



MASTERY READINESS PROGRAMME

BACKGROUND

Since 2014, the NCETM/Maths Hubs Teaching for Mastery Programme has trained hundreds of primary teachers as Mastery Specialists. Thousands of schools have been helped by these specialists to start introducing mastery approaches in their maths lessons. The programme is set to continue for several more years.

But not all schools, for a variety of reasons, are able to move into a formal development programme in one leap. That is why the Mastery Readiness Programme has been developed: collaborative training and bespoke support, available in 2020/21, which provides a stepping stone to take schools into the Teaching for Mastery Programme in 2021/22 and beyond.

Hundreds of schools have successfully taken part in Mastery Readiness to date and continue to develop their approach with the support of trained specialists at their Maths Hub.

WORKSHOPS

Your school will be part of a group of up to eight schools working together at workshops.

Your Maths Lead and another teacher (along with the headteacher initially) will attend these regular training events (approximately two per term)

REGULAR BESPOKE SUPPORT VISITS

The Mastery Readiness Lead from your local Maths Hub will regularly visit your school to offer bespoke support, tailored to your school's specific needs, and will work with leaders and staff.

FUNDING

- There is no charge from the Maths Hubs for participation in the programme for either the workshop events or the support in your school. Your commitment would be to release two teachers to engage in all events and to being given the opportunity to disseminate good practice to the rest of your staff.

BENEFITS

- The training includes an introduction to mastery, how to prepare a school to be ready to implement teaching for mastery, initial steps, both in leadership and in classroom teaching, and strategies to overcome potential barriers.
- Support for the head teacher in addressing leadership issues related to mathematics and contributing to raising standards.
- Opportunity to work closely with other schools also developing mastery readiness.



YOUR COMMITMENT

Participation in this programme requires a commitment from the head teacher to take the first steps towards whole school change in maths teaching and learning.

If you are interested, please contact

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Covid-19 Recovery



The ongoing impact of the coronavirus outbreak and knock-on effects on school life remain uncertain.

So, all Maths Hubs work will adapt to changing realities. There's likely to be more live online collaboration, for example. In addition, Work Group content will address both schools' recovery from coronavirus-related disruption and the central maths subject matter of each project.