Mentor Training 2020

Church of England Professional Qualification for Headship Enabling Called, Connected and Committed Leaders

Mentors challenge, inspire, encourage, and support participants throughout the CofEPQH.

Who can be a mentor?

CofEPQH participants are expected to identify a mentor who is a serving or recent head from a different school.

How much time will mentors offer?



Participants will meet with their mentor for at least five 1 hour sessions during the course of their CofEPQH programme (Feb 2020-June 2021).

What do mentors do?

- Help the individual define and set their learning goals
- Encourage the individual to reflect on their learning, challenge their assumptions and stretch their thinking
- Support the individual to extract learning from their school placements and write this up into their two NPQ assignments
- Provide advice and support for the NPQH assignments

What professional development do mentors receive?

Our mentor training schedule is designed to inform, equip and enable you in this role and beyond.



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Training Schedule 2020

For ALL Mentors

Mentor Welcome Webinar

12th February 12.15-13.15 or 19th February 16:00- 17:00

Understand how the CofEPQH programme is structured, the assignments that participants undertake and where mentoring can add the most value.

Mentor Essentials (with 3D Coaching)

22nd April 14:00-15:00

Achieve clearer outcomes and create a safe container for mentor conversations. Know when to mentor and when to coach.

Additional training for Mentors

We have a number of places on these well recognised programmes that we offer for mentors wishing to deepen their expertise.

Mentor Skills One day programme (ICF accredited programme with 3D Coaching)

5th March Ely, 12th March Birmingham, 19th March London, 25th March Leeds Spend the day with a Master Coach to practice your mentor conversation skills. Help others have lightbulb moments, skilfully give input and practice core coaching skills that will help you use your sessions effectively.

NPQ Online Assessor Training (for lead mentors)

Play a vital role in supporting other mentors by deepening your knowledge of NPQ assessment. This training allows you to move on to become an NPQ Online assessor.

