

The Geographical Association and Cumbria County Council Consultation

'I'm getting in touch to send my sincere thanks for the courses you ran for us last month in Cumbria. We've already had really positive feedback from the teachers who attended and I gained a lot from the course myself.

We appreciated your grounded and practical advice and new perspectives you were able to provide, including to those who have led geography in schools for quite some time! The various tools and activities you shared are highly applicable to current needs in schools and I know everyone found these very useful.

The 'curriculum making' elements of the day helped us to really explore both disciplinary and substantive knowledge when designing a sequenced and coherent school curriculum. The time spent looking at the importance of a shared vision for geography allowed us to consider the underpinnings for a successful curriculum offer.

We're looking forward to the next sessions you're running for us and I am sure we'll be back in touch to discuss future training needs too!'

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