection.

In December 2021, face masks became compulsory in most public indoor venues. The TVLP Events Programme (which had been drafted with potential Covid regulations in mind), was largely unaffected.

On 24th February 2021, the government removed the legal requirement to self-isolate following a positive Covid test and also ended routine contact tracing. Close contacts who were fully vaccinated no longer had to test daily for 7 days, while unvaccinated close contacts were not required to self-isolate.

# 2021-22 KEY ACTIVITIES TIMELINE

# September 2021

- Start of the TVLP's third year.
- TVLP art competition launched.
- TVLP Student Leadership Conference, with pupils from all 8 TVLP schools in attendance.

# November 2021

- TVLP Nature Art competition posters displayed at Wexham Park Hospital.
- Planting of bulbs (TVLP Biodiversity Project)

# January 2022

- Creation of the TVLP student magazine, with contributions from all 8 TVLP schools.
- TVLP French Spelling Bee competition.

## March 2022

- TVLP Orwell Youth Prize writing workshop.
- TVLP Leadership Skills Course.
- Creation of the TVLP Instagram account.
- TVLP Personal Finance Workshop.

# June 2022

- TVLP Student Independence Day with stallholders, workshops and product freebies.
- TVLP Headteachers' meeting.
- Welcoming new schools.

## October 2021

- TVLP Water Sports Festival.
- TVLP cross-school trip to RHS Garden Wisley (Biodiversity Project)

## December 2021

- TVLP festive book giveaway.
- TVLP Biodiversity Booklet published.

# February 2022

- TVLP social media webinar series added to YouTube.
- TVLP World Book Day poster created.

# April 2022

 TVLP art volunteering day (willow sculptures).

# May 2022

- TVLP sports competition at Arbour Park Sports Stadium.
- Creation of TVLP Queen's Jubilee mini gardens at The Goswells in Windsor.

# TVLP STUDENT COMMITTEE

From September 2021 - May 2022, the TVLP Coordinator met regularly with members of the TVLP Student Committee. This comprised of 10 pupils including school Prefects, Head Boys and Head Girls from 6 of our schools: Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport College, St Mary's School Ascot, The Langley Academy, and The Windsor Boys' School.

Ways members of the TVLP Student Committee got involved in the partnership included:



### TVLP STUDENT MAGAZINE, 'EXPOSE'.

JANUARY 2022

### **TVLP STUDENT COMMITTEE PARTICIPANTS:**

- Brainstorming ideas at TVLP committee meetings.
- Content came from pupils and staff across all 8 TVLP schools, including 3 members of the committee.

WEBSITE LINK: tvlp.org.uk/magazine

## TVLP WEBINAR: WASTE MANAGEMENT

MARCH 2022

## **TVLP STUDENT COMMITTEE PARTICIPANT:**

• Joshua Askew, The Windsor Boys' School - Suggesting this event and delivering the introduction at the beginning of the live webinar.





### TVLP INSTAGRAM ACCOUNT

MARCH 2022

This resulted from feedback from TVLP Student Committee members. They stated that Twitter was mainly used by older adults, with secondary-aged students preferring other platforms like Instagram and TikTok.

## PROMOTION OF, AND PARTIPATION IN, TVLP COMPETITIONS & EVENTS

SEPTEMBER - MAY 2022

## TVLP STUDENT COMMITTEE PARTICIPANTS INCLUDED:

- Lara Thorneycroft, St Mary's School Ascot Recording an opening introduction for the TVLP speaker event, 'The Impact of Social Media on Future Careers', and entry to the TVLP Queen's Platinum Jubilee mini garden competition (Kitkin and a fellow student won this competition.)
- Joshua Askew, The Windsor Boys' School Suggesting a webinar (above), submitting content for the TVLP World Book Day poster and the 2022 TVLP student magazine, and completing the TVLP Leadership Skills Course.

# TVLP COMPETITIONS

### TVLP NATURE ART COMPETITION & EXHIBITION.

SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2021.

**WINNER**: Siyona Bhandari, Year 9 student at The Langley Academy.

RUNNERS-UP: Runner up entries from students at Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport College,

The Langley Academy, St Mary's School Ascot, & The Windsor Boys' School.

JUDGES: Run in conjunction with RHS Garden Wisley. **PRIZE**: £30 National Book Token & TVLP certificate. **EXHIBITION LOCATION:** Wexham Park Hospital.

WEBSITE LINK: tvlp.org.uk/nature-art

### **TVLP NATURE ART COMPETITION**



FIRST PLACE: Siyona Bhandari, Year 9, he Langley Academy.

SECOND PLACE: Scarlett Cardiff, Year 11, St Mary's School Ascot.



THIRD PLACE: Arabella Piggott, Year 9, Holyport College.

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### **TVLP NATURE ART COMPETITION**

#### COMMENDED ENTRIES: BEECHWOOD SCHOOL







COMMENDED ENTRIES: ETON COLLEGE.





## COMMENDED ENTRIES: THE LANGLEY ACADEMY









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## **TVLP NATURE ART COMPETITION**

#### COMMENDED ENTRIES: ST MARY'S SCHOOL ASCOT.











COMMENDED ENTRIES: THE WINDSOR BOYS' SCHOOL







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# TVLP FRENCH SPELLING BEE

WINNER:

JANUARY 2022.

Emilia Augustyn-Sharma (pictured), St Joseph's Catholic High School.

## **RUNNERS UP:**

George Hinxman, Holyport College. Arabella Piggott, Holyport College.

JUDGES: Modern foreign language teachers Elise Martin (The Windsor Boys' School), Sara Berber (St Joseph's Catholic High School) & Walter Boyle (Holyport College).

**PRIZE:** £30 National Book Token & TVLP certificate.



# TVLP COMPETITIONS











# TVLP QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE MINI GARDEN DESIGN COMPETITION

MARCH-MAY 2022.

### **WINNERS:**

Charley West, Holyport College. Kitkin Thorneycroft and Milly Handel, St Mary's School Ascot.

### **RUNNERS UP:**

Anbarasi Ramalingam, The Langley Academy. Ayah Hassan, The Langley Academy.

JUDGE & PLANT SPONSOR: Hillier Garden Centre Sunningdale.

**SCULPTURES:** Created by Eton College.

**LOCATION OF THE BEDS:** The Goswells, Windsor. **LAUNCHED BY** the Mayor of Windsor, Councillor Christine Bateson.

WEBSITE LINK: tvlp.org.uk/jubilee-competition

### TVLP 5-A-SIDE FOOTBALL COMPETITION

MAY 2022

**LOCATION:** Arbour Park Sports Stadium. WINNERS:

Beechwood School (Girls' team).

The Windsor Boys' School (Boys' team).

**PRIZE**: Trophies and medals provided by the TSI World Bees Ice Hockey Schools Programme. **CERTIFICATES:** TVLP participation certificates

provided to all student.

# TVLP GIVEAWAYS



TVLP FESTIVE BOOK GIVEAWAY
DECEMBER 2021.

### WINNER:

• Shreya Sookrah, Beechwood School. Shreya received all 4 books.

## **RUNNERS UP:**

- Eileen Zammit, Beechwood School.
- Hattie Kimberley, The Langley Academy. Both won a copy of *A Christmas Carol* by Charles Dickens.

**SPONSOR:** Melia Publishing Services.



# TVLP THEATRE TICKETS GIVEAWAY JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2022.

### WINNER:

• Almir Krasniqi, The Langley Academy.

**PRIZE:** 2 x tickets to the production *3 Steps to Heaven* at the Theatre Royal Windsor on Saturday 5th February 2022.

# TVLP BIODIVERSITY PROJECT



## **BIODIVERSITY BOOKLET**



Part of the TVLP Biodiversity Project, 2021.

# TVLP SCHOOL BIODIVERSITY IMPROVEMENTS: HOLYPORT COLLEGE

Four pupils from Helypert College attended the TVLP trip to RHS Garden Wisley on 16th September 2021. During this visit, they all completed a feedback from coulding the bloodwristy changes they would like to see a their school. These included the introduction of a liley pad to the school pond (flay, Fatima, & Peaches), a plank positioned by the side of the pond to help animals climb in and out (flay, Fatima, Peaches), the possible introduction of tadoples (Graze, Peaches), and more plants (Graze).

Following consultation with the school, the following items were ordered:

2 x Bird nest boxes. 1 x Water lily for the school pond

150 x Snowdrop bulbs. 60 x English bluebells.

Planting of the bulbs took place on 8th November 2021, with students (pictured below) planting these. The bird boxes were located at the

### Monitoring questions completed during planting:

How many other insects can you see in this area? 0
How many flowers can you see in this area? 0
How many flowers can you see in this area? 0





The website for Holyport College is www.holyportcollege.org.uk

### TVLP BIODIVERSITY PROJECT

SEPTEMBER 2020-JUNE 2021.

### **EDUCATIONAL VISITS:**

Beechwood School, Holyport College, and The Windsor Boys' School attended visits to RHS Garden Wisley, organised by the TVLP.

**PROJECT RESULTED FROM** the TVLP Pupil Premium (staff) Network in 2020-2021.

### **BIODIVERSITY IMPROVEMENTS AT:**

Beechwood School.

Holyport College.

The Langley Academy.

Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College. St Joseph's Catholic High School.

The Windsor Boys' School.

# ENVIRONMENTAL ARTICLES WRITTEN BY STUDENTS AT:

Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College. St Joseph's Catholic High School.

The Langley Academy.

**FUNDING RECEIVED FROM:** HMCK Charity. **WEBSITE LINK:** tvlp.org.uk/biodiversity



Our first TVLP trip to RHS Garden Wisley took place on 16th September 2021, as part of the TVLP Biodiversity Project, with a second visit on 5th October 2021, Publis from Beechwood School, Holwoort College, and The Windsor Boys' School attended.

Pupils took part in a formal workshop, led by RHS Garden Wisley's Secondary Education Facilitator, Charlotte Ashe. They learnt about different habitats, wildlife and plants, and had a guided tour of the new RHS Hilltop centre and surrounding gardens, which showcase biodiversity habitat including search ponels (see any day search ponels) and a massive wildlife and a massive wildlife and the search ponels (see a search ponels).

They also made wildflower seed bombs, which a number of the students stated was their favourite part of the day







Pictured above (left - right): Pupils from I ready to be taken back to the schools.



with many choosing to visit the the huge cathedral-like Glasshouse, covering the area of 10 tennis courts and rising to 12m (40ft) high. There they saw tree ferns, tall palms, Jush-leave creepers and dazzling flower displays, moving through three climatic zones; tropical, moist temperate and dry temperate.

ctured below: Students from Beechwood School photographed in front of the Glassi





he feedback received was overwhelmingly positive, with 100% stating they learnt something new and 95% stating they would recommend the trip a friend.

Information learnt as a result of these trips included facts about different habitats, detritovores & animals that use dead wood. nectar, bees, how plants reproduce, pollen and why it is needed.

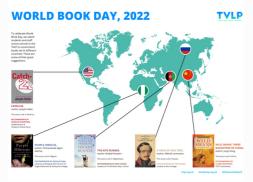
During the visit to RHS Garden Wisley, biodiversity improvements' pupils suggested making at their school included the introduction of insect hotel bird nest boxes, more flowers and wildflowers, pond improvements including the introduction of a water filly (for dragonflies), and the creation of a green wall.



I enjoyed "seeing the flowers, making a contribution, [and] gaining knowledg about plants." - Student from Beechwood School. "I learnt about which plants are best

"I learnt about which plants are best for pollination." - Student from The Windsor Boys' School.

# TVLP STAFF NETWORKS



### TVLP LIBRARIES NETWORK

**1ST EVENT**: TVLP Libraries Network meeting on 27th September 2021. **2ND EVENT:** TVLP Libraries Network meeting on 16th March 2022. **3RD EVENT:** Scheduled for 14th September 2022.

## **ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN AS A RESULT OF THIS NETWORK INCLUDE:**

- TVLP World Book Day speaker gained (Matt Whyman).
- TVLP World Book Day poster created.
- Over 200 books re-homed between TVLP schools.
- A shared 'recommended reading list' created.
- Shared information page on the TVLP website for network colleagues.

**NUMBER OF SCHOOLS REPRESENTED: 7** 



### TVLP BUSINESS & ECONOMICS NETWORK

**1ST EVENT**: TVLP Network meeting on 12th October 2021. **2ND EVENT:** TVLP Network meeting on 31st January 2022. **3RD EVENT**: TVLP Network meeting on 28th April 2022.

## **ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN AS A RESULT OF THIS NETWORK INCLUDE:**

- Holyport College opens their Economics Conference in May 2022 to other schools in the partnership.
- Opening up of Keynes Society talks at Eton College to partnership schools.
- Increased links with Royal Holloway: University of London created.

**NUMBER OF SCHOOLS REPRESENTED: 8** 



## TVLP CAREER EDUCATION NETWORK

**1ST EVENT**: TVLP Career Education Network meeting on 1st November 2021.

**2ND EVENT:** TVLP Career Education Network meeting on 25th January 2022.

**3RD EVENT**: TVLP Career Education Network meeting on

22nd March 2022.

## **ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN AS A RESULT OF THIS NETWORK INCLUDE:**

- Sharing of additional career speakers, open to partnership schools.
- Sharing of information including about tracking destination data.
- Discussing a future, shared careers event for students in March 2023.

**NUMBER OF SCHOOLS REPRESENTED: 6.** 

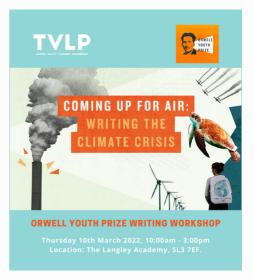
# TVLP EVENTS

The TVLP organised 14 events, plus 2 trips to RHS Garden Wisley and a planting day at The Goswells for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee mini gardens, which were promoted across the partnership (listed in Appendix 2 - TVLP Events). A selection of these are shown below. These were all free to attend and in addition to the events organised by individual TVLP schools.

Due to the excellent working relationship the TVLP Coordinator has with other ISSP Coordinator's across the country, and due to the wishes of the relevant speakers, the TVLP opened up 3 of their online events to other Independent State School Partnership's. Some of these ISSP's then responded by opening up one or more of their events to TVLP schools.















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# TVLP EVENTS



- Register via Eventbrite or via the TVLP website: tvlp.org.uk/upcoming-events
- **TVLP**
- CCDH #





Social Media

& Fake News













Thursday 10th February 2022 4.00pm - 5.00pm









**WORKSHOP** Includes information on payslips, student loans and pensions.

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# TVLP STUDENT ART VOLUNTEERING DAY

Do you want to volunteer 90 minutes of your time to help make 4 willow sculptures, to be homed on the grounds of the Thames Hospice garden in Maidenhead? If so, email info@tvlp.org.uk

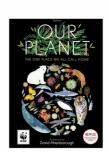
DATE: TUESDAY 26TH APRIL 2022. TIMES: 90 MINUTES SESSIONS AVAILABLE BETWEEN 9:00AM - 4:00PM. LOCATION: BEECHWOOD SCHOOL, SLOUGH, SL2 1QE. OPEN TO STUDENTS FROM TVLP SCHOOLS. TVLP.ORG.UK







# WORLD BOOK DAY AUTHOR TALK WITH MATT WHYMAN



Matt will talk about his new non-fiction book, *Our Planet:* The One Place We All Call Home. What inspired him to create it? How did he go about writing it? What advice does he have for budding writers?

TUESDAY 1ST MARCH 2022 9:00AM - 10:00AM

This is an online event. To register your interest in attending, email info@tvlp.org.uk

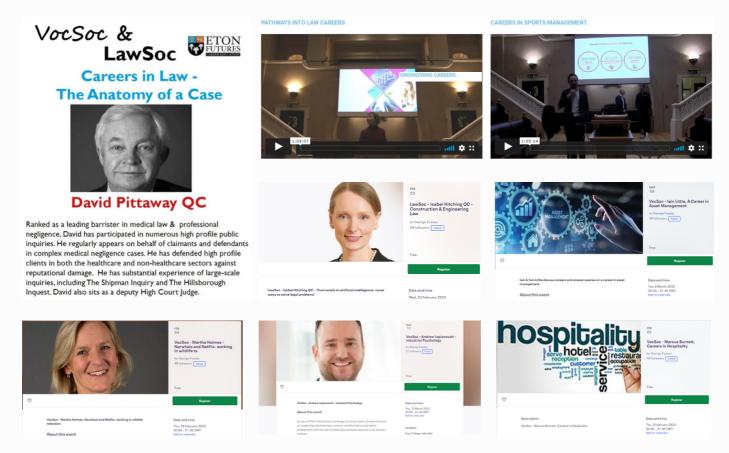






# TVLP PARTNER EVENTS

In addition to the events organised directly by the TVLP Coordinator, there were also a number of events organised by individual schools which were opened up to students and staff from other schools within the partnership. These were mainly speaker events covering a range of topics. Where career talks were recorded by the partner school, and the speaker(s) gave permission, these were edited by the TVLP Coordinator and put onto a password-protected TVLP website page for students and staff to access on-demand: tvlp.org.uk/career-videos. A selection of the partner events are shown below.





# ONLINE FINANCE SIMULATION WORKSHOP. JANUARY 2022.

77 students from Eton College, Holyport College, The Langley Academy, St Mary's School Ascot, St Joseph's Catholic High School, The Windsor Boys' School, and The Windsor Girls' School signed up to take part in a trading simulation offered by Amplify Trading on 25th January 2022. The two simulations allowed students to take on the role of an asset manager and an investment bank sales trader.

"It was a fast-paced and thoroughly enjoyable experience even if it was a bit stressful! It was very useful to see what a career in investment banking or asset management may look like and I hope to be able to participate in more experiences like it in the future. "- Student from The Windsor Boys' School.

# TVLP PARTNER EVENTS

# Universities, Courses & Personal Statements



A space to explore, research, plan, draft, and chat about the application process

# ENGINEERING & DESIGN UNIVERSITIES EVENT AT ETON COLLEGE. JANUARY 2022.

Students from Eton College, Holyport College, St Mary's School Ascot, and The Windsor Boys' School attended.

"Thank you very much for hosting the engineering and design event last night. I really enjoyed the evening and appreciate your insight. My friends and I look forward to any similar events in the future." - Claudia, student at St Mary's School Ascot.

"Last night was a great success which was clearly appreciated by the visitors as well as the boys. Thank you for helping to publicise the event!" - Oliver Cooper, Master, Design, Eton College.

## INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY EVENT

Tuesday 8th March 2022, 2.00pm - 6.00pm



There will be a live programme of visiting speakers, seminars, workshops, a festival of dance, drinks and nibbles.

# INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY AT ST MARY'S SCHOOL ASCOT. MARCH 2022.

This was attended by students from The Langley Academy.

"Thank you so much for such an outstanding day. My girls were a little bit intimidated/anxious when they first arrived... but they soon realised what a friendly welcome they were receiving and all got so much out of the afternoon. It is so important for students from disadvantaged backgrounds to be exposed to high standards and aspirations and to be inspired by that. Some comments from the students on the way home: Very inspirational, Opened up great conversations, It was a welcoming and friendly environment, We felt listened to, Heard a huge variety of different opinions." - Sarah Smart, Family Liaison Officer, The Langley Academy.



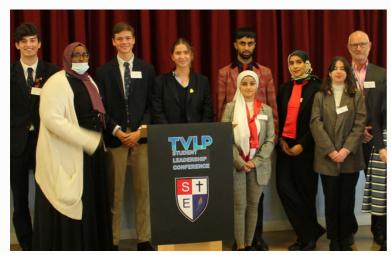
### DYSON PROTOTYPE CHALLENGE AT ETON COLLEGE. MAY 2022.

This was attended by students from Holyport College, Slough & Eton Church of England Business & Enterprise College, Eton College, and St Joseph's Catholic High School.

"I really enjoyed it, and it gave me the experience of working in a real workplace environment, as well as working with a team, using improvisation to work in the set time given. I would really enjoy a similar event in the future. It was definitely worth it." - Student from St Joseph's Catholic High School.

# TVLP EVENT FEEDBACK

### TVLP STUDENT LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE





DATE: 29th September 2021.

**LOCATION:** Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College. **SCHOOLS IN ATTENDANCE**: Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport

College, The Langley Academy, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise

College. St Joseph's Catholic High School, St Mary's School Ascot, & The

Windsor Boys' School.

114 feedback forms were gained.

75% felt more able to bring their ideas to life as a result of this event. 69% felt they were a better leader as a result of this event.

# STUDENT COMMENTS INCLUDED:

"Awesome experience. I gained knowledge on leadership that I didn't know before", "A positive and constructive experience that had a big impact on my leadership skills", "It pushed me to better myself & improve as a leader, "It was great meeting new people" and "Very enjoyable."

# COMMENTS FROM ROSIE PASSMORE, SIXTH FORM ACADEMIC MENTOR AT THE LANGLEY ACADEMY INCLUDED:

"[Our students] had the best time networking with students from other schools...I think this was a truly amazing and worthwhile event...In the mini bus on the way back, they were constantly talking about people they had met, contacts they had gained, the fun ice-breakers that they can use for their own projects, and how beneficial this will be for future Prefects and Student Leadership Team members."

# COMMENTS FROM DEBORAH LOMBARD, TVLP CHAMPION AT SLOUGH & ETON C OF E BUSINESS & ENTERPRISE COLLEGE INCLUDED:

"Students at Slough and Eton are still buzzing about the event. They loved the workshops, meeting students from other schools and wanted to know when the next event is!"

# TVLP EVENT FEEDBACK

#### TVLP ORWELL YOUTH PRIZE WRITING WORKSHOP



DATE: 10th March 2022

**LOCATION:** The Langley Academy.

**SCHOOLS IN ATTENDANCE**: Eton College, The Langley Academy, St Joseph's Catholic High School, St Mary's School Ascot, & The Windsor Boys' School. 30 feedback forms were gained. Answers from these are outlined below.

# COMMENTS FROM STUDENTS AT THE LANGLEY ACADEMY INCLUDED:

"It has been an amazing opportunity...I got the chance to meet some amazing people [and] make some awesome friends from multiple schools at Eton College and The Windsor Boys' School", "The activities were interesting", "[It was] very helpful, educational and entertaining" & "I felt like today allowed me to explore my creativity."

## COMMENTS FROM STUDENTS AT ETON COLLEGE INCLUDED:

"It was very inspiring", "It was great.. very enjoyable", "I learnt a lot about Orwell", "It was fulfilling" & "I felt I learnt a lot from this workshop."

# COMMENTS FROM STUDENTS AT ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL INCLUDED:

"[It was] really interesting, helpful and informative", "[I was] well informed on how to expand [my] writing", & "[It was] an interesting opportunity."

# TVLP EVENT FEEDBACK

### TVLP ART VOLUNTEERING DAY (WILLOW SCULPTURES)



**DATE:** 26th April 2022.

LOCATION: Beechwood School.

SCHOOLS IN ATTENDANCE: Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport

College, and The Langley Academy.

CHARITY PARTNER: Thames Hospice. The sculptures are now on display at

their hospice in Maidenhead, overlooking Bray Lake.

19 feedback forms were gained. Answers from these are outlined below.

### COMMENTS FROM STUDENTS & STAFF AT BEECHWOOD SCHOOL INCLUDED:

"I enjoyed meeting new people and learning a new skill", "It was incredibly interesting to learn", "It was really fun", "I enjoyed the weaving and seeing the outcome" and "Please can we do more events like this?"

## COMMENTS FROM STUDENTS AT HOLYPORT COLLEGE INCLUDED:

[It was] a fun group team building experience", "It was for a good cause."

## COMMENTS FROM STUDENTS AT THE LANGLEY ACADEMY INCLUDED:

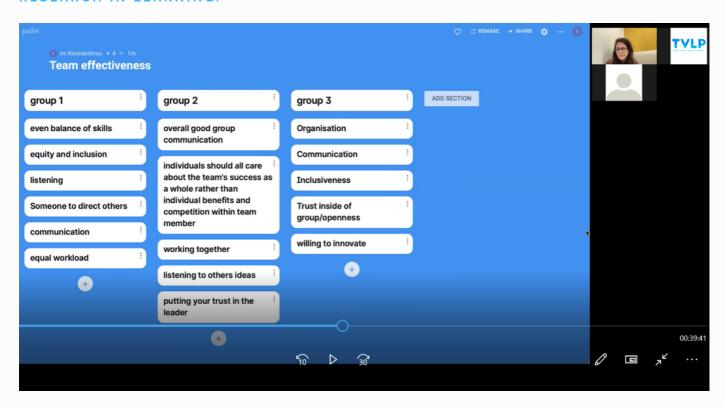
"I enjoyed having the opportunity to do something unique and fun", "[I enjoyed] giving back to the community", "[I enjoyed] learning new skills" and "I liked the team working environment where students and teachers worked together while learning new skills".

# COMMENTS FROM ANITA SPIRES, HEADTEACHER AT BEECHWOOD SCHOOL:

"Thank you so much for organising such an inspirational day. Our students all benefited so much from it."

# TVLP EVENT FEEDBACK

TVLP LEADERSHIP SKILLS COURSE,
LED BY DR IRO KONSTANTINOU AT THE TONY LITTLE CENTRE FOR INNOVATION &
RESEARCH IN LEARNING.



DATE: 3 x weekly 1 hour sessions in March 2022.

LOCATION: Online (Zoom meetings).

NUMBER OF STUDENTS THAT PASSED THE COURSE: 17.

10 feedback forms were gained. Answers from these are outlined below.

WOULD YOU RECOMMEND THIS COURSE? YES: 10 (100%) including one pupil that recommended it be held in-person next time. DID YOU LEARN ANYTHING FROM THIS COURSE? YES: 10 (100%). IF 'YES', WHAT?

"[I learnt] the qualities that I need to improve in order to develop as a better leader" - Student at St Mary's School Ascot.

"[I learnt] how an effective team can be created, especially the ideas of having a psychological safety net and a common goal where everyone benefits individually. I also had the chance to do some personal reflection". - Student at Eton College.

"I have learnt many characteristics that I will build upon within myself to become a better leader." - Student at Holyport College.

# TVLP EVENT FEEDBACK

### TVLP QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE MINI GARDENS.



Pictured above: The Mayor of Windsor with the TVLP Coordinator and students from 6 schools in the TVLP. Photos of the completed mini gardens.

**DATE:** March - April 2022 (TVLP design competition), May 2022 (Creation of the beds.)

LOCATION: The Goswells (public park), Windsor.

# SCHOOLS INVOLVED:

- 1. Eton College: Constructing the wooden beds on site at The Goswells and making the horse shoe sculptures.
- 2. Holyport College: Winning student design for one of the beds.
- 3. Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College: Student design submitted to the competition.
- 4. St Joseph's Catholic High School: Student design submitted to the competition and assisting with the planting.
- 5. St Mary's School Ascot: Winning student design for one of the beds.
- 6. The Langley Academy: Two shortlisted student designs, plus those students assisting with the planting.
- 7. The Windsor Boys' School: Students assisting with adding the top soil to one of the beds.

# TVLP EVENT FEEDBACK

#### TVLP QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE MINI GARDENS CONTINUED.



## PARTNER ORGANISATIONS:

- Royal Borough of Windsor & Maidenhead: Giving us permission to create the beds at this prestigious location and maintaining the beds.
- Hillier Garden Centre Sunningdale: Judging the student competition entries and donation of the plants.

## STUDENT & STAFF COMMENTS:

"It was really nice.. to help plant and to be in the photos. It is something I'll be proud of for the rest of my life. And to meet Rebecca [a student at St Joseph's Catholic High School], she gave me her number so we could stay in touch." - Anbarasi, student at The Langley Academy.

"We just wanted to say a big thank you for such an exciting opportunity." - Milly and Kitkin, students at St Mary's School Ascot.

Describing the final planting: "That is absolutely perfect - even better than I expected! Thank you so much." - Kitkin, student at St Mary's School Ascot.

"We called in to see the raised beds - a great initiative! The boys enjoyed being involved." - Kevin Ross, Master, Design, Eton College.

"This is marvellous! I will certainly pop in to see the gardens." - Graham Barker, Chairman of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee 2022 Committee.

# TVLP EVENT FEEDBACK

### TVLP 5-A-SIDE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT.









**DATE:** 23rd May 2022.

LOCATION: Arbour Park Sports Stadium, Slough.

**SCHOOLS IN ATTENDANCE:** Beechwood School, Holyport College, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, The Windsor Boys' School.

46 feedback forms were gained. Answers from these are outlined below.

**DID YOU ENJOY THIS EVENT?** YES: 42 (91%) NO: 2 (4%) NO ANSWER: 2 (4%) **WOULD YOU RECOMMEND THIS EVENT?** YES: 36 (78%). NO: 0. MAYBE: 9 (19%). NO ANSWER: 1 (2%)

"The environment was really welcoming and it was a nice, friendly competition. I will definitely be coming back if invited", "[I enjoyed] the atmosphere of being out with friends and playing sport together" - Students at Holyport College.

"[It was] fun and engaging" - Student at St Joseph's Catholic High School.

"I had fun. [It was] good team building" - Student at St Joseph's Catholic High School.

# STAFF FEEDBACK

## TVLP LIBRARIES NETWORK

"Clare is always very helpful and has some great ideas. I have enjoyed the meetings so far. Everyone is very friendly." Most useful part of the network: "Meeting colleagues from other member schools, getting different ideas visiting other schools and getting an idea of how they work." - Majella Higgins, Librarian, St Joseph's Catholic High School.

"I think it is a useful network and particularly for myself, as a non-librarian but English teacher to hear about how other libraries work and are used. I would be keen to keep attending these meetings." Most useful part of the network: "Sharing ideas for Library activities. Library tours of other schools." - David Richards, St Mary's School Ascot.

Most useful part of the network: "Exchanging ideas and finding out what others use/are members of that could also be of benefit to our school." - Alix Malaj, Learning Resource Centre Assistant, Sixth Form Support & Sixth Form Library, The Langley Academy.

"[We are] incredibly grateful for the books you have shared with us [as a result of the TVLP Libraries Network]" - Rachel Harding, Student Welfare Manager, Holyport College.

### TVLP CAREER EDUCATION NETWORK

"Working in Careers Education is generally a rather solitary role. It has been good to meet with like-minded professionals, particularly George and Cathy who are much further down the careers road than myself. Students have benefited hugely from the talks at Eton and feedback from both students and parents has been excellent." Most useful part of the network: "Being invited to their careers talks/webinars, being able to draw upon George and Cathy's expertise in careers, sharing information/ideas and meeting other professionals" - Sally Ingels, Careers Adviser, The Windsor Boys' School.

"I did find the network useful in terms of discussing career education ideas with fellow professionals. I enjoyed the face to face meetings with the other schools visiting us at Eton. There were useful discussions that took place. The online meetings were less successful. I look forward to building on what we have achieved with the network in the Autumn." - Cathy McKenna, Deputy Director of Career Education, Eton College.

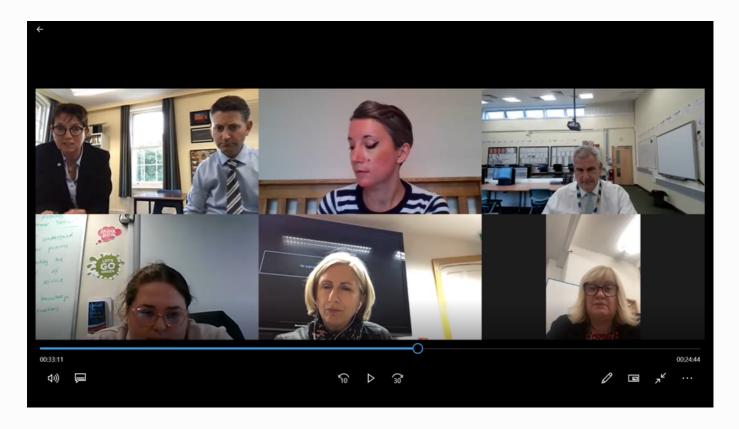
Most useful part of the network: "I met two state school careers coordinators and plan to work with them on work experience and careers fairs" - Walter Boyle, Founding Head Master, Holyport College.

# STAFF FEEDBACK

### TVLP BUSINESS & ECONOMICS NETWORK

"It would help schools if trips could offer more places. Only having a few places makes the trip difficult to justify due to the staffing requirements. I am sure that the network will strengthen now that we are able to meet in person. Thanks for all your hardwork and support." Most useful part of the network: "Being able to meet and network with other colleagues. Was able to listen to what others were doing and how they were addressing issues we have all been facing." - Andrew Lazarevic, HOD of Business, Beechwood School.

"I know how hard it is to teach and get the day job done, but there is a trade off... between investing in CPD (meetings) and having to work less to get good grades. I think Clare does an amazing job, is ruthless with organisation and extremely positive. I wonder if rather than let the meetings drip through the year, and teachers drive the agenda, we could go for a 50 / 50 [and] pencil 2 or 3 key events per subject...This also allows teachers to' teach' around the event and use it as an enrichment component etc." Most useful part of the network: "Meeting others, coming together and sharing ideas, especially in tough times!" - Carol Cornell, Head of Economics, Holyport College.



# **EXTERNAL FUNDING**

### EXTERNAL FUNDING FOR THE TVLP BIODIVERSITY PROJECT



£498.95 was gained from HMCK Charity in May 2021, following the suggestion of a TVLP biodiversity project at a TVLP Pupil Premium Network staff meeting.

The money was put towards the cost of TVLP school trips for pupils selected by Pupil Premium staff leads to RHS Garden Wisley in the 2021 Autumn term, as well as towards the costs of implementing biodiversity improvements identified by students.

A TVLP biodiversity booklet was created and follows a TVLP World Environment Day speaker webinar on 8th June 2021, with content created by TVLP school pupils. You can read it here: **tvlp.org.uk/biodiversity** 

# MARKETING

## 11 TVLP NEWSLETTERS



## 1 TVLP STUDENT MAGAZINE.



# **NEWSPAPER ARTICLES COVERING 2 TVLP EVENTS**



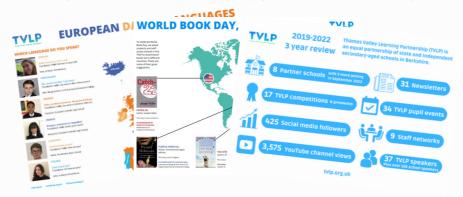
### **4 TVLP YOUTUBE VIDEOS**



# 1 TVLP END OF YEAR VIDEO



## 2 TVLP STAFF NETWORK POSTERS & 1 INFOGRAPHIC POSTCARD



## A TVLP INSTAGRAM ACCOUNT



# **APPENDIX 1: TVLP STAFF MEETINGS**

EVENT	DATE	SCHOOLS THAT ATTENDED
TVLP Champions' meeting.	22nd September 2021.	Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport College, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, The Windsor Boys' School.
TVLP Libraries Network meeting.	27th September 2021.	The Langley Academy, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College, St Joseph's Catholic High School., St Mary's School Ascot.
TVLP Head Teachers' meeting.	4th October 2021.	Beechwood School, Eton College, The Langley Academy, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School.
TVLP Business & Economics Network meeting.	12th October 2021.	Beechwood School, ton College, Holyport College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School.
TVLP Career Education Network meeting.	1st November 2021.	Beechwood School, Eton College, The Windsor Boys' School.
TVLP Champions' meeting.	9th December 2021.	Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport College, The Langley Academy, St Mary's School Ascot, The
TVLP Career Education Network.	25th January 2022.	Windsor Boys' School.  Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport College, The Windsor Boys' School.
TVLP Business & Economics Network meeting.	31st January 2022.	Eton College, Holyport College, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College, St Mary's School Ascot,
TVLP Champions' meeting.	8th February 2022.	Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport College, St Joseph's Catholic High School. St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School.
TVLP Libraries Network.	16th March 2022.	Holyport College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, St Mary's School Ascot, The Langley Academy,
TVLP Career Education Network meeting.	22nd March 2022.	Eton College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, The Langley Academy, The Windsor Boys' School.
TVLP Business & Economics Network meeting.	28th April 2022.	Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport College, St Mary's School Ascot.
TVLP Champions' meeting.	28th April 2022.	Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport College, The Langley Academy, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School.
TVLP Champions' meeting.	6th June 2022.	Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport College, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School
TVLP Headteachers' meeting.	13th June 2022.	Beechwood School, Eton College, Herschel Grammar School, Holyport College, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School, Windsor Girls' School.

# **APPENDIX 2: TVLP EVENTS**

EVENT	DATE	SCHOOLS THAT ATTENDED/PARTICIPATED
1. TVLP trip to RHS Garden Wisley (1 of 2). Part of the TVLP Biodiversity Project,	16.09.2021	Holyport College.
2. TVLP Student Leadership Conference. Hosted by Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College.	29.09.2021	All 8 TVLP schools.
3. TVLP trip to RHS Garden Wisley (2 of 2).	04.10.2021	Beechwood School, The Windsor Boys' School.
4. TVLP Water Sports Festival for Year 9 pupils. Hosted by Eton College (at Dorney Lake).	05.10.2021	Beechwood School, Holyport College, The Langley Academy, St Joseph's Catholic High School.
5. TVLP speaker event: Kevin Gaskell, Former MD of Porsche & BMW GB. Hosted by Beechwood School.	08.11.2021	Beechwood School, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College.
6. TVLP webinar: 'Tackling Trolling & Online Hate' with Imran Ahmed, CEO of CCDH and trustee of the UK charity, Victim Support.	19.01.2022	Eton College, The Windsor Boys' School.
7. TVLP webinar: 'Social Media & Fake News', with Carl Jones, Senior Lecturer in Advertising at the University of Westminster in London.	08.02.2022	The Langley Academy, Eton College, Holyport College, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College.
8. TVLP webinar: 'The Impact of Social Media on Future Careers', with George Fussey, Director of Career Education at Eton College.	10.02.2022	Eton College, Holyport College, St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School.
9. TVLP World Book Day author speaker, Matt Whyman.	01.03.2022	Holyport College, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College, St Joseph's Catholic High School.
10. TVLP Leadership Skills Course for students: 4 x 1hr sessions.	March 2022	Eton College, Holyport College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School, Windsor Girls' School.
11. TVLP Orwell Youth Prize writing workshop. Hosted by The Langley Academy.	10.03.2022	Eton College, The Langley Academy, St Joseph's Catholic High School, St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School.
12. Personal finance workshop with Elent. Hosted by St Joseph's Catholic High School.	16.03.2022	St Joseph's Catholic High School, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College.
13. TVLP speaker event with Richard Scudamore CBE, Former Executive Chairman of the English Premier League. Hosted by The Langley Academy.	23.03.2022	The Langley Academy.
14. TVLP waste management webinar with Grundon.	31.03.2022	The Langley Academy, St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School,
15. TVLP art volunteering day with Willowtwisters. Hosted by Beechwood School.	26.04.2022	Beechwood School, Eton College, Holyport College, The Langley Academy.
16. TVLP 5-a-side football competition at Arbour Park Sports Stadium, with entertainment from the TSI World Bees Ice Hockey Schools Programme. Hosted by St Joseph's Catholic High School.	23.05.2022	Beechwood School, Holyport College, Slough & Eton C of E Business & Enterprise College, St Joseph's Catholic High School, The Windsor Boys' School.
17. Creation of the TVLP Queen's Platinum Jubilee mini gardens at The Goswells, Windsor.	25.05.2022 - 26.05.2022	Eton College, Holyport College, The Langley Academy, St Joseph's Catholic High School. St Mary's School Ascot, The Windsor Boys' School.
18. TVLP Student Independence Day. Hosted by St Joseph's Catholic High School.	22.06.2022	Herschel Grammar School, Holyport College, St Joseph's Catholic High School.

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