



# The Neale-Wade Community College

*A Mathematics & Computing Specialist College*

Wimblington Road, March, Cambs, PE15 9PX

Principal: Tim Hitch

## Flash training day

### Thursday 6th July 2006

#### Overview

A training day led by Neale-Wade Community College to show fellow teachers how to make effective use of the Flash authoring tool.

The course is suitable for those who have never used Flash before or for those who would like to extend their skills further. A detailed overview of the day is included on the following two pages.

#### Cost

As this is Neale-Wade's first ICT training course we are delighted to offer special introductory pricing.

If you book **before 20<sup>th</sup> June**, you will only be charged just **£75** for the course. Those who book **after 20<sup>th</sup> June** will be charged **£95**.

#### How to book

**Telephone** 01354 653430 and ask to speak to Sharna Ayres about the Flash training course.

**Fax** 01354 659429 for the attention of Sharna Ayres to express your interest in the course [make sure you include your name, school and contact details]

**E-mail** [sharna.ayres@neale-wade.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:sharna.ayres@neale-wade.cambs.sch.uk) to express your interest in the course [make sure you include your name, school and contact details]

#### How to get to Neale-Wade Community College

Neale-Wade Community College, Wimblington Road, March, Cambridgeshire. PE15 9PX.

**By Road:** March is easily accessible from the A10, A14, A1(M) and M11.

**By Rail:** March is a 15 minute train journey from the East Coast main line at Peterborough. Peterborough to London Kings Cross takes approx. 50 minutes. March also has connections via Ely and Cambridge. The College is a short taxi journey from the station.

Feel free to contact us for further details as required.

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# Adobe Flash training day

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Neale-Wade Community College is putting on a training day for teachers to help them make effective use of the Adobe Flash programme. The main aim of the course is to provide teachers with practice examples that they can use in their classrooms and on the internet to engage and enthuse students with effective ICT.

The course is suitable for both those who have never used Flash before and those who wish to extend their skills further. As well as practical activities and examples, there will also be opportunities to discuss the pedagogical impact of such technology, examining the benefits and potential challenges involved.



Neale-Wade Community College is a Maths and Computing Specialist College. The course will take place in our brand new state of the art ICT suite using the latest version of the Flash authoring tool, Macromedia Studio 8.

The course will be run by Andrew Field, the Head of ICT and an officially recognised 'Adobe Educational Leader'. Andrew has extensive experience in developing Flash-based educational resources as seen on his nationally recognised and multi-award winning [SchoolHistory.co.uk](http://SchoolHistory.co.uk) and [ReviseICT.co.uk](http://ReviseICT.co.uk) websites.

By running this course we hope to encourage fellow teachers to explore innovative and effective ways that Adobe Flash technology can be used in schools. Each attendee will be given access to custom Flash templates which they can freely use to develop their own materials in the future.

## Proposed programme for the day

9.30	Coffee on arrival
9.45 - 10.00	Introduction to the day What is Flash, what are the current uses, potential uses, leading onto the aims for the training
10.00 - 10.30	Creating a quiz in Flash Basic guidance so everyone can program a quiz in Flash. Actionscript template for all to follow and develop further if appropriate.
10.30 - 11.00	Break
11.00 - 12.10	Drag and drop tuition Guidance how to create drag-and drop activities in Flash - basic start leading up to more complex activities.
12.10 - 12.30	Feedback from morning sessions Showcase of materials that have been developed. Putting work into context of how it can be used in the classroom.
12.30 - 1.30	Lunch
1.30 - 2.00	Sharing existing practice Chance for attendees to share what ideas they currently have, examples of current work - benefits for others... Exploration of a KS3 scheme of work integrating Flash into either the main ICT curriculum or into a specific subject's scheme of work
2.00 - 3.00	Quickfire activities Short activities that can be created in Flash - countdown timers, picture slideshows, question & answer activities. Basic series of mini-tutorials. Short, sharp activities that help bring ICT-based activities alive.
3.00-3.30	Coffee + end Opportunities for further development as appropriate