



The Equality and Diversity (E&D) Fund – 2018-2020

Round 2 application window

The Equality and Diversity (E&D) fund has been offered since 2014 and over 2000 teachers have taken part so far. The aim of the fund is to increase the diversity of the school leadership workforce. Between 2018-2020 a new model has been designed to increase geographical coverage and provide new opportunities to scale up best practice delivery models.

Schools wishing to deliver individual projects will need to apply for funding from the appointed lead school in their RSC region. Linton Village College, on behalf of CASSA TSA, in Cambridgeshire has been selected as the Lead Hub Delivery School for the East and NEL region. Five schools in the Round 1 applications have been successful in applying to be sub regional hub schools. Overall within the region there will be 8 sub-regional lead delivery hub schools around the following protected characteristics. A Round 2 application window is now open for schools wishing to be sub regional hubs commencing in January 2019.

- Disability
- Gender reassignment
- Race including colour, nationality, ethnic or national origin
- Sex
- Sexual orientation

If you are interested in your school becoming sub-regional lead delivery hubs you are invited to make expressions of interest to Doug Brechin doug.brechin@lvc.org or Magda Syposz magda.syposz@lvc.org at Linton Village College. The deadline for applications is 23rd November 2018.

There is now also a regional website about the equality and diversity programme in the region: <https://east.equalitydiversity.education/>