

What does it cost?

Full entry to the programme for 2015-16 costs:

FREE for Affinity Trained Schools Direct students employed within the alliance

£450 for Affinity TSA member schools

Please note this is an accredited NQT training through Oadby Learning Partnership



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Newly Qualified Teacher (NQT) Programme 2015-16



A programme for Newly Qualified Teachers who are at the beginning of their teaching careers and are looking for opportunities to build upon and further develop their initial teacher training skills

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NQT Programme

In 2015/16 Affinity will once again offer an NQT programme consisting of 6 half day sessions held in a central location led by SLEs and other TSA leaders. We will enhance the programme in 15/16 to include:

- Time built in for *NQTs to observe and discuss outstanding practice*
- *Support for NQTs focussing on personal wellbeing and stress management*
- More personalised sessions to cater for needs of those NQTs in EYFS
- An introduction to best practice in subject coordination in preparation for 2nd year of teaching

What does the programme involve?

- A twilight networking event offering 'top tips' for the first day & weeks
- Six 3 hour sessions over a period of the first year one per half term
- In school support - meetings with school Mentor
- Buddy peer group - NQT's in the alliance
- Gap tasks which focus on effective self evaluation and development of excellence in T&L

Programme content - spread over 6

Sessions

- Understanding the features of good & outstanding teaching and learning
- Planning for effective pupil progress across a unit, term and year
- Using assessment evidence, targets and data effectively to inform teaching and learning
- beyond the three part lesson, exploring effective lesson structures
- effective and manageable practice in marking and feedback
- Excellence in differentiation and provision for vulnerable groups

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Consistent features running through every session

- Good/Outstanding lessons 'top tips'
- Opportunities to discuss practice with outstanding teachers and other NQTs
- Developing effective but manageable approaches to T&L
- Language of teaching - understanding and developing consistency
- Gap tasks between sessions
- Mentor meetings with programme as the focus

What do schools need to do?

- Contact Affinity TSA to book your NQTs Place on the course
- Provide in school support for NQTs throughout the year
- Provide payment for the course to Affinity TSA by September 2015
- Commit to delegates attending all sessions

The course will be led by a headteacher and experienced Specialist Leaders of Education from the Affinity teaching School Alliance. Our leaders are experts in Initial Teacher Training and NQT induction.

This course is free of charge for Affinity TSA trained NQTs who are working within alliance schools.

Course Outline

The Induction Twilight Session will take place:
Thursday 9th July, 4.30-5.45pm at Greystoke Primary School

	Cohort 1 Kibworth Grammar School Hall	Cohort 2 Barwell CE Academy
Session One	Tues 8 Sept 2015, 1.30-4.15pm	Weds 9 Sept 2015, 1.30-4.15pm
Session Two	Tues 10 Nov 2015, 1.30-4.15pm	Weds 11 Nov 2015, 1.30-4.15pm
Session Three	Tues 12 Jan 2016, 1.30-4.15pm	Weds 13 Jan 2016, 1.30-4.15pm
Session Four	Tues 1 March 2016, 1.30-4.15pm	Weds 2 March 2016, 1.30-4.15pm
Session Five	Tues 3 May 2016, 1.30-4.15pm	Weds 4 May 2016, 1.30-4.15pm
Session Six	Tues 21 June 2016, 1.30-4.15pm	Weds 22 June 2016, 1.30-4.15pm

How to apply?

If you are interested in taking part in this year's course then please contact us on 0116 279 3462. We can answer any questions you may have over the phone or via email info@affinitytsa.co.uk or complete the NQT Programme booking form.