



National Professional Qualification for Senior Leaders (NPQSL)

Please note: This programme has been reviewed and updated to meet the needs of school leaders in a rapidly reforming education system

Who is it for?

This leadership programme is for senior leaders (primary, secondary, special or other settings) who want to benefit from high quality further professional development.

Eligibility Criteria

Participants must:

- be (or aspiring to be) a senior leader in an education setting.
- have already completed NPQML or similar programme.
- have a role that includes at least one area of whole school responsibility.

How will participants benefit?

Having completed the programme, participants will have:

- developed a range of knowledge and skills to support and strengthen leadership in their current role and help prepare for next step promotion.
- engaged in action learning and up to date, evidence based research in order to secure a positive impact on the education and outcomes of students in their school, academy or MAT.
- national recognition of their CPD as the course is licensed by the National College for Teaching and Leadership.
- potential to gain accreditation towards a Master's Degree through partnership with a regional higher education establishment.

What does it involve?

The programme comprises 2 twilight sessions, 3 full 'face to face' days (one of which will be a Saturday) and an online short course with a choice of modules to match individual participant need.

Cost?

The full programme is available at a cost of **only £1050 per participant** (plus optional assessment costs). If your school has a subscription to the Yorkshire Leadership Community, then a discount of 10% will automatically apply.

2016-17 Programme Dates

Twilight Introduction	Thu 6 th Oct 2016*	Day 3	Sat Oct 14 th 2017
Day 1	Wed 12 th Oct 2016	Online Short Course	Self directed
Day 2	Tue 17 th Jan 2017	Twilight Assessment/Celebration	Wed 17 th Jan 2018*

* Joint session with NQML Programme

How to apply

To secure a place on the NPQSL Programme, your Headteacher will need to support your application and agree to release you for all parts of the course.

To request an application form, please email info@yorksleadership.co.uk Completed application forms should also be sent to this address. **The deadline for applications is 16th September 2016.**

About the Yorkshire Leadership Community

The YLC stepped leadership programmes aim to provide a coherent developmental learning experience across all of the levels, which builds on prior knowledge and experience, provides progression in learning, and which is also financially viable for the schools involved.

All programmes in the YLC are underpinned with the following key principles:

- A focus on leadership learning that will have a positive impact on the education and outcomes of students in primary, secondary, special or other settings
- Effective staff development through the use of action learning and up to date, evidence based research
- The use of coaching to support the development of highly effective leadership behaviours
- The development of reflective and resilient practitioners, committed to career long learning
- The development of practitioners committed to supporting the learning of their colleagues
- Significant input from the outstanding school leaders who work across the region
- The provision of programmes that are responsive to the needs of the education system and its leaders

For further information about the Yorkshire Leadership Community programmes, please visit the website www.yorksleadership.co.uk.

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