



# Leadership Development Opportunities 2026/27

Are you an experienced teacher with a passion for maths? Or an expert teacher of maths who has an existing commitment and responsibility for designing, leading and evaluating maths teacher professional development?

The NCETM and Maths Hubs are now accepting applications for four **fully-funded** programmes designed to develop teachers as experts in teaching for mastery and the leadership of professional development.

**Primary  
Mastery  
Specialist**

**Secondary  
Mastery  
Specialist**

Mastery Specialists (Primary and Secondary) are experienced classroom practitioners who will develop expertise in the mastery approach to teaching maths. You will become experts in introducing and embedding mastery in your own schools and will develop as leaders of professional development in other schools. Your headteacher commits to supporting you and developing teaching for mastery in your school.

**Professional  
Development  
Lead**

This is an accredited programme for expert teachers of maths at all phases, who are working with other teachers to enhance the teaching and learning of maths. You will benefit from three one-day workshops and you will design, lead, review and refine a programme of support for maths teachers professional development.

If you are interested in this opportunity, please get in touch with us by email at [mathshub@painsley.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:mathshub@painsley.staffs.sch.uk) to discuss the role further.

**School  
Development  
Lead**

This accredited programme is for expert teachers working with school and subject leaders to improve maths teaching and learning in a school or group of schools other than their own. It will benefit those with significant experience of developing maths leadership capacity, or those newer to the role. Usually, participants will have completed the NCETM PD Lead Programme and have some experience of working directly with senior leaders outside of their own setting.

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The closing date for applications is 23rd April 2026.

[Click here](#) for further information and to apply.

Applicants should ensure they read the relevant information sheet and secure the support of their Headteacher/Senior Leader before applying.