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ROY LEIGHTON

“How can we expect to have grown-up children if we’re not grown up ourselves?”



“Spirituality is the desire to discover and apply fundamental laws that are true, practical and of assistance daily” - A Moon on Water

“I would like to thank you, Roy, for the most amazingly thought-provoking, entertaining and utterly brilliant INSET I have ever received in nearly 20 years of teaching”

“My head is still buzzing! I really feel as if I have been drawn to look at learning and evolving in a whole new way and that for once, I will get off my backside and go out there and do something that will really make a difference. You are a truly inspirational person and I feel extremely lucky to have had the privilege of listening to you. I have also not laughed out loud so much in a very long time..... so thanks for that too”

We couldn't have put it better ourselves!

Roy Leighton is one of the most inspiring speakers in education today, not only because of the genuinely useful and practical nature of his advice for schools but also because he talks to an audience as real life, living, loving human beings. Or, in the words of one delegate recently:

“He should be bottled and consumed frequently!”

A star of stage and screen in his own right including a major role in the BBC TV programme Confidence Lab, Roy has worked in education for many years with the whole range of sectors of the educational world from the disaffected to supremely able – that is for teachers as well as for the children!

Creativity, motivation, learning styles, self esteem and confidence, communication and value creation are all areas in which Roy excels and has successfully led Events for Independent Thinking Ltd from day-long INSET sessions, student workshops, parent evenings and conference addresses.

Imagine 300 hundred teachers in a conference hall singing a medieval song in a round and you'll get an idea of how Roy works, never failing to inspire and entertain.

He has lost count of the number of hugs he has received after his sessions!

Roy also brings with him experience of working in the world of business at a very high level too with companies such as BP.

He has also established himself as a leading educational speaker, practitioner, innovator and an award-winning writer, helping teachers teach so that children can think and learn.

From motivation, neuroscience and enterprise skills to creativity, learning and thinking, he has developed tools and ideas that genuinely make a difference to what goes on in the classroom, at the same time directly influencing the approach that many school leaders take to bring out the best in young people and staff alike.

Feedback from recent events:

“We have had an amazing afternoon with Roy. We covered an enormous amount of information in such a short time, it was all hugely beneficial and I’m confident it will have a very positive impact over a long period of time”

“Just wanted to say a huge ‘thank you’ for coming to our school and doing the staff INSET - it was amazing to see so many people inspired and motivated”

“I feel like I’m now inspired and motivated to change and teach these pupils”.

Books written by Roy Leighton:

- *There is Another Way* (contributor)
- *Moon on the Water*
- *The Big Book of Independent Thinking* (contributor)

Roy has been with Independent Thinking for over 10 years.

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