



THE BRIAN SIMON MEMORIAL LECTURE, 2015

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**Children First:  
an alternative approach to assessment**

given by

**DAME ALISON PEACOCK**

Alison will focus on her experience of leading the Wroxham School, a primary school where children and adults are inspired by the principles of 'Learning without Limits' to establish a learning community which is creative, inclusive and ambitious for all. She will talk about ways of enabling assessment to be an intrinsic part of day to day teaching that builds a culture of trust in which children can think and talk about their learning confidently. Alison will also discuss her role as a member of the government's Commission on Assessment without Levels, and her optimism that the removal of levels provides space for a more equitable approach to assessment within classrooms.

*Admission is free and all are welcome*

**Saturday 3 October, 2:00pm**

The Clark Hall, UCL Institute of Education, Bedford Way, London WC1H 0AL