



NPQ for Senior Leadership

This NPQ is facilitated through a variety of different virtual and face-to-face sessions; these may be subject to change.

We recommend scheduling these dates into your diary before the programme starts.

For more information on session style, please contact us.

2023

Autumn Term			
Launch Conference	Thursday 5 th October	9:30am to 4pm	Face-to-face
Clinic 1	Thursday 23 rd November	2pm to 4pm	Face-to-face

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Spring Term			
Clinic 2	Wednesday 31 st January	2pm to 4pm	Virtual
Community 1	Thursday 29 th February	3:30pm to 4:45pm	Virtual
Clinic 3	Thursday 14 th March	2pm to 4pm	Virtual
Summer Term			
Community 2	Wednesday 17 th April	3:30pm to 4:45pm	Virtual
Clinic 4	Monday 20 th May	2pm to 4pm	Virtual
Community 3	Thursday 6 th June	3:30pm to 4:45pm	Virtual
Clinic 5	Monday 1 st July	2pm to 4pm	Virtual
Autumn Term			
Conference 2	Tuesday 17 th September	9.30am to 4pm	Face-to-face
Community 4	Monday 21 st October	3:30pm to 4:45pm	Virtual
Clinic 6	Wednesday 13 th November	2pm to 4pm	Virtual
Community 5	Thursday 12 th December	3:30pm to 4:45pm	Virtual

2025

Spring Term			
Assessment Clinic	Tuesday 4 th March	2pm to 4pm	Face-to-face

Orientation

Orientation modules will be released between 18th to 29th September. Please complete these before you attend the Launch Conference.

Assessment window

The assessment window for the NPQSL is yet to be confirmed, but will likely be around March to April 2025. The assessment window is a period of time of which you are able to complete and submit your assessment.

Session style

There are various session styles for this programme. These will be explained during the Launch Conference, but a summary is below.

Communities; you are split into groups of 4 to 5. Everyone in the group will have the opportunity to share a 'tricky' professional problem that they are currently facing in their role in school. The other members of the group will offer challenge and support using the learning from the modules (and beyond) to help resolve the tricky problem. A chair person will be set by the group, prior to the next community session.

Clinic; the group is split into two and one facilitator will lead the session.

Course titles and release dates

Over the 18-month duration of the programme, you will be studying nine courses. We have outlined these below, along with the course release dates;

Course Title	Release date
Course 1: Implementation	2 nd October 2023
Course 2: Culture	20 th November 2023
Course 3: Teaching and Behaviour	22 nd January 2024
Course 4: Professional Development	11 th March 2024
Course 5: Additional and SEN and disabilities	13 th May 2024
Course 6: Curriculum and Assessment	1st July 2024
Course 7: Organisational Management`	16 th September 2024
Course 8: Working in Partnership	25 th November 2024
Course 9: Governance and Accountability	27th January 2025