

February Network Meeting – London STEM Ambassador

London STEM Ambassador Delivery Partner



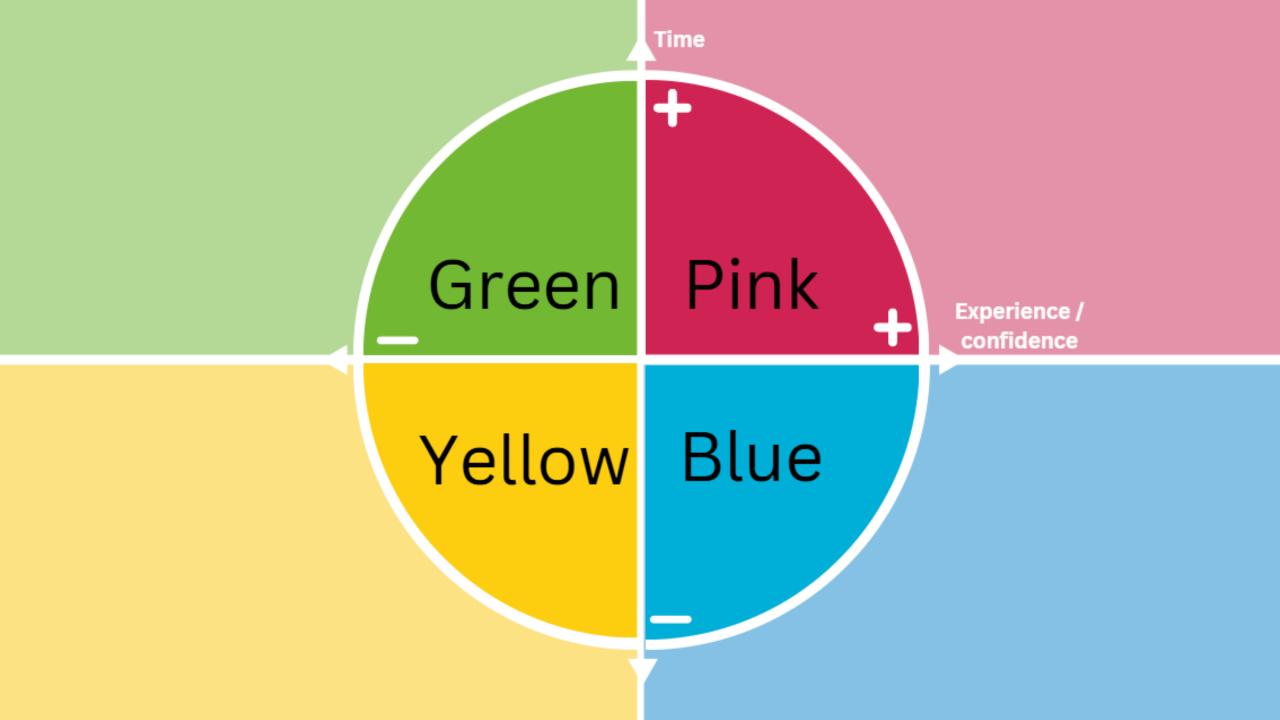




Agenda

- 1. Self-assessment
- 2. Update from the London STEM Ambassadors Team
- 3. London volunteering opportunities
- 4. Training and support
- 5. Resources
- 6. Q&A
- 7. Discussions breakout rooms







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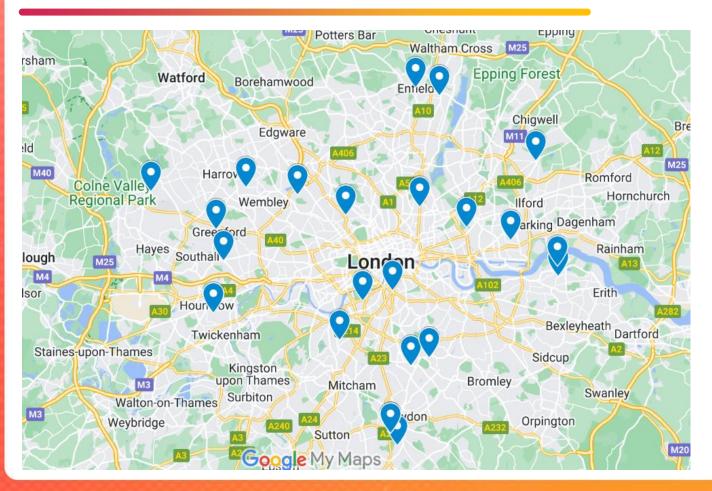
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KPI (Oct 24-25)	Jan 2025	Feb 2025	Target
Active Volunteers	488	584	1340
Volunteering Hours	5285	7527	31255
Primary Schs	12.16%	13.76%	30%
Secondary Schs	43.11%	49.45%	75%
FE	43.75%	47.92%	75%

How to self-report hours



Volunteering Opportunities



British Science Week, 7-16 March 78 activities, 23 unfulfilled

Can you help?

Tips

- Offer a career talk with Q&A
- Offer another date/time
- Offer online
- 'Adapt & Change' is open to interpretation!

Unfilled British Science Week requests



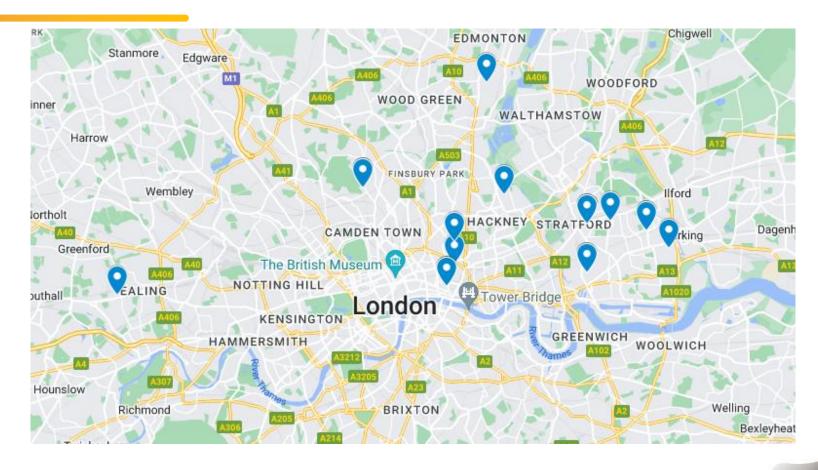


Volunteering Opportunities

Inspire EBP

Rosa Minani Senior Programme Officer

Opportunities with Inspire







Volunteering Opportunities

- The STEM Ambassador Platform: the most up to date list of opportunities that are still looking for Ambassadors.
- Priority activities: list of opportunities with no STEM Ambassador support (correct at time updated).
- Reflect & Share: Have you volunteered during British Science Week before? What did you do? Do you have plans to volunteer this year? Tell us about them.





Training Opportunities

Personal development opportunities:

- #IAmRemarkable 9:30 11:00, 18th March
 - Learn about the importance of self-promotion and how it can empower everyone, including underrepresented groups, to celebrate their achievement in the workplace and beyond.
- Bounce Back 9:30 11:00, 30th April
 - Improve resilience, look after your mental health and wellbeing, plus help generate a positive and supportive work environment.





Training Opportunities

Increasing the impact of your volunteering:

- Sustainability hands-on activity workshop
 - 14:30 16:30, 1st April
 - Develop a sustainability focused, hands-on activity you can use with students aged 7-11.
- Find out about: Secondary CREST Awards and Resources
 - 12:30 1pm, 27th March
 - Focusing on what CREST Awards are and the resources available for you to use.





Activity ideas

New resource added: <u>Astronomy storytelling guide and activity</u>









THE SAGES OF CHELM: CHASING THE MOON

An activity for learners of eight years old and over

Devised by Alastair K Daniel



NATIONAL ASTRONOMY WEEK



Resources

STEM Ambassador Schemes



Primary

Secondary

Post-16

Business

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Join the STEM Community



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STEM Ambassadors Schemes

A scheme is a way to link your STEM Ambassador profile to a particular area of interest or sector.

Once linked to a scheme, you may hear from your Delivery Partner or the scheme organiser about activities and events that align with the skills associated with the scheme. Some schemes also provide extra training sessions, resources and support to help with your volunteering.

Please follow the links next to each scheme to find out more before adding it to your profile.

You can join more than one scheme but we recommend you are selective about the ones you join so that you are getting relevant and tailored communications.

Full instructions on how to add a scheme to your profile can be found on the <u>STEM</u> <u>Ambassadors Training Hub.</u>









Resources

Inspiring young people in STEM through volunteering



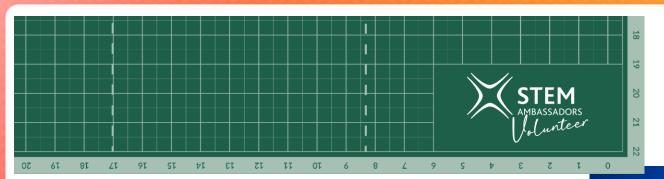
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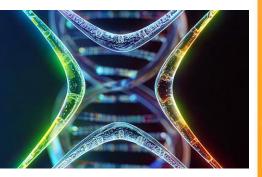
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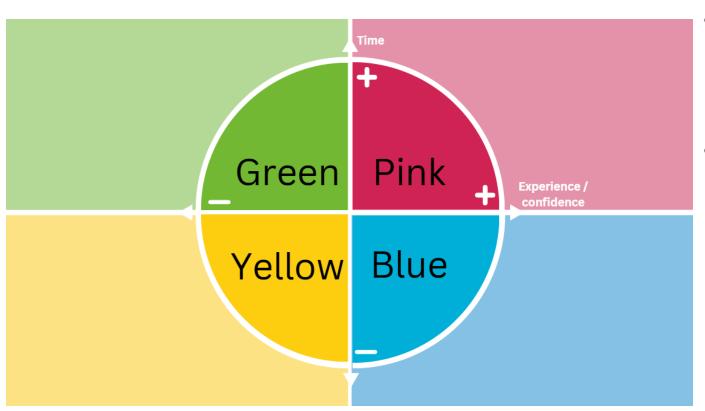
March Network Meeting: https://www.stem.org.uk/platform/activity/8be57b1d-4a3a-4928-b4e3-8bef6549187e

Feedback & London Enquiries: London-hub@stem.org.uk

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Discussions - Breakout Rooms



- Small group discussion hosted by a member of staff.
- Advice for each group
 - Suitable volunteering opportunities
 - Recommended training/resources
 - Other support & advice





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