



Cheshire and Stockport Science Learning Partnership

Primary Science Teacher Newsletter Featuring the ASE Annual Conference

At last the end of term is in sight and with it the chance to relax and recharge. The ASE Annual Conference is being held at Liverpool University this year from 4-6 January. The variety of sessions available, help to make the conference a fantastic CPD event – after all, where else could you get information from the awarding bodies, alongside sessions from practicing teachers and an update on cutting edge science. Not to mention the fabulous exhibition which alone is worth a visit. More information – including how to book, here:

<https://www.ase.org.uk/conferences/annual-conference/>

Friday is the busiest day for primary sessions – with the Brenda Keogh lecture at 9.45am and the Primary pop-up just after lunch – but there are lots of primary sessions on each day.

At a time when you have probably had too much excitement – dare I offer a little bit more?

The BBC's Terrific Scientific live lesson on 14th December

http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/6vbVc7sqyVXgx5yYk9XJ7K/terrific-scientific-feet-live-lesson?dm_i=3YNL,BIWR,2M5IKU,16WYE,1

And there are some great STEM challenges here:

<http://www.science-sparks.com/2017/11/29/santa-stem-challenges/>

Have you tried Wellcome's Explorify resources? If so – do you agree with Laura's top 5 or do you have your own preferences?

https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/top_5_activities_science_museum

Is assessment causing you issues? Have you seen this?

<https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum-materials/assessment>

Wishing you a very peaceful holiday – we look forward to working with you again next year!