

**All Headteachers at Norfolk LEA, First, Primary, Middle,  
Secondary and Special Schools**

**Advanced Skills Teachers and Creative Partnerships  
for  
Visual Arts, the Performing Arts or the Media Arts**

There are now 37 Advanced Skills Teachers (ASTs) across Norfolk LEA. Have you got an outstanding classroom teacher who is also naturally creative? It could be in the Visual Arts, the Performing Arts or the Media Arts. If you have, then, as part of the Creative Partnerships programme, the DfES are offering 100 per cent AST funding, i.e. you only pay the new M6 point on the salary scale and all the other associated cost of outreach - £5500 per annum for the day and the extra cost of the AST salary - is met by the DfES.

We have been able to arrange a visit to Norfolk of the Creative Partnership National AST consultant Mathilda Joubert. Mathilda will be at the Norwich Professional Development Centre for the afternoon of Thursday 5 December 2002, which also coincides with the first AST Norfolk Conference. Teachers interested in an AST post of this kind can attend this conference and spend the first hour hearing about the experiences of some of Norfolk's first ASTs. This will be followed by a workshop, led by Mathilda Joubert, on being a Creative Partnership AST in a Norfolk school.

Dave Bullard, Senior Adviser (ASTs)  
Leslie Hampson, Creative Director, Norfolk



**Advanced Skills Teachers' Conference**  
Thursday 5 December at Norwich Professional Development Centre

I am interested in attending the above conference from 2.00 - 5.00 pm

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I am interested in attending the workshop only from 3.00 - 4.30 pm

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
(please print in full) (Mr/Mrs/Ms)

School: \_\_\_\_\_

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