




Girls and Autism Spectrum Disorder

Learn about effective practices emerging in the field

Thursday 6 June 2019 - 9.00am to 3.30pm
at Beaumanor Hall, Woodhouse, Nr. Loughborough LE12 8TX

Includes lunch and refreshments

£65 / £85

FWTSA Members / Non-Members

“Girls and Autism” – Professor Barry Carpenter OBE

Girls with autism are often overlooked for support because their identifying behaviours can be different to that of boys. Without a diagnosis of autism, girls on the autism spectrum can struggle with extreme stress, leading to mental health issues, problem behaviours, school refusal or other outcomes which impact on adult lives



In a career spanning more than 30 years, Barry has held the positions of Headteacher, Principal, Academic Director, Chief Executive, Inspector of Schools and Director of the Centre for Special Education at Westminster College, Oxford. In 2009, he was appointed by the Secretary of State for Education as Director of the Children with Complex Learning Difficulties and Disabilities Research Project.

“Girls who can’t help, won’t: Understanding and supporting girls with Pathological Demand Avoidance” – Ruth Fidler, Education Consultant

Complex autism, emotional wellbeing and interactive approaches.

Ruth has over 25 years experience as a specialist advisor and teacher of children across the autism spectrum. She has experience of working at a leadership level developing good autism practice to meet the needs of an increasingly complex pupil profile. She is now an Educational Consultant with a specialism in complex autism, interactive approaches and emotional well being.



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Lunch:	Two course lunch and refreshments included

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