

RECRUITMENT

SUPPORT

National Leaders of Education

NLEs will sign-post struggling schools to the Hubs programme.

Hub School's outreach

Hub schools will target support offers at vulnerable schools most in need.

Referrals from local partners

The TSC, LAs and other organisations will sign-post schools to hub support.

Self-Referral

Schools submit a self-referral which the Hub school use to determine their entry point to the programme.

Showcase events

Hub schools will host half-day showcases of an aspect of early language and reading with events spread throughout the academic year.

Showcase Response Form

After attending a showcase each school will submit a Showcase Response form which includes a reflection and action, setting out a plan for improvement and any request for resource support.

Audit of early language and reading provision

Hub schools will fund or match-fund schools to buy resources including commercial phonics packages and phonics training.

Resource support

Medium Support

School-to-school intensive support package

Excellent schools will have the potential to become phonics partnerships or to contribute Literacy Specialists to the Hubs programme, building capacity for further high quality school-to-school support.

Schools engaging with the English Hub School at any point of the support model will have access to free medium support of CPD and courses on offer from the Hub school.

After reviewing the Showcase Response form, Hubs will invite some schools to participate in a full-day school-based audit of early language and reading provision with follow-up to support and refine a plan for improvement. Where required, Hubs will guide schools on procuring the required resources and training for their chosen SSP.

The package of school-to-school support from a Literacy Specialist will be provided to schools which have the greatest development need in early language and reading at this stage of the programme.

