

National Professional Qualification for Middle Leadership (NPQML)



Provider Overview

The Association of Central Teaching Schools (ACTS) is proud to be working in partnership with a national alliance that brings together over 50 multi academy trusts, teaching school alliances and teaching schools –including Ark, Outwood Grange and Oasis Community Learning – with regional school groups from across the country.

We are delivering the NPQs through our Alliance’s experienced facilitators, tailoring programme content to meet local challenges and each leader’s development needs.

Eligibility

Teachers who are aspiring to middle leadership and meet the following criteria:

- Likely to be in a middle leadership role in the next 12-18 months
 - Have completed at least one year of full time teaching
- or are currently in middle leadership roles such as:
- In secondary settings will have roles such as Head of year, Head of department, whole school lead role
 - In primary schools will have roles such as phase leaders, key stage leaders or whole school lead

NPQSL Programme

The main focus of this programme is ensure that all participants increase their confidence, capability and impact as a middle leader.

The course will empower participants to proactively develop a strong network to support them in their first steps into leadership.

Participants will be assessed through a written assignment to ensure that they have reached the qualification requirements plus a viva interview to assess them against the more challenging Ambition bar.

The programme will comprise of 6 half day face to face sessions led by 2 experienced Ambition accredited facilitators who are current serving middle leaders. The course will finish within a school year.

It will cover six areas of focus:

- Strategy and Improvement
- Teaching and curriculum excellence
- Leading with impact
- Working in partnership
- Managing resources
- Risks and increasing capability

**Application forms and dates of courses www.acts.education/npqalliance
Contact for all enquiries - Ali Fisher on 0121 675 8766 or alifisher@cptsa.co.uk**

Why Train With Us

- Experienced in delivering the suite of NPQ qualifications
- An active network of Ambition accredited facilitators who are all serving middle leaders from Primary, Secondary and Special settings
- Central location
- Highly Competitive programme cost

Cost

The cost of the NPQML programme has been frozen at £575 per delegate. This includes 6 half day face to face sessions with refreshments, all course materials and a dedicated NPQ advisor to support you through the qualification.

Location

All our training is delivered within our ACTS network of Teaching Schools within Birmingham.

Dates

Candidates can start the NPQML qualification in the Autumn term.

Session 1	Tuesday 18th September 2018 (am session)	Colmore Partnership Teaching School
Session 2	Thursday 22nd November 2018 (pm session)	Arthur Terry Teaching School
Session 3	Tuesday 22nd January 2019 (am session)	Colmore Partnership Teaching School
Session 4	Thursday 28th February 2019 (pm session)	Ninestiles Teaching School
Session 5	Tuesday 26th March 2019 (am session)	Colmore Partnership Teaching School
Session 6	Thursday 9th May 2019 (pm session)	Colmore Partnership Teaching School

How To Apply

Applicants complete an application form that includes a reference from their named sponsor. This is then assessed for eligibility by a panel of serving senior leaders.

Application forms can be downloaded following this link
<http://www.acts.education/npqalliance/>



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