



Minster Teaching School Alliance

DEVELOPING SKILLS FOR MIDDLE LEADERSHIP

The 2017-2018 Developing Skills for Middle Leadership programme offers the opportunity for middle leaders to develop their leadership skills in a way that best meets their needs. The programme is suitable for both existing middle leaders and those new to a middle leadership post, as well as for aspirant middle leaders.



Over the course of the programme, you will work in mixed cross-phase groups over a 10-month period, in face-to-face sessions and through individual learning in your school. You will also have access to a learning coach who will support your learning throughout the programme.

You will develop the skills and understanding to:

- Lead changes and improve the quality of teaching and learning
- Reduce variability and close the gap in achievement
- Learn with and from others
- Identify your own personal effectiveness and how it can continue to be developed beyond the programme

During the programme you will learn about:

- Leadership, management and personal effectiveness
- Leadership to improve teaching and learning in order to ensure achievement for all
- Leadership for change and sustainable improvement
- Distributed leadership
- Leading effective teams, addressing under-performance, getting the best out of colleagues, spotting and developing future leaders
- Working with others within and beyond your school

You will do this through engaging in a range of activities and leadership opportunities, including:

- Reading and reflecting on key think pieces
- Discussion and activities in your face-to-face sessions with your facilitators and other middle leaders
- Trying out new methods of leadership in your school
- Learning from colleagues, discussing what you have learnt with your learning coach and feeding that into discussions in your face-to-face sessions

You will have to commit to the following:

- Two full days over a period of 2 weeks (compulsory)
- Three twilight sessions (attendance required at two or more)
- A final session and celebration day (compulsory)
- Meeting regularly with your learning coach
- Spending time on personal learning and reflection

Session Details		
Date	Time	Venue
23rd November 2017	9.30am to 4.00pm	The Minster School Nottingham Road Southwell, Notts NG25 0LG
28th November 2017	9.30am to 4.00pm	
10th January 2018	4.00pm to 6.00pm	
15th March 2018	4.00pm to 6.00pm	
23rd May 2018	4.00pm to 6.00pm	
18th October 2018	9.30am to 4.00pm	

Some feedback from participants about what went well:

"Range of activities used, quality of teaching/resources and informal atmosphere. This has been the most worthwhile and effective CPD I have undertaken."

"Having time to reflect, discuss ideas/worries with other people in similar positions. Both speakers were very motivational. Thank you - I have really enjoyed the course."

"Learning and understanding what the role of a leader is. Also, fantastic opportunity to learn from others on the programme."

COST OF THE COMPLETE PROGRAMME IS £550 PER PERSON

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