



Level Three

This accredited programme can be the catalyst for you to begin your senior career or build on your passion for leading others towards success in their roles. The programme is designed to enhance your understanding of strategic leadership as a senior middle leader or new senior leader.

Widening Leadership

A professional leadership development programme for senior leaders

Who can apply?

This programme is for you if you are a new leader in a senior leadership role; an experienced middle leader with at least three years' experience in the role; a leader who has already undertaken previous professional middle leadership development. Also suitable for professional support staff e.g. school business managers.

The programme will help you lead more strategically by:

- Enhancing your leadership effectiveness and confidence
- Analysing your communication style and strengths
- Building a greater understanding of motivational traits and drivers
- Intensifying your leadership impact on learning and teaching accountability
- Advancing the skills of dealing with the contentious issues arising in teams

What do participants say about the programme?

“Thanks so much, the programme has made an enormous impact on my career development and on my understanding of effective leadership”

“The programme gave me the confidence to go for promotion and believe in my leadership skills”

“I thoroughly enjoyed the course. Not only did I learn a lot, but I felt it also helped my recent appointment to a more senior role at my school”

“Excellent course leaders who were inspiring and modelled so many of the skills they were teaching”

Programme Content

Day 1: Entitled to lead: “It’s my role”

Assertive leadership
Leading and managing
Coaching, mentoring and line management
Active and focused listening
Visioning and goal setting

Day 2: Motivation

Supporting and challenging others
Leading change: Process and behaviours
Motivational traits and drivers
Language of leading: Directive coaching
Leadership, empowerment and delegation

Day 3: Leading others

Leadership styles
Teams versus groups
Team focus in teaching and learning
Persuasive conversations
Building a culture of accountability

Final session: My leadership journey

Present action research
Analyse your strengths and leadership learning
Learning conversation

Programme structure

Inter-sessional tasks need to be undertaken between leadership days including the completion of online diagnostics between Day 1 and 2. Readings and activities are set after each day for use at the next session.

Participants must attend all face-to-face days and undertake inter-sessional tasks to complete the programme. The programme finishes with a learning conversation and celebration session when you will present and discuss your action research with a small group.

Programme Information

Fees for 2016/17

£590 for the six month professional programme which includes three face-to-face leadership days and a final twilight session at the UCL Institute of Education.

Start dates

Autumn, Spring or Summer term.

Registration

To register for the programme go to www.lcll.org.uk/leadership-registration.html

Accreditation Option

There is an option to use this programme to gain 30 M Level credits towards a Master's degree. An additional cost is payable. Full information will be provided at the start of the programme.

Schools, Collaboratives and Local Authorities

The programme is run on-site for schools, groups of schools, local authorities and multi-academy trusts – contact us for costs and more information.

International

For international schools and groups of schools, the programme can be run at your overseas venue – contact us for costs and more information.

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