

To: All Headteachers - Eastern Region

**Training & Development Agency working in partnership with East Region Local Authorities**

**EMBEDDING THE LINKS PROJECT**

Over the course of this academic year, there have been various projects underway across the regions to promote cohesion between **Performance Management**, the **Professional Standards**, **CPD** and **School Development**. This process, entitled *EMBEDDING THE LINKS* is to ensure that this structure is seen as a coherent package that adds value to teaching and learning through the enhancement of individual and organisational growth.

To ensure that all schools have access to relevant training and awareness of Embedding the Links, workshops are being held across the region that will have the following objectives:

- To establish the benefits of the Embedding the Links process through Performance Management, Professional Standards and CPD/ School Development
- To establish the challenges, enablers and blockers experienced and how these can be effectively built on or mitigated
- To look at further ways of benefiting from Embedding the Links through the sharing good practice and impact

By the end of the workshop you will have a good understanding of how the Professional Standards can be used effectively in conjunction with Performance Management and how these outcomes then reflect CPD needs for your staff and ultimately, your school development. You will be given tools to deal with these issues and have the start of an action plan to take back to school with you.

The whole day workshops are free of charge, lunch is provided and supply cover can be claimed for up to two places.

**Wednesday 20 January 2010 at King Edward VI School Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk (9am – 3.30pm)**

**Thursday 11 March 2010 at Halesworth Golf Club, Suffolk (9am – 3.30pm)**

This is a really great opportunity to see how other colleagues are working across the region and to talk to them first hand about what is working well and what is working not so well. We would really welcome your attendance and input. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Lisa Ryder (Project Lead) or your LA Workforce Advisor.

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## EMBEDDING THE LINKS WORKSHOP Booking Form

Local Authority	
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Name of Delegate	
Job title	
School	
Address	
Post Code	
Telephone	
Email	

Second Delegate (if appropriate)

Name of Delegate	
Job title	
Email	

Do you have any dietary or special access requirements?	
Details, as appropriate	

Please tick relevant workshop

Workshop 1	WEDNESDAY 20 JANUARY 2010	King Edward VI School, Bury St Edmunds Suffolk	
Workshop 2	THURSDAY 11 MARCH 2010	Halesworth Golf Club, Halesworth Suffolk	

Please fax back to **01234 782431**, email to [lyder@sharnbrook.beds.sch.uk](mailto:lyder@sharnbrook.beds.sch.uk) or post to :

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