



Early Career Training Programme Induction Tutor Pack



2026/27

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Induction Tutor Role Reminders

As an Induction Tutor, you are responsible for oversight and coordination of all ECTs and mentors in your school.

You will need to:

- Ensure ECTs and mentors are registered with the DfE
- Ensure ECTs are registered with an Appropriate Body
- Coordinate internal professional development for ECTs and mentors
- Ensure ECTs access the ECTP
- Ensure mentors access the ECTP
- Monitor engagement of ECTs and mentors
- Complete progress reviews and assessments for ECTs

***NOTE:** If you have ECTs on both the ECPDP (Legacy) and the new ECTP Programmes, you will have log-in information and access for 2 different Online Platforms.*

[ECPDP Online Platform Link](#)

[ECTP Online Platform Link](#)

Participant Reminders

- ❖ If your ECT or mentor works part-time, they may follow a different pathway. Please notify us of this so we can adjust our records.
- ❖ If any role changes, please notify us so we can adjust our records and ensure communication and systems are accurate. This may include prolonged absence (sick leave, parental leave), change of mentor, change of school or leaving the profession.

If you have any queries, please contact us at: TSH@tgacademy.org.uk

ECTP Quick Start Guide

Registration

Once you have registered your ECTs and mentors with the DfE, they will receive an email from EDT with details about how to log into the online platform - <https://ectp.edt.org/login/index.php>
All self-directed study will be completed on the EDT online platform.

Week 1-2

Ensure registration complete for ECTs and mentors.
Confirm access to EDT online platform.
Sign up to events.

Week 2-3

ECTs complete knowledge diagnostics.
Mentors complete practical diagnostic (drop-in).
Mentor selects learning pathway in instructional coaching tab.

Week 3-4

Module 1 unlocks for self-directed study.
Regular mentor meetings taking place.

Weekly Programme Guide

Please find a full weekly breakdown per term for mentors below:
[ECTP Programme Sequence for Mentors](#)

Supporting with the Platform

ECTs - Viewing Module 1 Self-Directed Materials

Module 1 materials will only show once **all** the following activities have been completed:

Who	What	When
ECT and Mentor	Complete induction course	Week 1
ECT	Complete knowledge diagnostic	Week 2
Mentor	Complete practical diagnostic	Week 2
Mentor	Select learning pathway	Week 2
ECT	Complete Module 1	Week 3 onwards
Mentor	Complete Mentoring in Practice	Available after induction is completed

ECTs - Viewing Module 2 & 3 Self-Directed Study Materials

The process is the same as above, but ECTs must ensure they **complete the module survey** or the new module will not unlock.



Supporting with the Platform

Non-funded mentors

Mentors who have previously completed ECF/ECTP mentor training may not have to attend training events or complete self-study materials. This is assessed by the DfE upon registration and mentors are automatically assigned their mentor status based on prior training.

If you have any questions about your mentor training status, please get in touch with EDT: ecf@edt.org

Induction Tutor Platform Use

For more information about how to use the online platform, including how to monitor and track ECT and mentor engagement, please watch [this support video](#).

Events

ECTs and mentors must sign up for events via the EDT online platform.

Dietary requirements for in-person events can be indicated at sign up. We cannot guarantee requests made with less than 2 weeks' notice.

Workbooks and handouts for in-person events can be downloaded from the online platform. Paper copies of workbooks and handouts will not be provided at the events.

Parking is not available on site for any events at Tudor Grange Academy Solihull. Local parking options are available [here](#).



ECTP ECT Year 2



Tudor Grange Teaching School Hub
Proudly serving Bromsgrove, Redditch,
Solihull and Stratford-on-Avon

Term	Self-directed Study (4 hours)	Live Training (4 hours)	Mentor Meetings (1 hour fortnightly)
4	Embedding and Deepening Learning Choice of research deep-dive-based on one of three EEF guidance reports	Inclusion by design* Face to face training session Choice of 2 dates <i>*ECTs based in SEND settings will attend 'Engaging experts by Experience' instead</i>	6 meetings
5	Teacher-led inquiry Self-set independent, classroom-based study question, including sharing findings and outcomes	Behaviour as Communication OR Disciplinary Literacy Online training 2 x 2 hour sessions for either choice (must attend both)	6 meetings
6	Focusing on Professional Development Choice of two specialist topics based on ECT interests	Curriculum-making, curriculum thinking Face to face training session Choice of 2 dates	6 meetings

Self-directed study

ECTs will have more autonomy to pursue research areas that suit their needs. There will be no knowledge diagnostics, practical diagnostics or learning pathways for Year 2.

Mentoring

Mentoring shifts from directive to facilitative, with mentors acting as more of a sounding board for ECTs, helping them select self-study content and pose their inquiry question:



Help and Support Videos:

[Year 2 induction Video for ECTs](#)

[Year 2 Induction Video for Mentors](#)

[Year 2 Induction Video for Induction Tutors](#)

ECTs Events Schedule

Autumn Term

Year 1 ECTs

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
September Cohort Online Welcome Option 1	Monday 14 th September 2026	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page
September Cohort Online Welcome Option 2	Monday 21 st September 2026	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page
ECT Autumn Term Event - PRIMARY / SEND / EYFS	Tuesday 29 th September 2026	09:30-16:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
ECT Autumn Term Event - SECONDARY ONLY	Wednesday 30 th September 2026	09:30-16:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
ECT Autumn Term Event - PRIMARY / SECONDARY	Tuesday 6 th October 2026	09:30-16:00	Stratford upon Avon School, CV37 9DH
September Cohort Online Welcome - Mop Up	Monday 19 th October 2026	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page

- September cohort ECTs must attend one online welcome event.
- Year 1 ECTs need to select one in-person event option only.

ECTs Events Schedule

Spring Term

Year 1 ECTs

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
January Cohort Online Welcome	Monday 11 th January 2027	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page
ECT Spring Term Event - PRIMARY / SEND / EYFS	Wednesday 20 th January 2027	09:30-16:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
ECT Spring Term Event - SECONDARY ONLY	Thursday 21 st January 2027	09:30-16:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
ECT Spring Term Event - PRIMARY / SECONDARY	Wednesday 3 rd February 2027	09:30-16:00	Stratford upon Avon School, CV37 9DH
January Cohort Online Welcome - Mop Up	Monday 25 th January 2027	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page

- January cohort ECTs must attend one online welcome event.
- Year 1 ECTs need to select one in-person event option only.

ECTs Events Schedule Summer Term

Year 1 ECTs

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
April Cohort Online Welcome	Monday 19 th April 2027	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page
ECT Summer Term Event - PRIMARY / SEND / EYFS	Thursday 29 th April 2027	09:30-16:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
ECT Summer Term Event - SECONDARY ONLY	Wednesday 5 th May 2027	09:30-16:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
ECT Summer Term Event - PRIMARY / SECONDARY	Tuesday 4 th May 2027	09:30-16:00	Stratford upon Avon School, CV37 9DH
April Cohort Online Welcome - Mop Up	Monday 10 th May 2027	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page

- April cohort ECTs must attend one online welcome event.
- Year 1 ECTs need to select one in-person event option only.

ECTs Events Schedule

Autumn Term

Year 2 ECTs

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
ECT Autumn Term Event - Inclusion by Design PRIMARY / SECONDARY	Tuesday 13 th October 2026	09:30-14:00	Stratford upon Avon School, CV37 9DH
ECT Autumn Term Event - Inclusion by Design PRIMARY ONLY	Wednesday 14 th October 2026	09:30-14:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
ECT Autumn Term Event - Engaging Experts by Experience SEND ONLY	Wednesday 14 th October 2026	09:30-14:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
ECT Autumn Term Event - Inclusion by Design SECONDARY ONLY	Thursday 15 th October 2026	09:30-14:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD

- Year 2 ECTs need to select 'Inclusion by Design' unless they are SEND provision.

ECTs Events Schedule Spring Term

Year 2 ECTs

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
ECT Spring Term Event - Disciplinary Literacy	Monday 1 st March 2027	09:00-13:00	Link on EDT event page
ECT Spring Term Event - Behaviour as Communication	Wednesday 3 rd March 2027	09:00-13:00	Link on EDT event page

- Year 2 ECTs need to select either 'Disciplinary Literacy' or 'Behaviour as Communication'.

ECTs Events Schedule Summer Term

Year 2 ECTs

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
ECT Summer Term Event - Curriculum Making and Curriculum Thinking PRIMARY / SEND	Tuesday 20 th April 2027	09:30-14:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
ECT Summer Term Event - Curriculum Making and Curriculum Thinking SECONDARY ONLY	Wednesday 21 st April 2027	09:30-14:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
ECT Summer Term Event - Curriculum Making and Curriculum Thinking PRIMARY / SECONDARY	Wednesday 28 th April 2027	09:30-14:00	Stratford upon Avon School, CV37 9DH

- Year 2 ECTs need to select one in-person event option only.

Mentors Events Schedule Autumn Term

September 2026 Cohort Mentors

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
September Cohort Online Welcome Option 1	Tuesday 15 th September 2026	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page
September Cohort Online Welcome Option 2	Tuesday 22 nd September 2026	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 1 Event - PRIMARY ONLY	Tuesday 17 th November 2026	09:30-16:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
Mentor Term 1 Event - SECONDARY ONLY	Wednesday 18 th November 2026	09:30-16:00	Tudor Grange Academy Solihull, B91 3PD
Mentor Term 1 Event - PRIMARY / SECONDARY	Thursday 19 th November 2026	09:30-16:00	Stratford upon Avon School, CV37 9DH
September Cohort Online Welcome - Mop Up	Tuesday 20 th October 2026	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page

- September cohort mentors must attend one online welcome event
- Mentors need to attend **one** event option only.

Mentors Events Schedule Autumn Term

January 2026 Cohort Mentors

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
Mentor Term 3 Event	Monday 23 rd November 2026	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 3 Event	Wednesday 25 th November 2026	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page

- Mentors need to attend **one** event option only.

Mentors Events Schedule Autumn Term

April 2026 Cohort Mentors

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
Mentor Term 2 Event - Behaviour as communication	Monday 28 th September 2026	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - The how and why of curriculum design	Tuesday 29 th September 2026	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - The language and changing dynamics of SEND (SEND focus)	Thursday 26 th November 2026	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - Inclusion by design	Friday 27 th November 2026	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - Literacy at transition points	Wednesday 23 rd September 2026	13:00 - 15:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - Unpacking school readiness (EYFS focus)	Wednesday 23 rd September 2026	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page

- Mentors need to attend **one** event option only.

Mentors Events Schedule

Spring Term

September 2026 Cohort Mentors

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
Mentor Term 2 Event - Behaviour as communication	Monday 1 st February 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - The how and why of curriculum design	Tuesday 2 nd February 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - The language and changing dynamics of SEND (SEND focus)	Monday 22 nd February 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - The language and changing dynamics of SEND (SEND focus)	Tuesday 23 rd February 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - Inclusion by design	Thursday 25 th February 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - Inclusion by design	Friday 26 th February 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - Literacy at transition points	Tuesday 16 th March 2027	13:00 - 15:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - Unpacking school readiness (EYFS focus)	Tuesday 16 th March 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page

- Mentors need to attend **one** event option only.

Mentors Events Schedule Spring Term

January 2027 Cohort Mentors

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
January Cohort Online Welcome	Tuesday 12 th January 2027	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 1 Event - PRIMARY / SECONDARY	Wednesday 3 rd February 2027	09:00-16:00	Arthur Terry TSH
January Cohort Online Welcome - Mop Up	Tuesday 26 th January 2027	15:30-16:00	Link on EDT event page

- January cohort mentors must attend one online welcome event and the term 1 event.

Mentors Events Schedule Spring Term

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- Mentors need to attend **one** event option only.

Mentors Events Schedule Summer Term

September 2026 Cohort Mentors

Event	Date	Time	Venue/ Link
Mentor Term 3 Event - Option 1	Monday 14 th June 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 3 Event - Option 2	Wednesday 16 th June 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page

- Mentors need to attend **one** event option only.

Mentors Events Schedule Summer Term

January 2027 Cohort Mentors

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Mentor Term 2 Event - Behaviour as communication	Monday 17 th May 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - The how and why of curriculum design	Wednesday 19 th May 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - The language and changing dynamics of SEND (SEND focus)	Tuesday 8 th June 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - Inclusion by design	Thursday 10 th June 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - Literacy at transition points	Tuesday 29 th June 2027	13:00-15:00	Link on EDT event page
Mentor Term 2 Event - Unpacking school readiness (EYFS focus)	Tuesday 29 th June 2027	09:00-11:00	Link on EDT event page

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