OAT National Debate Coordinator TLR3

Application form

Overview and guidelines

We are delighted to announce an OAT wide 3-year Oracy and debate programme, which will support schools to develop Oracy and debate provision within their academies. This will include teacher CPD and training in Oracy for at least one teacher per academy, networking, pupil Oracy training, debate club set up, head office support, regional and national debate competitions and an OAT debate championship.

This 3-year programme of activity (2019-2022) will be delivered by OAT enrichment team and the newly created post of OAT National Debate Coordinator. The post has been created to encourage and support schools, across the network to take part in teacher CPD, Oracy and debate networks, pupil Oracy workshops, a series of annual debating competitions including; regional heats leading to a national debate championship and exploring the potential to involve other MATS in the third year. The programme will include:

Planning 2019 (head office/enrichment team)

First Year of activity 2020

* Oracy training and CPD for one member of staff per academy (organised by head office)
* Oracy training, delivered by Talk the Talk, to up to 180 pupils across 15 academies

(either year 6, 7 or 8, organised by head office)

* Creation of a debate toolkit
* Setting up networks for Oracy and debate across the Trust
* Launch the debate programme

Second Year 2021

* Regional debate and Oracy networks established
* In school debate clubs established and supported with session lesson plans, power points/information sharing
* Regional debate competitions
* National debate competition/championship

Third Year 2022

* Regional debate and Oracy networks established
* In school debate clubs established and supported with power points/information sharing
* Regional debate competitions
* National debate competition/championship
* Potential debate competitions with other MATs/Schools

We are able to offer one OAT Teacher a TLR3 of £2,500 per annum (£7,5000 - including on costs) to coordinate the programme, toolkit, networks, lesson plans/information sharing and competitions.

The role will report to Jemima Waltho, OAT Enrichment Manager. The role will:

* Work with Jemima to agree the final schedule and plan for the 3-year programme
* Audit of current provision and develop plans to meet evidenced need
* Develop the debate and Oracy toolkit
* Support enrichment team to arrange the teacher CPD training session
* Launch the debate programme for 2020-22
* Coordinate the network sessions for teachers
* Establish the days and timings for the regional debates
* Facilitate the debates and acting as host, where needed
* Communicate with schools and pupils
* Work with enrichment team to coordinate and host the national debate championships
* Coordinate teachers and pupils
* Work with the external evaluator to aid the delivery and monitoring of the debate activity
* Work with OAT and PLMR (where appropriate) to enable wider communication and press opportunities

**The deadline for applications is Monday 25 November 2019**

There will be a short telephone interview for shortlisted candidates on either Wednesday 27 November or Tuesday 3 December 2019. The application form includes a section to indicate which date and times would be best for you. The successful candidate will be informed by **Friday 5th December 2019**

If you have any queries please contact Jemima Waltho [jemima.waltho@ormistonacademies.co.uk](mailto:jemima.waltho@ormistonacademies.co.uk) or 07771 594 192

OAT Debate Championship – Coordinator

Application form

**Please complete the following application form and send your submissions by Monday 25 November**

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| Your Name: |  | Your Job Title: |  |
| School: |  | Email: |  |

Q1. Why would you like to coordinate this programme (maximum 100 words)?

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Q2. What experience do you have of delivering debate or similar programmes with young people (maximum 100 words)?

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Q3. What experience do you have of coordinating teachers/pupils across multiple schools (maximum 100 words)?

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Q4. What experience do you have of managing external partners? (maximum 100 words)?

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Q6. How will you manage your time and priorities? (maximum 100 words)?

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Q7. Have you discussed this with a member of SLT and do you have their support? (maximum 25 words)?

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Q5. If you are shortlisted, what date and time would be best for a 20 minute phone interview?

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| 27/11/19 | Y/N | Time:  9-5pm |  | Contact Number: |  |
| 03/12/19 | Y/N | Time:  9-5pm |  | Contact Number: |  |

If neither of these dates and times are possible, please indicate what day and time would be best for you between 26/11/19 and 04/12/19

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| Your Name: |  | Signature: |  | Date: |  |

Please submit your application form to Jemima Waltho [jemima.waltho@ormistonacademies.co.uk](mailto:jemima.waltho@ormistonacademies.co.uk) by Monday 25 November 2019 . Phone interviews for shortlisted candidates will take place between 26/11/19-04/12/19. We will inform you of our decision via email by Friday 5 December 2019.