

# TYPICAL TEACHERS' COMMENTS FROM DR MARK'S PRIMARY & SECONDARY INSPIREscience™ AND INSPIREmaths™ CPD COURSES

## Comments about Course Content:

*"Excellent – lots of good ideas"*

*"Excellent – very inspiring"*

*"An excellent day, fulfilled and surpassed expectations"*

*"Very inspiring course"*

*"Brilliant – very inspiring"*

*"A wonderful inspiring day"*

*"Inspiring, practical ideas which I will use in the classroom"*

*"Can't wait to show the rest of my staff and try them out on the pupils"*

*"Lots of inspiring ideas"*

*"Exceeded my expectations – above and beyond"*

*"Very informative and practical. Easy to use"*

*"Excellent and I am very keen to start using ideas straight away"*

*"Excellent ideas for using in the classroom. Will definitely use a lot of it"*

*"Great – good ideas that I can use"*

*"Good ideas – interesting for a range of classes"*

*"Just what I need! I shall start tomorrow!"*

*"Good ideas to use back in the classroom with all age and ability groups"*

*"All good and useful"*

*"Very good – lots of ideas suitable for classroom use"*

*"Entertaining & full of material which I can see being used..."*

*"...interesting ideas to liven up lessons"*

*"Interesting – will definitely try it..."*

*"very useful, interesting, but especially for uses outside in the real world"*

*"Very suitable for High School teachers to inspire and entertain pupils"*

*"Lots of fantastic ideas and resources to use immediately!"*

*"WOW! I feel totally inspired! So many brilliant ideas to take back to school"*

*"The time went really quickly – always a good indicator"*

*"A super day with fantastic practical ideas which I shall take back to share with colleagues"*

*"Good to have practical, fun activities which I know will engage pupils and develop their naturally enquiring minds further. Brilliant!"*

*"Fantastic ideas"*

*"Every activity was fun and thought provoking, I will definitely use them"*

*"Excellent range of activities"*

*"Lots of background knowledge and analogies to real-life situations"*

*"A really enjoyable day full of inspiring ideas to take back to school"*

*"Stimulating, informative, challenging and USEFUL! A rare combination!"*

*"A fantastic INSET, Excellent! The best INSET I have ever had!"*

*"FANTASTIC! The best course ever, fun and very inspiring!"*

*"Fantastic, very interesting"*

*"Excellent. Very entertaining and useful"*

*"Very enjoyable session – lots of ideas to try in nursery. Thanks."*

*"Excellent ideas demonstrated – lots of new ideas for use in the classroom. Just what we need."*

*"Enjoyed the hands-on and the simple language. Will recommend."*

*"I am sure we will have lots of fun, learning and enjoyment from this."*

*"Excellent, really enjoyed the course. The children are in for a good time."*

*"Fantastic! What fun! WOW!"*

*"Lots of ideas to take back and try out in different year groups and share with staff."*

*"Excellent! Thoroughly enjoyable – have got some great ideas now to stimulate children's questioning!"*

*"Lots of fantastic ideas especially in a climate of developing thinking skills. Fantastic"*

*"Plenty of ideas for activities that were practical and could easily be used in the classroom, across the whole Primary age range."*

*"The course was planned and presented really well. Full of information and ideas..."*

*"...Practical, tried and tested ideas for use in the Early Years."*

*"...Very useful day. I just hope that I can convey science with the same amount of enthusiasm..."*

*"Practical, simple investigations, ideas which can be used with pupils with severe learning difficulties. Ideas presented were clear and well explained...An enjoyable day!"*

*"A hands-on course rather than a sit-down lecture. Worth recommending to others!"*

*"Good pace, relaxed atmosphere, fun content!"*

## Comments about Dr Mark's Teachers' Resources:

*"Excellent resources"*  
*"Superb, fully detailed"*  
*"Look great and brilliantly laid out. Great to have CDROM too. Thanks!!"*  
*"Great – will share with colleagues to use in class"*  
*"Very well presented and well done"*  
*"Very good activities"*  
*"Enables me to put ideas into practice without too much effort"*  
*"Well set out and easily copiable"*  
*"Looking forward to using it in the classroom"*  
*"...a good demonstration how simple ideas can be expanded to incorporate more complex thinking."*  
*"The take-away copiable materials and notes were much appreciated."*

## Comments about the quality of the 'Dr Mark's' presentation style:

*"Excellent"*  
*"Inspiring"*  
*"Motivational"*  
*"Fantastic"*  
*"Dr Mark was fantastic to listen to. He was enthusiastic and inspiring"*  
*"Time flew by as I was completely inspired by the style & delivery"*  
*"Very inspiring, enjoyable and entertaining"*  
*"Very knowledgeable, amusing and well-paced"*  
*"Humorous, relaxed and informative"*  
*"Couldn't have better or more inspiring"*  
*"Interesting & enjoyable"*  
*"Good fun, entertaining and informative"*  
*"Excellent – well delivered, amusing and inspiring"*  
*"Excellent, exciting and stimulating"*  
*"Excellent, very entertaining"*  
*"Excellent! Clear, friendly and informative"*  
*"Engaging and interesting"*  
*"Good – very relaxed. Made day enjoyable"*  
*"Lively and clear"*  
*"Very good – easy to understand"*  
*"Very good – full of enthusiasm"*  
*"Very informal and enjoyable"*  
*"...of a high standard"*  
*"Understands the teachers' point of view"*  
*"Good involvement of us, clear explanations of how to develop in class and explain to pupils"*  
*"Very good and easy to listen to"*  
*"Very good, clear and easily understood..."*  
*"Nicely broken up to keep interest"*  
*"...brilliant, informative and exciting"*  
*"Lively and humorous with excellent levels of knowledge"*  
*"a fun, knowledgeable, down-to-earth speaker who held my attention all day"*  
*"Very easy, amusing style and good delivery"*  
*"Excellent – presented in a clear, fun way; obviously has loads of background knowledge"*  
*"Excellent speaker – passionate, informative and dynamic"*  
*"Brilliant!"*  
*"Excellent knowledge and friendly"*  
*"He really knows his stuff as well as children"*  
*"Friendly, non-threatening & confident"*  
*"Excellent approach – Easy to listen to, interesting and exciting"*  
*"Great delivery – fun and clear, which contributed to the enjoyment."*  
*"He was excellent, thorough, and teacher-friendly"*  
*"Very entertaining. His fun style has made the day go by very quickly"*  
*"Very knowledgeable with an easy manner"*  
*"Clearly someone who is accustomed to talking to pupils...this gave the material more credibility"*