

Steps into Primary Headship

“Really informative session with lots of practical ideas”

“Very honest and helpful”

“Lots of practical ideas to take away as well as some thought provoking conversations”

“It has been enjoyable and positive”

“Fantastic, thank you very much”

Previous Participants

Brief Overview:	Steps into Headship is a practical, hands-on programme for experienced colleagues who are highly motivated to take their next step into primary headship. This course will develop the knowledge, skills, understanding and attributes necessary to prepare for that next step. There will also be the opportunity to gain the equivalent of up to two days experience in another school setting, to shadow a headteacher and gain greater insight into 'The Job'.
Facilitators:	Delivered by practising headteachers of good and outstanding schools.
Who is it suitable for:	Deputy headteachers who are aspiring to achieve headship within 24 months
What is the intended impact for you?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development through coaching/mentoring • Improved leadership and management • Improved performance management/monitoring and assessment • Be able to better support your head in your existing role • Giving you the confidence to pursue the next step
What will you take away with you? e.g. resources, learning points etc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practical frameworks/strategies/resources for aspects of preparing for headship.
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Booking Link:	Book your place
Costs:	£500

Sessions	Date	Time	Venue	Brief Outline
Session 1	Tuesday 27 November 2018	1.00 – 4.00pm	To be confirmed	Leading Highly Effective Teams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creating, sharing and implementing vision • Working successfully with Governors • Knowing your team • Your leadership style and impact



Session 2	Tuesday 22 January 2019	1.00 – 4.00pm	To be confirmed	Best Practice in Data Gathering and Use <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding a range of practical strategies to use data effectively with a wide range of users and stakeholders
Session 3	Thursday 7 March 2019	1.00 – 4.00pm	To be confirmed	Overcoming Challenges <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Courageous conversations Colleagues that present us with challenge Work-life-balance Ofsted Performance Management
Session 4	Thursday 2 May 2019	1.00 – 4.00pm	To be confirmed	Leading Your School Role in the Wider Community <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Your school in the local community Building effective relationships Parents as partners
Session 5	Tuesday 6 June 2019	1.00 – 4.00pm	To be confirmed	Steps to Securing Your First Headship <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Which job? What type of school? Applying and securing a first headship
Session 6	Tuesday 2 July 2019	1.00 – 4.00pm	To be confirmed	You've Got Your Headship – What Now? Don't Panic! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Day one and beyond
Experience	To be arranged individually			Up to two days' experience in another school setting, to shadow a headteacher and gain greater insight into 'The Job'

