

'Working together to L.E.A.D. the highest outcomes for all'

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As we approach approximately the mid point in this academic year, L.E.A.D. Equate is proud to be continuing to support a range of teachers and leaders in their roles. Although covid has proven to offer a range of challenges, the Teaching School continues to offer bespoke support and CPD alongside the national programmes on offer.

Staying 'Topped Up' as a Leader

We have a range of resources which may be of benefit to school leaders from a range of sources. We hope that you find these aspects useful:



- 1. Simon Sinek: 'How Leaders inspire even in a time of Challenge'
- 2. Tom Bennett/ Dylan Williams: Creating the Schools that Our Children Need
- **3.** Blogs '**Primary Education Network**' The University of Nottingham





NPQ

L.E.A.D. Teaching School Hub Lincolnshire





Department for Education

The NPQs for the November cohort are well underway this term and the recruitment window for the February cohorts has now closed.

L.E.A.D. Teaching School Hub and partners are proud to be working with over 280 participants across the many programmes delivering high quality tools, research and concepts to enhance the next generation of leaders. Our outcomes so far in relation to participant satisfaction rates:



APPLY FOR SEPTEMBER?

"The sessions are absolutely incredible. I have got more from the last 2 hours than I would expect to get from the rest of my CPD this year."

> A quote shared by a participant engaging with one of the newly reformed suite of NPQs.

The 'Regional Events' for ECTs and Mentors

Lincolnshire

Education Development

L.E.A.D. Teaching School Hub and partners have hosted 'Regional Events' for ECTs and Mentors which took place in January. These form part of the statutory DfE expectation for ECTs and Mentors as part of the two year pathway. L.E.A.D. Teaching School Hub is grateful for the feedback as a result of the many events which took place.

As stated at the events, this feedback will be shared with both the DfE and lead providers to continue to shape the ECF curriculum and ensure that it is accurately pitched to meet the needs of both Mentors and ECTs across Lincolnshire.

The feedback is summarised below:

Mentors

Good or above

"Thank you for facilitating such an interactive and enjoyable session. The keynote speakers were brilliant and very informative and it's made me reflect on my own online presenting and how to make it engaging." (ECT Mentor)

ECF

30% Exceptional

Good or above

ECTs

L.E.A.D. Teaching School Hub

Exceptional

"I found it useful both to go over what it is I already know/learned about the foci for today, and refreshing myself on how there are even more tools I can use to make more progress (myself and my students). I also really enjoyed hearing other Early Career Teachers' thoughts and experiences, and being able to see myself in them." (ECT)

January Starters

If you are in a setting with an ECT who is starting induction in January, their details and welcome packs will be sent to the ECT and Mentor, from the central team at Education Development Trust, so that they can begin the programme . It is important to note that registering for the Full Induction Programme does not automatically sign ECTs up to the AB services. For the **Appropriate Body services** you will need to register your ECT via our new online service for managing statutory induction called ECT Manager. Follow this <u>link</u> to complete this.

Once you have completed this, your ECTs, Induction Tutors and Mentors are warmly invited to attend the Statutory Induction Information session that L.E.A.D. Teaching School Hub will be hosting online early next term. This will be held on **Tuesday 22nd February 2022, 4pm-5.15pm** to find out more about the ECF statutory induction process. If you are able to make this session, please click <u>here</u> to book. There is no cost to attend if you are registered for the AB services.

If you have any difficulties in relation to any of the above, or you feel that you have not received a welcome pack, please do not hesitate to contact **Stacey@leadtshub.co.uk**

Focus Groups

We recognise that the ECF approach and framework has been introduced nationally at a significant time of change in schools. We are really eager to hear your views so that we can continue to shape the programme in the future and continue to develop a meaningful menu of events. Please do not hesitate in joining us if you feel that you could share your thoughts on this topic and discuss your ECF journey so far.

These are the dates of the focus groups:

23rd/ 24th February & 3rd March: 3.30-4.00pm: **A Focus Group for Mentors** 23rd/ 24th February & 3rd March: 4.00-4.30pm: **A Focus Group for ECTs** Please click <u>here</u> to select the link for the corresponding date Further information about ECF and AB Services HERE



Curriculum Hubs ...under the spotlight this month

KYRA Research School, a member of the EEF's Research Schools Network, is dedicated to breaking the link between family income and educational achievement. We work with leaders and teachers across the East Midlands to promote and support evidence-informed school improvement.



How do we do this?

Partnership – We work in partnership with LAs, MATS, Universities, Teaching School Hubs, research organisations, and school collaborations. We bid to the EEF's Regional Investment Board for funding to work with an agreed set of schools and priorities based on data analysis; bids are often match funded by partners.

Professional Development – We offer a suite of evidence-based Research School Network PD programmes. **HERE**

Consultancy – We act as consultants and independent evaluators for a range of our partners.

Evidence Leads in Education (ELEs) – The team includes over 50 ELEs who we designate, deploy and quality assure. Our ELEs are passionate about using evidence and facilitate PD, lead evidence briefings, and support our evaluation work.

Where do we work?

Our reach has extended beyond Lincolnshire into North Lincolnshire, North East Lincolnshire, Leicestershire, Leicester City, Rutland, and Northamptonshire; we have been joined by the Learn AT Associate Research School and the KYRA RS Evidence Hub in North and North East Lincolnshire to support our regional work.

Keep in touch

Newsletter: **CLICK HERE** Twitter: @KyraResearch Email: research@kyra.anthemtrust.uk Web: https://researchschool.org.uk/kyra

Free online Twilight pairs Online 2.30-4pm **Twilight 1** Twilight 2 Supporting recovery: Making 7th February 22th February BOOK February evidence informed choices HERE 7th March 15th March March More information here 31st March March/April 26th April

Free Professional Development - Supporting recovery: Making evidence informed choices



All sessions will be online, last 2 hours and run noin 7.30-11.30am						
Cohort #1	22 Feb	1 Mar	10 Mar	15 Mar	22 Mar	29 Mar
Cohort #4	26 May	9 Jun	16 Jun	23 Jun	30 Jun	7 Jul

Booking will be via KYRA Research School website from the beginning of the month.

OFSTED REVIEW IN SCIENCE

Tuesday 8th February, 4pm-5pm FREE TO ATTEND ONLINE

SCIENCE LEARNING PARTNERSHIP

If you are a Science leader or a senior leader who is interested in finding out more about the Ofsted review in Science then please do book a place to find out more. The School of Education's science specialist, Joanne Hancock, will discuss the headlines from Ofsted's Science Research Review (April 2021) and its possible implications for primary schools. There will be discussions about what this may mean for schools.

If you would be able to attend, please email **admin@leadtshub.co.uk**



WHAT'S COMING UP?

Suggestions for Upcoming CPD

Click on programme for more information





Raising Attainment in Art

Online: Tuesday 1st March, 9.30am-12pm

Please pass on to art leaders - how to develop the curriculum and raise the outcomes in Art

Online: Tuesday 10th February, 3.30pm-4.30pm

Ensure that you do not miss a place on the professional

curriculum need enhancing in this area? Gain ideas and approaches by collaborating with others and find out

forum led by the MfL specialist Jo Darley. Does your

more about the ofsted recommendations above.



Ofsted and the Arts

Click **here** to access the article.



Primary Languages

£99 per delegate



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Ofsted's Languages report for Teachers and Leaders

Click **here** to access a summary of the report.



Raising Attainment in History

Wednesday 2nd March, 9.30am-3.30pm The Curriculum, the pedagogy, the key concepts.

£50 per delegate



Book your place if you are the History Subject Leader. Secure your place and find out more.



Teaching Systematic, Synthetic Phonics, with Fidelity Online: Wednesday 2nd March, 1.30pm-3pm FREE OF CHARGE

English Hubs

Witham St Hughs English Hub



Effective Planning in Reading

Online: Tuesday 8th March, 9.30am-12.30pm

£99 per delegate

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How can you improve reading comprehension. How can effective planning lead to strong outcomes.

To develop this fully, do not miss your place!