

## ECF/ECT Bulletin

**Module 1:** Enabling Pupil Learning

**Week:** 5: Understanding Pupils as Learners, w/b 4.10.21

### Key events/meetings this week:

No external events but weekly mentor meeting.

Many thanks to our facilitators for the quality of the sessions they have led over the past two weeks. We are very fortunate to have a team of expert 'ambassadors' working with us on the ECF programme.

### ECT Self Study Actions (to be completed prior to your mentor meeting):

This week you are required to reflect on pupils' resilience, self-regulation and motivation in a class that you teach. There are some **practical exercises** where you are required to write vignettes for two pupils in your class. The purpose of this activity is to encourage you to consider in some detail how your pupils vary as individuals and how this has implications for your teaching.

Bring your descriptions and notes from this session to your next mentor meeting. Be ready to discuss your ideas for intervening with pupils with your mentor.

### Mentor Meeting Key Actions:

**Discuss** the vignettes drafted by your ECT (see above)

**Collaborative planning** to plan approaches to improving pupils' resilience, self-regulation and motivation.

**Rehearsal** (*as appropriate*) of strategies to be put into practice.

Please do ensure that time is put aside each mentor meeting where a conversation can be had about health and wellbeing, the curriculum, assessment, academy calendar etc.

### Additional Information:

ECTs and Mentors, please ensure that you have you been completing your Progress Tracker and Learning Log. These can be found in your gateways on UCLeXtend. They should be used to record learning and mark progress. These should be shared with your Induction Tutor so they can confirm to UCL that you are engaged on the programme. A note from UCL: *The learning log and progress tracker is for your internal use, and you can adapt it for your own conditions.*

In the final week of this module (week 7) there will be an End of Module Completion form to fill in. UCL have assured us that this will take no more than 5 minutes to complete and will appear in your gateways at the start of week 7. It is important that we are aware of any problems you have accessing the platform so that these can be resolved ahead of week 7. See note below.

**A reminder:** Moving forwards, please can mentors and ECTs use the UCLeXtend Platform to access all reading materials. If you are having problems accessing the site, please flag this with Induction Tutors. Remember to scroll to the bottom of the screen on first login to accept the privacy settings: [UCL Extend: Sign in to the site](#)

If you don't have an email from UCL, try and use the 'forgotten your password?' button and enter your school email address.