



AVANTI
INSTITUTE



Chartered Teacher Programme

Recognising excellence in teaching



Nourishing
minds

Always
learning

Making an
impact

2022 - 2023

CHARTERED
COLLEGE OF
TEACHING



Registered
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Who are we?

We are a family of 12 schools across the UK. Our vision for educational excellence is one where deeply inspired teachers nurture joyful students and nourish their innate passion for learning. Learning is a quest to discover each student's unique gifts and potential and lay the foundation for their lifelong journey of learning. This is inseparable from high academic standards, where a challenging holistic curriculum cultivates independently thoughtful and reflective students by working towards a sense of mastery, emphasising depth, and not just breadth.

"If we create a culture where every teacher believes they need to improve, not because they are not good enough, but because they can be even better, there's no limit to what we can achieve" Dylan Wiliam University of London.

At Avanti, we believe that high quality professional development for teachers, leaders and support staff, at every career stage, is the best route to improving the quality of education for our students.

Professional Development is a journey and not a destination. Effective professional development is integral to our success; to develop, engage, motivate and retain talented staff across the whole Avanti team. It is the catalyst for ongoing change, for educational innovation and for ever-evolving school improvement.

Research-informed CPD can address current issues in education by focusing on low-input, high-impact practices that are shared in a language that we all understand.

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What is the Chartered Teacher Programme?

The Chartered Teacher Programme is a pathway to gaining Chartered Teacher Status. It offers recognition to effective teachers, develops their expertise and celebrates excellence in the classroom. Assessment and accreditation are carried out by the Chartered College of Teaching.

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This leaflet outlines our approach to the Chartered Teacher Programme and Certificate in Evidence-Informed Practice. It should be read in conjunction with the Chartered College's brochure, which provides more detail about the programme itself and is available from the Chartered College website: chartered.college/chartered-teacher



Chartered Teacher Status recognises the knowledge, skills and behaviours of highly accomplished teachers and school leaders, focusing on developing and recognising high-quality teaching and leadership practice.



Why become a Chartered teacher?

In becoming Chartered, you will be recognised for evidence-informed, high-quality teaching practice, benefiting your school and the children and young people you work with. You can work towards Chartered Status at a pace that best suits you; our self-paced pathway is designed to ensure you have autonomy over your own professional learning and career progression.

Each Chartered Teacher assessment unit has been purposefully developed to enable you to showcase your expertise in a meaningful way, aligned with your own needs, role, career stage and school context. Undertaking the assessment units will help you to:

- Deepen and demonstrate your knowledge and understanding of evidence-informed policy and practice, assessment, curriculum and pedagogy
- Develop and apply your understanding of how to engage critically with educational research
- Understand how teachers develop their practice and what effective professional learning looks like
- Undertake an inquiry project in an area of your choice, to gain deeper insights into your teaching or leadership practices, with the ultimate aim to improve outcomes for the pupils you work with
- Evaluate the impact of your practice and reflect on your professional learning at key points.



Over 90% say Chartered Status has increased their use of evidence to benefit their leadership.



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Why work with Avanti?

By definition, Avanti means to move forward. We believe in giving our teachers, educators and supporters the resources and facility to move forward, whether that be professionally, mentally or spiritually.

Founded in 2021, The Avanti Institute exists to help teachers believe they can improve, not because they are not good enough but because they can be better; their really is no limit to their potential. Since its inception, the Institute has inspired and helped to develop the careers of teachers Nationwide.

Over the past year, The Avanti Institute has evolved enormously thanks to staff voice and robust research into 'quality professional learning' and what this looks and feels like. We want to shape this further by having external colleagues on board who can support us in our outreach work. For us now, it is all about how we measure its success.

You would be fully supported by a small team of Avanti Colleagues and would have access to our NEW Avanti Institute CPD Programme; Avanti Pathways focus on our key focus areas across our schools. Alongside this, you would also be invited to all webinars, moderation days, CPD events and INSET days throughout the year as well as receiving several keeping in touch meetings throughout the year.

As well as our partnership with The Chartered College, we also work alongside The Church of England delivering National Professional Qualification for Senior Leadership (NPQSL) and last but not least, we are proud delivery partners with Teach First and will work this year to recruit trainees, engage Avanti staff to become mentors and also promote staff to deliver the ITT programme in collaboration with Teach First; the UK's largest teacher training and leadership programme.



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Assessment Units

To achieve Chartered Status, you will need to complete the four Chartered Teacher assessment units. Each individual assessment unit is certified by the Chartered College of Teaching and offers a set number of credits towards Chartered Status.



**Register
as a candidate**

**Certificate
in Evidence
Informed
Practice**
(10 credits)

**Professional
Knowledge
Award**
(Examinations)
(30 credits)

**Development
of Teaching
Practice
Award**
(20 credits)

**Certificate in
Education
Research and
Inquiry**
(20 credits)

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Eligibility & Costings



The cost of undertaking the Chartered Teacher Programme with us is £900. This includes the Chartered College's registration, assessment and accreditation fees (£634 in total), so everything is covered.

Participants will need to be eligible for and hold full membership of the Chartered College of Teaching from the point of registration until the point of award, and must maintain membership in order to retain Chartered Teacher Status.

They will need to have a minimum of three years experience as a practising classroom teacher at the point of final award.

90% say that Chartered Status has made them more effective teachers and leaders

