TEACHING SCHOOL ALLIANCE

National Professional Qualification for Senior Leaders

Our next NPQSL programme starts March 2017

In collaboration with the University College London and the Institute of Education ***Number 1 for Education World Wide – 2016 QS World University Rankings***

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***This programme aims** to develop skills, knowledge and confidence to be a highly effective senior leader in a school.*

Who is the course for?

You should be in a leadership role with whole-school responsibilities, or about to take on a substantive senior leader role. You should not only have responsibility for leading a team, but also be involved in a range of activities that affect the whole school organisation. It is aimed at senior leaders including deputy/assistant heads, SENCOs, or ASTs who are looking for professional development.

Course Information

- an introduction to frame your learning in context
- bespoke modular provision
- provide you with the leadership skills to make a real impact on the quality of learning in your home school.
- preparation for assessment to complete your qualification
- Flexible F2F session choice (including twilights, weekdays and Saturdays in prime locations around the regions).
- 360 Diagnostic; peer evaluation tool to track your leadership development
- wide range of additional learning opportunities up to and beyond Masters level

Course content

You'll need to complete 2 essential modules (Closing The Gap and Succeeding in Senior Leadership) and 2 further elective modules from a choice of seven; as well as 1 in-school project which leads to submission for final assessment. Each module requires a maximum 50 hours of learning, composed of around 20 hours of practical learning in your school, 10 hours face-to-face peer and facilitated learning, plus 20 hours reading and reflection with online learning.

Costs

The cost of the programme is detailed on the cohort 9 flyer from the Institute of Education. You will see that joining our local cohort results in a reduction from the central cohort costs.

Application

You will need to complete an online application form supported by your Headteacher. Apply at http://www.lcll.org.uk/npqsl-application-form.html **and the deadline is January 23rd 2017**. Please note that you will be Cohort 9 and your cluster group will be St Richard's CCC. Please inform the teaching school that you have made an application to the IoE by emailing Joanne Calladine-Evans (teaching school director) at teachingschool@strichardscc.com. This helps with our record keeping and in preparing the cohort for commencing the course.

The benefits of a local cohort.

There are several other key advantages:

- Consistency of facilitators across the course. The facilitators are highly experienced, assessed as outstanding by the IoE and will be leading all of the modules.
- 1:1 support offered to all participants.
- Opportunity to develop a supportive local network.
- Flexibility in setting the dates for face to face sessions.
- Lower travel time and cost.

Face to face sessions

Module	Timing
Induction meeting Overview and choosing electives	Twilight
Closing the Gap (day 1)	Whole day
Succeeding in Senior Leadership (day 1)	Whole day
Elective 1[1]	Whole day
Elective 2	Whole day

Any queries contact Joanne Calladine-Evans: teachingschool@strichardscc.com

[1] The cohort will be able to select their preferred electives in the induction meeting. Electives are also available directly from the IoE in London.