

# The Learning Power

## Approach (LPA) by Professor Guy Claxton

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**NEW**  
Framework  
and Book

# The New Framework for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century

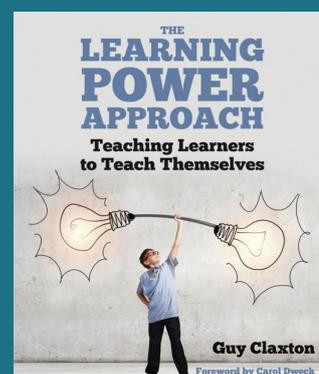
- 👉 Finding the true purpose of education
- 👉 Building strong and supple minds
- 👉 Moving beyond mark-driven performance

**Results – the right way! Teaching that boosts  
achievement and builds epistemic character**



**Professor  
Guy Claxton**

- Globally influential educationalist
- Founder of the world-renowned Building Learning Power programme
- Best-selling author of 30 books on learning, creativity and the expanding mind



# The Learning Power Approach (LPA) 2018

## The New Framework Designed by Professor Guy Claxton

Good results and getting into university are not enough. This ground-breaking course will give you the framework and tools to take you to real and meaningful learning.

### Identifying the middle way, taking the best from the traditional and progressive ways of teaching

Distilled pioneering approaches to teaching  
Draw on a wide range of cognitive, social and neuroscientific research

Examples and techniques drawn from:

- Expeditionary learning
- Cultures of thinking
- Studio learning
- Habits of mind
- Building learning power

### The design principles for developing a high-achieving, independent mindset:

- Clarify the difference between Learning Mode and Performance Mode
- Design activities that strengthen learning power
- Why it is important to talk subjunctive rather than declarative
- How to lay out your classroom, and what you should put on your walls

### Developing 'world-class' schools

- Build character
- Focus deliberately, systematically, effectively and demonstrably on building 'learning character' alongside the acquisition of knowledge and the pursuit of grades
- Enable students to choose, design, research, troubleshoot and evaluate learning for themselves
- Powerful alterations to atmospheres in the classroom

**Infuse the development of learning power into every single lesson.**



## Professor Guy Claxton

- Visiting Professor of Education at King's College, London
- Best-selling author

### How he can help you:

- By offering practical ideas on how to expand young people's appetite and capacity for learning

*"Schools have two aims: to help young people develop the skills, knowledge and grades they will need for further study and employment; and to help them cultivate the qualities of mind that will determine – even more than their test scores – how well they will flourish in life more generally."*

**Professor Carol Dweck**



## Graham Powell

- Former comprehensive school headteacher and senior schools inspector
- Embedded the learning power approach in hundreds of secondary schools

### How he can help you:

- By sharing a wealth of ideas about how to implement the learning power approach within classrooms and, via coaching techniques, across the whole school



## Becky Carlzon

- Teacher, Building Learning Power leader and popular blogger at [learningpowerkids.com](http://learningpowerkids.com)
- Taught for 10 years in schools across the UK and Argentina

### How she can help you:

- By sharing her passion of strengthening lifelong skills for learning in students

*"Great - enthusing and utterly credible."*

Mathew Puzey, Elmhurst School for Dance

# Timetable

09.30 – 09.40 Chair's welcome

09.40 – 10.40

## Professor Guy Claxton: The Learning Power Approach

- Why good results and getting into university are not enough
- How to get beyond the phony war between traditional and progressive methods
- Why formative assessment and other current methods fail the 21st-century test
- The fundamental assumptions that underpin genuinely 21st-century learning and teaching

11.00 – 12.00

## Professor Guy Claxton: The New Elements of the Learning Power Approach

- The Four Modes of Mind you meet in the classroom, and how to engage with them
- The new elements of learning power, and how to introduce them to your students

12.00 – 13.00

## Lunch and networking

13.00 – 14.00

**Becky Carlzon**

**Learning Power in Action – Primary**

- How to embed learning power in every lesson
- Launching learning power even with young children
- Turbo-charging literacy and numeracy
- Troubleshooting and sharing the LPA

**Graham Powell**

**Learning Power in Action – Secondary**

- The characteristics of a learning-powered lesson
- What learning-powered teachers do – and do not do
- How this works across the curriculum
- Outcomes for students in the short and long term

14.15 – 15.15

## Professor Guy Claxton: Getting Learning Power off the Ground

- Simple seeds and quick wins for getting learning power off the ground
- Unpick the design principles for 21st-century teaching that lead to high-achieving independent learners
- Discover what responsibilities you should give to your learners
- Evaluate whether or not what you are doing is working

15.25 – 15.45

## Questions to speakers

15.45 – 16.00 Chair's closing words

# Teaching Learners to Teach Themselves.

*“Turn all classrooms into places that hum with real learning.”*

Professor Guy Claxton

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