## **Lancashire Teaching Agency CPD entitlement (2025/2026)**

For clarification, **registered** LTA members can now attend any number of the broad range of CPD courses available from the Lancashire Teaching Agency Category on the Lancashire Professional Development Service (LPDS) website: <a href="http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/lpds/">http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/lpds/</a>

The allowance does not generally include courses from the LPDS marketed main course programme. However, LTA members who may require training (i.e. improved subject knowledge, phase specialism or a school requirement for a specific role) can apply for a funded place on any none LTA badged course by contacting Nigel Kirkham –LTA CPD Manager via email: nigel.kirkham@lancashire.gov.uk.

This can be particularly helpful for ECTs in their first year of teaching or returning teachers. *Places* are only allocated if funds allow.

Our aim is to provide a broad range of good quality CPD for LTA members to impact on the quality of education for pupils in Lancashire. We will continue to monitor needs and requirements in order to give support across all subject areas.

Please note: If you have been offered a place on a course and for any reason you cannot attend, please contact our office via email: lpds@lancashire.gov.uk or 01257 516100 at the earliest opportunity to inform our admin team. If you fail to let us know, you may forfeit all of your CPD entitlement.

If you decide to discontinue working for LTA your your entitlement to CPD provision will end.

