

Manage Training for Early Career Teachers - Message from DfE

Dear colleagues,

We are issuing the below communication on behalf of the Department for Education to support the rollout of the new Teacher CPD Service.

We realise this is a busy time of year but could you please cascade this message to the schools you support. Please note there is no action you as an appropriate body need to take on the new Teacher CPD Service as a result of this communication.

Many induction tutors/coordinators are yet to sign in to the DfE's new [Teacher CPD Service](#) to confirm how they plan to deliver statutory inductions next year, or to confirm that their school does not expect any early career teachers (ECTs).

Before September 2021, induction tutors/coordinators should:

- read the updated [statutory guidance](#) on inductions for early career teachers
- choose a delivery approach in order to meet the new requirements. The easiest way to sign up to a provider-led programme is to contact your local [teaching school hub](#) or your appropriate body - schools can also contact lead providers, or other known delivery partners, directly - they will talk you through how to access this support for your early career teachers and mentors
- set up their programme through [DfE's online service](#) if they want to use an approved funded provider, or deliver the accredited materials themselves. We would encourage schools on these routes to access the digital service and nominate an induction tutor before the end of the summer term, or use the service to confirm that you are not expecting any ECTs to start in September

To find out more about the Early Career Framework reforms, please visit [GOV.UK](#).

For help using the new service please contact continuing-professional-development@digital.education.gov.uk