

Appropriate Body Services



The Leicester & Leicestershire Teaching School Hub (LeLTSH) are pleased to offer a high-quality Appropriate Body service for the statutory induction of Early Career Teachers (ECTs).

We are committed to providing all schools, and their ECTs, with a highly-skilled and efficient service based on years of experience of operating as an Appropriate Body.

Our offer will include:

- Independent quality assurance of ECTs right to a highly structured induction programme
- A dedicated named person for ECTs and Induction Tutors to contact when needed.
- Expert advice and training for Headteachers and ECF Induction Tutors.
- Fair and consistent assessment of ECTs against the Teachers' Standards.
- Monitoring of progress reviews and formal assessments through ECT Manager (formally NQT Manager) that reduces the workload for Induction Tutors / Headteachers
- Quality Assurance visits to a minimum of 10% of all schools
- Support for any ECTs moving to a new school or Appropriate Body, or requesting a change in the length of induction
- Registration of, and reporting on, ECTs to the Teacher Regulation Agency (TRA)
- Detailed fidelity checks where schools offer a Core Induction Programme or School-based Induction Programme

To fulfil their obligation to provide an early career induction programme for ECTs, schools have three options:

Full Induction Programme: a fully funded provider-led programme, offering high quality training for ECTs and their mentors, alongside professional development materials. (LeLTSH offer this in partnership with **Teach First**).

Core Induction Programme: schools can draw on high quality professional development materials, accredited by the DfE, to deliver their own ECT and mentor support.

School-based Programme: schools can design and deliver their own induction programme but this must be based on the ECF.

Pricing reflects the differing levels of fidelity checks required by the DfE, depending on the option selected for ECF.

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Full Induction programme

*£250 per ECT (charged over 2 years)

*If school also opt for ECF with LeLTSH/ Teach First this will be reduced to £225

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Core Induction Programme

£875 per school PLUS £250 per ECT (covers 2 years)

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School Based Programme

£1400 per school PLUS £250 per ECT (covers 2 years)

To register for Appropriate Body services, or to request further information, please email TSHub@LeLTSH-tmet.uk or call 0116 2689727