



## **Proposal: NQT and RQT support programmes**

### **Introduction**

Local partnerships of schools have well developed and highly regarded NQT support events scheduled throughout the academic year. In many cases these are long established. NQT and RQT programmes have to become an element of partnership's initial teacher education provision through Exceed SCITT and, as such, will be inspected by Ofsted. As the SCITT is established and grows, there is a need to review the strengths and any areas for development with both our NQT and RQT provision across all partner schools and MATs. We need to move towards a cohesive offer that meets all partners' needs, not just those of local geographical areas.

### **The vision**

We are inviting formal partner schools to work together to review, develop and deliver both NQT and RQT programmes. This includes an NQT Induction on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July for teachers joining partnership schools in September 2017. The aim of the group will be to plan a continuum in training from the ITT to the RQT phase for all partner schools.

### **The project**

Participating schools are asked to nominate LLEs and SLEs to work with their peers to undertake a review of all the NQT and RQT provision already established. The group will identify strengths and any areas for development and map a new offer (potentially including current effective practice) to create a continuum from the ITT to RQT phases. The events will then be scheduled and delivered by LLEs and SLEs from across the partnership.

### **Funding**

Exceed SCITT and Teaching Schools will host the meetings. Schools and MATs would subscribe to the programme based on a costs agreed upon completion of the programme development.