

D & AHT Newsletter

(Deputy & Assistant Headteachers)

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BBC

NEWSROUND survey

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/extra/nfpahaz8or/newsround-survey>



Headteachers'

Standards 2020

These standards replace the national standards of excellence for headteachers



Teacher Labour Market in England Survey by NFER

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Network Meeting 3:30 - 4:45 pm REMOTE	Thursday 29th April <i>What are your school's curriculum strengths and weaknesses and how do you know?</i>
Network Meeting 3:30 - 4:45 pm REMOTE	Thursday 17th June <i>Safeguarding for D & AHT with Ben Holmes</i>
If you have already registered for the network meetings you don't need to take any action—a link will be sent to you. If you haven't already registered, please email Hazel.Fryman@Halton.gov.uk	
Aspiring to Headship 4:00 - 5:00 pm	Tuesday 11th May Tuesday 29th June
If you are an aspiring Headteacher and are thinking of applying for headship, please register your interest: by emailing Hazel.Fryman@Halton.gov.uk	

	<p>Mark Higginbottom's message about his support for middle leaders</p> <p>"Looking ahead to the summer term I am keen to have a conversation with your Headteacher about furthering my support to middle leaders, developing themselves as leaders and/or further developing their practice allied to the EIF and preparation for inspection, relating to the curriculum."</p>
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<p>Championing and Developing ALL Leaders</p>	<p>"A leader takes people where they want to go. A great leader takes people where they don't necessarily want to go, but where they ought to be."</p> <p>Rosalynn Carter</p>
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Useful Links



Continuous Professional Development



National Professional Qualification for Headship (NPQH)

Apply with one of the providers accredited to offer this qualification.

Contact your preferred provider, or visit their website, to find out more about the qualification.

Guidance

Headteachers' standards 2020

Updated 13 October 2020

6. Professional Development

ensure that professional development opportunities draw on expert provision from beyond the school ... to build capacity and support succession planning.



A speech by Ofsted's Chief Inspector at the ASCL (Association of School and College Leaders) Annual Conference 2021.
(17th March 2021)

Amanda Spielman's speech at ASCL

"So you will already be making tough choices about your curriculum: what to prioritise; what to limit; what to omit. This is especially the case for children nearing the end of a key stage.

Pupils and learners won't benefit from racing through subjects at pace – so that everything is covered to some degree, but little is covered well: a sort of 'never mind the quality, feel the width' approach."



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