**Excellent – clear, simple and**

**effective. I feel very conﬁdent about**

**using the strategies**

**Equipping staff to tackle homophobic, biphobic and transphobic bullying in secondary schools**

Stonewall **Train the Trainer**

for secondary schools

**Bradford**

**Friday 13th November 2015**

**9.30 – 4.30**

# Homophobic, biphobic and transphobic (HBT) bullying is endemic in schools. **55 per cent** of lesbian, gay and bisexual students say they’ve experienced homophobic bullying. **Nine in ten** secondary school teachers say pupils regardless of sexual orientation experience it in their school and **nine in ten** hear homophobic language (phrases like ‘that’s so gay’). **Almost all teachers** surveyed say they want to tackle this problem, but lack the training or support to do so.

Stonewall’s **Train the Trainer** courses give pastoral, anti-bullying and PSHE leads the knowledge, tools and conﬁdence to train colleagues on tackling HBT bullying and supporting lesbian, gay, bisexual and trans young people, as well as meeting the requirements of the new **Ofsted inspection framework**. Participating schools become members of Stonewall’s **School Champions programme**.

Statistics from*The Teachers’ Report* (2014) and *The School Report* (2012)

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**Cost: £150 +VAT** **per delegate**

Light lunch provided

The Equity Centre, Providence Street

 Bradford BD1 2PW

**EARLY BOOKING 10% discount**

**FEEDBACK**

**99% felt more conﬁdent tackling HBT bullying and would recommend**

**Train the Trainer to others**

**I can honestly say that in my**

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**28 years of teaching this course has**

**been the most beneﬁcial I have ever attended**

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Feedback from Train the Trainer courses in 2014-15

**Homophobic, biphobic and transphobic bullying is widespread in Britain’s schools, affecting hundreds of thousands of young people each year. Research conducted by the University of Cambridge highlights the detrimental impact this has on attendance, attainment and mental health and wellbeing.**


## Course objectives:

* Learn practical strategies to train staff in your school on tackling homophobic, biphobic and transphobic (HBT) bullying and language and supporting lesbian, gay, bisexual and

trans young people

* Gain an overview of the current state of HBT bullying and its impact on pupil achievement and school performance
* Help you meet legal and Ofsted requirements under the new inspection framework and on promoting British values
* Create an action plan for your school
* Be inspired by best practice from other schools

## Participating schools receive Stonewall School Champions membership for a year, with a range of beneﬁts including:

* An extensive pack of Stonewall’s acclaimed secondary school resources, including posters, curriculum guides, DVDs and learning activities for students and staff
* Free access to Stonewall’s School Role Models programme, through which we send inspirational LGBT speakers to give talks in schools
* Ongoing support, guidance and benchmarking from a dedicated point of contact at Stonewall, as well as help implementing your action plan
* Free access to best-practice twilight seminars on issues such as E-Safety to SEN
* Exclusive use of the School Champions logo and the opportunity to apply for Stonewall’s Bronze, Silver and Gold School Champions Awards


## … and much more!

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