

National Professional Qualifications for Teachers and School Leaders

School Improvement through People Development



National Professional Qualification for Leading Teaching (NPQLT)

Lead teaching, curriculum and assessment across a team

A ground-breaking new NPQ ideal for those who have, or are aspiring to have, responsibility to lead teaching in a subject, year-group, key stage or phase

- Gain a nationally recognised, prestigious, government-backed qualification to help you progress in your career
- Develop knowledge and understanding of how to apply the evidence on what makes effective teaching, learning, curriculum and assessment
- Learn flexibly around your job with a blend of online learning, virtual sessions and local face to face workshops



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- A blended learning experience which fits around your role where you learn and discuss key content online, delivered in a way that suits the busy working lives of teachers and school leaders
- Local virtual and face to face sessions that focus on real problem-solving, creating understanding, connecting with your peers and gaining depth of knowledge
- Ongoing preparation to give you confidence to pass the final assessment
- Facilitation and support from serving school leaders in excellent schools and delivery at local venues

Benefits for your school or trust

- A skilful and research-informed professional who can lead a team's improvement in teaching. learning, curriculum and assessment
- Practical capability to get on with the job of developing others with the skills to lead with people and teams, creating change and impact

- A professionally aware and informed leader who can make evidence-based decisions and approach leading teaching in an effective and efficient manner
- The ability to review and evaluate practice in order to bring about change and get the best outcomes for young people and staff within the organisation

Scholarship funding

Full scholarship funding, with no cost to the participant, for the NPQ in Leading Teaching is available to all teachers and middle leaders who meet the following criteria:

- have, or are aspiring to have, responsibilities for leading teaching in a subject, year group, key stage or phase
- all teachers and leaders employed in state-funded schools and state-funded organisations that offer 16 to 19 places in England

The course fee for all others is £899

The course

A blend of flexible online learning, online discussion, virtual seminars and face to face workshops, for a few hours study each week over 12 months. This is followed by an assessment where you will complete a 1500-word case study assessment to demonstrate your understanding of real leadership and change.

This completely new Specialist NPQ has an evidence-informed curriculum design, connecting you to the latest research and best practice. Our research-rich course covers all of the core content in the government's Framework for this qualification. It will help you to:

- Understand the evidence underpinning the Early Career Framework, effective teaching and how pupils learn, and how to implement that within classrooms
- Weave together curriculum, assessment and adaptive teaching to lead coherent and sustainable improvement
- Professionally develop others, creating change and supporting school culture











40 hours

15hr National

1.5hr Local seminars

Local face

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National Professional Qualification for Leading Behaviour & Culture (NPQLBC)

Lead behaviour, culture and pupil wellbeing

A ground-breaking new NPQ ideal for those who have, or are aspiring to have, responsibilities for leading on behaviour and culture within their school and support others in these areas

- Gain a nationally recognised, prestigious, government-backed qualification to help you progress in your career
- Develop knowledge and understanding of how to apply the evidence on how to create and support an effective school and classroom culture, underpinned by positive behaviour and wellbeing
- Learn flexibly around your job with a blend of online learning, virtual sessions and local face to face workshops

Benefits for you

- Develop knowledge and understanding of how to apply the evidence on how to create and support an effective school and classroom culture, underpinned by positive behaviour and wellbeing
- A blended learning experience which fits around your role where you learn and discuss key content online, delivered in a way that suits the busy working lives of teachers and school leaders
- Local virtual and face to face sessions that focus on real problem-solving, creating understanding, connecting with your peers and gaining depth of knowledge
- Ongoing preparation to give you confidence to pass the final assessment
- Facilitation and support from serving school leaders in excellent schools and delivery at local venues

Benefits for your school or trust

- A skilful and research-informed professional who can lead the improvement of pupil wellbeing, create calm classrooms, great pupil behaviour and a warm whole-school culture
- Practical capability to get on with the job of developing others with the skills to lead with people and teams, creating change and impact

■ The ability to review and evaluate practice in order to bring about change and get the best outcomes for young people and staff within the organisation

Scholarship funding

Full scholarship funding, with no cost to the participant, for the NPQ in Leading Behaviour and Culture is available to all staff who meet the following criteria:

- have, or are aspiring to have, responsibilities for leading behaviour or supporting pupil wellbeing in their school
- all teachers and leaders employed in state-funded schools and state-funded organisations that offer 16 to 19 places in England

The course fee for all others is £899

The course

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This completely new **Specialist NPQ** has an evidence-informed curriculum design, connecting you to the latest research and best practice. Our research-rich course covers all of the core content in the government's Framework for this qualification. It will help you to:

- Understand how to support effective teaching and great classroom culture and behaviours
- Support wider school culture, pupil wellbeing and complex behavioural needs
- Professionally develop others, creating change and supporting school culture



40 National

Local

Local face

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National Professional Qualification for Leading Teacher Development (NPQLTD)

Lead successful teacher progression and development in your school

A ground-breaking new NPQ ideal for those who have, or are aspiring to have, responsibilities for leading the development of other teachers in their school. They may have responsibilities for the development of all teachers across a school or specifically trainees or teachers who are in the first few vears of their career

- Gain a nationally recognised, prestigious, government-backed qualification to help you progress in your career
- Lead the development of other staff in your school through designing the highest quality, evidenceinformed CPD programmes
- Learn flexibly around your job with a blend of online learning, virtual sessions and local face to face workshops

Benefits for vou

- Develop expertise in supporting initial teacher training, early career teachers, as well as the wider development of all colleagues across the school
- A blended learning experience which fits around your role where you learn and discuss key content online, delivered in a way that suits the busy working lives of teachers and school leaders
- Local virtual and face to face sessions that focus on real problem-solving, creating understanding, connecting with your peers and gaining depth of knowledge
- Ongoing preparation to give you confidence to pass the final assessment
- Facilitation and support from serving school leaders in excellent schools and delivery at local venues

Benefits for your school or trust

- A skilful and research-informed teacher development professional who can lead the golden thread of initial teacher training, early career development and ongoing professional learning
- Practical capability to get on with the job of developing others with the skills to lead with people and teams, creating change and impact

- A professionally aware and informed leader who can make evidence-based decisions and approach leading teacher development in an effective and efficient manner
- The ability to review and evaluate practice in order to bring about change and get the best outcomes for young people and staff within the organisation

Scholarship funding

Full scholarship funding, with no cost to the participant, for the NPQ in Leading Teacher Development is available to all teachers and leaders who meet the following criteria:

- have, or are aspiring to have, responsibilities for leading the development of other teachers in their school
- all teachers and leaders employed in state-funded schools and state-funded organisations that offer 16 to 19 places in England

The course fee for all others is £899

The course

A blend of flexible online learning, online discussion, virtual seminars and face to face workshops, for a few hours study each week over 12 months. This is followed by an assessment where you will complete a 1500-word case study assessment to demonstrate your understanding of real leadership and change.

This completely new Specialist NPQ has an evidence-informed curriculum design, connecting you to the latest research and best practice. Our research-rich course covers all of the core content in the government's Framework for this qualification. It will help you to:

- Understand the evidence underpinning the Early Career Framework and effective teaching throughout a career
- Design effective professional development programmes and environments
- Deliver effective professional development, harnessing expertise and collaboration for maximum impact
- Create and implement effective and sustainable change to drive real improvements in your school

National

Time commitment over 12 months



40









Local face

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National Professional Qualification for Leading Literacy (NPQLL)

Lead successful improvement of literacy teaching in your school

A brand new NPQ for those who are leading literacy programmes across a school, year group, key stage or phase, or who are aspiring to such roles in the future

- Gain a nationally recognised, prestigious, government-backed specialist qualification to help you progress in your career
- Develop knowledge and understanding of how to apply the evidence on leading literacy teaching
- Learn flexibly around your job with a blend of online learning, virtual sessions and local face to face workshops



Benefits for you

- Develop knowledge and understanding of how to apply the evidence on leading literacy teaching
- A blended learning experience which fits around your role where you learn and discuss key content online, delivered in a way that suits the busy working lives of teachers and school leaders
- Local virtual and face to face sessions that focus on real problem-solving, creating understanding, connecting with your peers and gaining depth of
- Ongoing preparation to give you confidence to pass the final assessment
- Facilitation and support from serving school leaders in excellent schools and delivery at local venues

Benefits for your school or trust

A skilful and research-informed professional who can lead the improvement of literacy teaching

- Practical capability to get on with the job of developing others with the skills to lead with people and teams, creating change and impact
- The ability to review and evaluate practice in order to bring about change and get the best outcomes for young people and staff within the organisation

Scholarship funding

Full scholarship funding, with no cost to the participant, for the NPQ in Leading Literacy is available to all teachers and middle leaders who meet the following criteria:

- have, or are aspiring to have, responsibilities for leading literacy
- are employed in state-funded schools, as well as those employed in state-funded organisations that offer 16 to 19 places in England

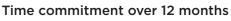
The course fee for all others is £899

The course

A blend of flexible online learning, online discussion, virtual seminars and face to face workshops, for a few hours study each week over 12 months. This is followed by an assessment where you will complete a 1500word case study assessment to demonstrate your understanding of real leadership and

This completely new Specialist NPQ has an evidence-informed curriculum design, connecting you to the latest research and best practice. Our research-rich course covers all of the core content in the government's Framework for this qualification. It will help you to:

- Understand how to effectively develop pupils' language, reading and writing skills
- Implement effective strategies to improve pupils' outcomes in literacy
- Professionally develop others, creating change and supporting school culture















National

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National Professional Qualification for Senior Leadership (NPQSL)

Lead successful whole school improvement and change

A completely updated NPQSL for those who are, or are aspiring to be, a senior leader with cross-school or cross-trust responsibilities

- Gain a nationally recognised, prestigious, government-backed senior leadership qualification to help you progress in your career
- Strengthen your expertise as a senior leader, helping you to support a culture where pupils and staff can thrive, learning how to bring staff with you on the journey
- Learn flexibly around your job with a blend of online learning, virtual sessions and local face to face workshops

Benefits for you

- Develop knowledge and understanding of how to apply the evidence on school improvement through people development, learning how to lead everything from whole school programmes to specialist areas
- A blended learning experience which fits around your role where you learn and discuss key content online, delivered in a way that suits the busy working lives of teachers and school leaders
- Local virtual and face to face sessions that focus on real problem-solving, creating understanding, connecting with your peers and gaining depth of knowledge
- Ongoing preparation to give you confidence to pass the final assessment
- Facilitation and support from serving school leaders in excellent schools and delivery at local venues

Benefits for your school or trust

- A skilful and research-informed leader who can contribute to a cohesive, impact-focused school leadership team
- Practical capability to get on with the job of developing others with the skills to lead with people and teams, creating change and impact

- A professionally aware and informed leader who can make evidence-based decisions and approach leadership in an effective and efficient manner
- The ability to review and evaluate practice in order to bring about change and get the best outcomes for young people and staff within the organisation

Scholarship funding

Full scholarship funding, with no cost to the participant, for the NPQ in Senior Leadership is available to all teachers who meet the following criteria:

- are, or are aspiring to be, a senior leader with cross-school responsibilities
- are employed in state-funded schools, as well as those employed in state-funded organisations that offer 16 to 19 places in England

The course fee for all others is £1,149

The course

A blend of flexible online learning, online discussion, virtual seminars and face to face workshops, for a few hours study each week over 18 months. This is followed by an assessment where you will complete a 1500word case study assessment to demonstrate your understanding of real leadership and change.

This completely reformed Leadership NPQ has an evidence-informed curriculum design, connecting you to the latest research and best practice. Our research-rich course covers all of the core content in the government's Framework for this qualification. It will help

- Create the environment needed to ensure effective teaching, curriculum, assessment and culture
- Lead effective professional development, change and implementation
- Manage a school's systems and processes, working with parents and governors











hours

15hr National 1.5hr Local face

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National Professional Qualification for Early Years Leadership (NPQEYL)

Lead successful improvement and change in your Early Years setting

A completely new NPQ for leaders in early years settings, qualified to at least Level 3 who are, or are aspiring to be, managers of private, voluntary and independent nurseries, headteachers or leaders of school-based or maintained nurseries, or childminders with leadership responsibilities

- Gain a nationally recognised, prestigious, government-backed senior leadership qualification to help you progress in your career
- Strengthen your expertise as an Early Years leader, creating a culture where parents, children and staff can thrive and learn how to bring staff with you on the journey
- Learn flexibly around your job with a blend of online learning, virtual sessions and local face to face workshops

Benefits for you

- Develop knowledge and understanding of how to apply the evidence on the effective running of an early years setting, responding to the needs of children, parents, staff, and wider operating demands, and helping you progress in your career
- A blended learning experience which fits around your role where you learn and discuss key content online, delivered in a way that suits the busy working lives of early years practitioners
- Local virtual and face to face sessions that focus on real problem-solving, creating understanding, connecting with your peers and gaining depth of knowledge
- Ongoing preparation to give you confidence to pass the final assessment
- Facilitation and support from serving early years and school leaders and delivery at local venues

Benefits for your nursery or organisation

- A skilful and research-informed leader who can lead a cohesive, impact-focused leadership team, with better connections across the early vears sector
- Practical capability to get on with the job of developing others with the skills to lead with people and teams, creating change and impact

A professionally aware and informed leader who can make evidence-based decisions and approach leadership in an effective and efficient manner

■ The ability to review and evaluate practice in order to bring about change and get the best outcomes for young people and staff within the organisation

Scholarship funding

Full training scholarship funding, with no cost to the participant, for the NPQ in Early Years Leadership is available to those leaders qualified to at least level 3 with a full and relevant qualification who are, or are aspiring to be:

- managers of private, voluntary and independent
- headteachers or leaders of school-based or maintained nurseries
- childminders with leadership responsibilities

And are employed:

- in a maintained nursery school in England
- in a preschool class or nursery that's part of a maintained school in England
- in a pre-school class or nursery that's part of an independent school in England providing free early years entitlements places
- in a nursery that is registered on the Ofsted Early Years Register
- as a childminder and registered on the Ofsted Early Years Register or with a registered Childminder Agency and working with early years children

The course fee for all others is £1,149

The course

A blend of flexible online learning, online discussion, virtual seminars and face to face workshops, for a few hours study each week over 18 months. This is followed by an assessment where you will complete a 1500-word case study assessment to demonstrate your understanding of real leadership and change.

This completely new Leadership NPQ has an evidence-informed curriculum design, connecting you to the latest research and best practice. Our research-rich course covers all of the core content in the government's Framework for this qualification. It will help you to:

- Develop a culture that supports sustainable improvements over time, responding to evidence on child development and effective early years practice
- Support the delivery of a strong curriculum that responds to the demands of the Early Years Foundation Stage
- Understand the evidence on SEND in the early years and make appropriate provision to support babies and young children to access support where needed
- Support the development of all staff within an early years setting
- Focus on the underpinning operational fundamentals of a successful early years setting, including leading on pedagogy, managing the nursery, managing the team, understanding safeguarding requirements and financial and business needs





hours



National



Local face

15hr

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1.5hr

Local

National Professional Qualification for Headership (NPQH)

Lead sustainable improvement and meaningful change

A completely updated NPQH for those who are, or are aspiring to be, a headteacher or head of school

- Gain a nationally recognised, prestigious, government-backed senior leadership qualification to help you progress in your career
- Strengthen your expertise as both a strategic and operational leader, helping you to create a culture where pupils and staff can thrive, and learn how to bring others with you on the journey
- Learn flexibly around your job with a blend of online learning, virtual sessions and local face to face workshops

Benefits for you

- Develop knowledge and understanding of how to apply the evidence on school improvement through people development, working with staff, pupils, governors and the wider community to create lasting change
- A blended learning experience which fits around your role where you learn and discuss key content online, delivered in a way that suits the busy working lives of teachers and school leaders
- Local virtual and face to face sessions that focus on real problem-solving, creating understanding, connecting with your peers and gaining depth of knowledge
- Ongoing preparation to give you confidence to pass the final assessment
- Facilitation and support from serving school leaders in excellent schools and delivery at local venues
- An additional programme of online support and group coaching aimed exclusively at new headteachers

Benefits for your school or trust

- A skilful and research-informed organisational leader with the capability to lead a school in conjunction with a motivated and coherent senior leadership team
- Practical capability to get on with the job of developing others with the skills to lead with people and teams, creating change and impact

- A professionally aware and informed leader who can make evidence-based decisions and approach headship in an effective and efficient manner
- The ability to review and evaluate practice in order to bring about change and get the best outcomes for young people and staff within the organisation

Scholarship funding

Full scholarship funding, with no cost to the participant, for the NPQ in Headship is available to all teachers who meet the following criteria:

- are, or are aspiring to be, a headteacher or head of school with responsibility for leading a school
- are employed in state-funded schools, as well as those employed in state-funded organisations that offer 16 to 19 places in England

The course fee for all others is £1.899

Early Headship Coaching Offer

There is an additional support offer for new headteachers from autumn 2022. This is a targeted support package for teachers new to the role of headship or in their first five years of headship.

The course

A blend of flexible online learning, online discussion, virtual seminars and face to face workshops, for a few hours study each week over 18 months. This is followed by an assessment where you will complete a 1500-word case study assessment to demonstrate your understanding of real leadership and change.

In addition, new headteachers will be eligible for an exclusive programme of free on-the-job additional support, through group coaching and online support.

This completely reformed NPQH has an evidence-informed curriculum design, connecting you to the latest research and best practice. Our research-rich course covers all of the core content in the government's Framework for this qualification. It will help you to:

- Provide the strategic lead of effective teaching, curriculum, assessment and culture within your school
- Lead effective professional development, change and implementation
- Manage a school's systems and processes, working with parents and governors
- Build a stronger understanding of your own strengths and areas for development, helping to create a more sustainable and resilient approach to leadership

Time commitment over 18 months



hours

study



National



Local face

to face







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Local

National Professional Qualification for Executive Leadership (NPQEL)

Exceptional leadership across a group of schools or trust

A completely updated NPQEL for those who are, or aspiring to be, an executive headteacher, trust director or chief executive, with responsibility for leading several schools

- Gain a nationally recognised, prestigious, government-backed senior leadership qualification to help you progress in your career
- Strengthen your expertise as both a strategic and operational leader, creating the culture, governance and strategy needed for a group of schools to flourish successfully and coherently
- Learn flexibly around your job with a blend of online learning, virtual sessions and local face to face workshops

Benefits for you

- Develop knowledge and understanding of how to apply the evidence on multi-school improvement through people development, working with leaders, staff, pupils, governors and the wider community to create lasting and sustainable change
- A blended learning experience which fits around your role where you learn and discuss key content online, delivered in a way that suits the busy working lives of trust leaders
- Local virtual and face to face sessions that focus on real problem-solving, creating understanding, connecting with your peers and gaining depth of knowledge
- A residential helps you develop networks with key national leaders and peers
- Ongoing preparation to give you confidence to pass the final assessment
- Facilitation and support from serving Trust leaders in excellent trusts and delivery at local venues

Benefits for your group or trust

- A skilful and research-informed executive leader with the capability to strategically lead a group of schools or trust
- Practical capability to get on with the job of developing others with the skills to lead with people and teams, creating change and impact

- A professionally aware and informed leader who can make evidence-based decisions and approach leadership in an effective and efficient manner
- The ability to review and evaluate practice in order to bring about change and get the best outcomes for young people and staff within the organisation

Scholarship funding

Full scholarship funding, with no cost to the participant, for the NPQ in Executive Leadership is available to all teachers and leaders who meet the following criteria:

- are, or are aspiring to be, an executive headteacher, or have a school trust CEO role with responsibility for leading several schools
- are employed in state-funded schools, as well as those employed in state-funded organisations that offer 16 to 19 places in England

The course fee for all others is £4,050

The course

A blend of flexible online learning, online discussion, virtual sessions and face to face workshops, for a few hours study each week over 18 months, with one weekend residential. This is followed by an assessment where you will complete a 1500-word case study assessment to demonstrate your understanding of real leadership and change.

This completely reformed Leadership NPQ has an evidence-informed curriculum design and covers all of the core content in the government's Framework for this qualification. Our course materials have been co-written by Debbie Clinton, a former CEO of two large multi academy trusts and a former HMI, connecting you to the latest research and best practice. It will help you to:

- Provide strategic leadership across a group of schools in effective teaching, curriculum, assessment and culture
- Oversee the development of cross-school approaches to embed effective workforce development, change and implementation
- Create and manage cross-school systems and processes, working with partners and boards



60 hours

Online

study

sessions

1.5hr

1.5hr

Local face

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of TDT NPQ participants say they would recommend their TDT NPQ to a colleague

say...

Reflective. Engaging. Inspiring"

The quality of the **NPQSL** content is first class. It is knowledge rich and research driven"

The **NPQLT** has had a massive impact on my approach to leadership"

Staff are very much valuing their engagement with the Teacher Development Trust on the NPQ suite of qualifications. High quality input to promote high quality thinking to support high quality organisations"

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The **NPQLBC** has changed my thinking quite dramatically"

The **NPQEL** has real resonance, and real meaning and impact for participants. TDT's NPQEL brings this to life."

to anyone who is on the SLT of their school" 66

The **NPQLTD** has increased my awareness of how the culture and climate of a school significantly contribute to implementing a new initiative"

The **NPQH** is a great learning

journey which I would recommend

Rewarding. Challenging. Thought-provoking"



Our network of UK and international delivery partners share our values and mission.



Partners in **England**

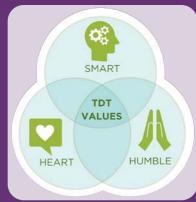
International Partners in **UAE** and Guernsey

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We are proud to be partnering with the Teacher Development Trust and driven to play our part in their NPQ programmes at this exciting time [...] As trusted delivery partners we are committed to excellence *in bringing the brand new* suite of National Professional Qualifications (NPQs) to both schools and academies within our area, ensuring professional learning truly meets the needs of your teachers and leaders."

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The course material is **utterly brilliant**. Such **high quality** and **carefully crafted**. The **spirit** and **ethos of TDT** is forefront."

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Facilitator material is **inspirational** and **purposeful**, **enjoyable** and **thought-provoking**. Boy, have **TDT got it just right!**"

Booking information

Training locations

Our network of UK and international delivery partners will be happy to support you along your learning journey with exceptional facilitators who have a strong track record of leadership and supporting other leaders. Information about your local centres can be found at TDTrust.org/npqs

Application is easy

ACTION

- Go to: https://register-nationalprofessional-qualifications.education.gov. uk/ to find your local provider and register your interest
- You will be able to choose your provider, your course, and check your eligibility for funding
- Once validated, all applicants will then be emailed with the full application form
- Your application will have to be approved by your sponsor – and then you will be registered on a course and can begin!

CHECK LIST

- The name of the school or organisation where you're employed
- A Teacher Reference Number or TRN (previously known as a QTS, GTC, DfE, DfES or DCSF number). If you can't find it or need to get one you can email: qts.enquiries@education.gov.uk phone: 020 7593 5394 and let them know you're applying for an NPQ
- The name, role title, email and phone number of a member of your school or organisation's Senior Leadership who can approve your application.

More information

The Teacher Development Trust is an internationally leading charity in the fields of staff development and school improvement through people development. Founded by practising teachers and leaders in 2012, we've helped hundreds of schools and leaders to create lasting improvement.

Find out more about TDT NPQs, our charitable mission and work at TDTrust.org/npqs



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