

Learning Hub Event 1

14 and 15
October 2024

CATERING FOR LEARNER DIVERSITY

IDEA LAB

The Idea Lab marked a vibrant start to the series, offering a dynamic space for teachers to delve into the latest trends and resources aimed at catering for learner diversity in English language teaching. This event attracted a diverse group of teachers from both mainstream and special schools, fostering an inclusive atmosphere where experiences and insights could be freely shared.



HIGHLIGHTS

Throughout the sessions, participants were immersed in informative discussions that highlighted effective teaching methods and innovative strategies. They worked collaboratively to develop personalised action plans tailored to their unique classroom contexts, ensuring that the strategies they learned were directly applicable to their own teaching environments.



This practical focus helped participants leave with actionable steps that they could implement right away.





The event also featured ongoing discussions facilitated through the Canvas platform, allowing for continued dialogue among school teachers and Advisory Teachers. This online component ensured that the collaboration did not end with the event, creating a supportive network for sharing challenges and successes long after the Idea Lab concluded.



Teachers particularly appreciated the opportunity to discuss their challenges and hear a variety of approaches and strategies employed by both NETs and LETs. This exchange of ideas not only enriched their professional development but also strengthened the sense of community among teachers committed to enhancing the learning experiences for all students.



Overall, the Idea Lab was an educationally energising experience, providing valuable insights and fostering collaboration among teachers dedicated to meeting the diverse needs of learners. Its success was evident in the enthusiasm and commitment displayed by teachers, making it a noteworthy addition to the series.

