



Aspiring Middle Leaders' Programme (AMLP)

2018-2019 | PRIMARY | SECONDARY

About the programme

The Aspiring Middle Leaders' Programme (AMLP) is a bespoke leadership development programme designed and delivered by outstanding leaders from within Dartmoor TSA. With nurturing strong future leader an essential part of education today, AMLP provides a dynamic professional setting for aspirant leaders to develop the skills and qualities to be the outstanding leaders of the future. The AMLP is designed to complement the NPQML programme and delegates can progress to the Aspiring Senior Leaders version we offer.

Aims

- Explore the features of outstanding middle leadership
- Develop the mind-set of an outstanding middle leader
- Apply principles of effective leadership through a 3-month leadership project
- Increase confidence in leadership potential
- Acquire the skills to successfully secure a senior leadership position

Programme details

To enhance personal leadership through:

- Inputs from inspiring speakers and outstanding practitioners
- Structured opportunities to visit and learn in other schools
- Training in new and specific leadership skills
- Networking opportunities with other aspirant leaders
- Session on applying for leadership positions
- Support in planning a specific school based leadership project
- Opportunity to have cross phase discussions with like-minded professionals
- Celebration event including project presentations

All sessions will be delivered through a blend of theory, practical workshops, shadowing activities, implementation of knowledge, sharing experiences and best practice, time to reflect and opportunities to coach/mentor and be coached/mentored.

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Teaching & Leadership

Day 1: Monday 3rd December | KEVICC, Totnes

Day 2: December - March | Shadowing exercise in participating school

Day 3: Tuesday 2nd April | Okehampton College

Day 4: Friday 7th June | Mecure Rougemont Hotel, Exeter

Facilitators

Tim Wightman

Head of Arts Faculty at KEVICC, Totnes and Dartmoor TSA SLE

Phil Whittlely

Primary Executive Head Teacher for the Dartmoor Federation

Delegate feedback

Feedback from participants from Dartmoor TSA leadership programmes has been excellent.

"I already knew my weaknesses but [the course] has brought them to the forefront ... [and] has given me the confidence, resources to act upon this".

"I feel better informed about the characteristics of a strong leader, and so better equipped to become one".

Eligibility

The programme is suitable for teachers with at least 2 years' experience and who have demonstrated high levels of leadership potential.

Fees

Members: 1st delegate £175 | 2nd £75 (reduced rate)

Non Members: £250 per delegate (reduced date)

Booking

Go to www.dartmoortsa.org.uk and click on Course and Events. For assistance, contact Fiona McNeile, fmcneile@dartmoortsa.org.uk.

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