London Schools Excellence Fund

English: the Key to Integration in London
Alphabetical list by project lead

The £2m English – Key to Integration in London programme is part of the 3rd bidding round of the London Schools Excellence Fund (LSEF). The LSEF invested £500,000 and £1.5m is funded by the European Integration Fund administered by the Home Office.

The main goal of the project is to improve the quality of teaching provision for non-EU pupils in primary and secondary schools and the English and school participation of their non-EU mothers. The project aims to increase the levels of literacy of non-EU pupils with English as an Additional Language (EAL); to improve the EAL support by their teachers and to facilitate pupils' integration into school by integrating their mothers better into the life of the school.

PROJECTS

Project Lead: Bethnal Green Academy
Project Title: EAL CPD Opportunities across London
Key Stage: 1, 2, 3 & 4
Grant Awarded: £ 122,292

Project Description: This project will create a Continual Professional Development hub of EAL excellence at Bethnal Green Academy, for local primary and secondary schools in Tower Hamlets. It will design and deliver a targeted literacy and academic language training programme for teachers of English, Maths, Science, History and Geography with the support of expert EAL consultants, tailored to meet the needs of the non-EU EAL pupils.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Teachers	Boroughs
4	69	Tower Hamlets

Project Lead: Burnside Secondary School
Project Title: English – The Key to Integration in Waltham Forest
Key Stage: 3 & 4
Grant Awarded: £ 161,013

Project Description: This project will build capacity within participating schools to deliver high quality teaching and learning experiences for non-EU EAL students. It will allow all participating schools to deliver Science to students in the earlier stages of English Language Development and improve the English language skills and engagement in schools of mothers of non-EU EAL students. The long term goal is to forge creative partnerships between EAL and subject specialists, and between the participating schools to act as an on-going hub of expertise within the Borough of Waltham Forest.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Teachers	Mothers engaged	Boroughs
4	65	30	Waltham Forest

Project Lead: Camden School for Girls
Project Title: Camden Project Supporting Non EU Mothers
Key Stage: 1, 2, 3 & 4
Grant Awarded: £83,242

Project Description: This project will transform the communication skills of non-EU mothers and will build their capacity to engage with schools and other providers to enhance their children's learning. It will provide information and knowledge about local and educational services in order to maximize the support for their children. It will develop the mothers' knowledge and understanding of the school systems and requirements. This will allow them to work collaboratively and effectively with teachers and be better integrated into the school community.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Mothers Engaged	Boroughs
4	63	Camden

Project Lead: Glebe Primary School
Project Title: Principles into Practice (P2P)
Key Stage: 1, 2, 3 & 4
Grant Awarded: £153,310

Project Description: Glebe Primary School is a Knowledge Centre for Inclusion (EAL). They will work in partnership with the Institute of Education they and teachers from schools in Brent to improve their EAL subject knowledge so that non-EU pupils make accelerated progress through Key Stage One, Key Stage Two and in transition to Key Stage Three. Through participation in the Principles into Practice programme, teachers will explore the key knowledge, principles and pedagogy about EAL.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Teachers	Boroughs
5	48	Brent, Harrow

Project Lead: Lampton Academy
Project Title: A Ladder of Teacher Training to Support Non-EU EAL Students in Mainstream Classrooms
Key Stage: 1, 2, 3 and 4
Grant Awarded: £111,983

Project Description: This project will develop and test three cross-phase training programmes. It aims to equip teachers at all stages in their careers with the skills to become outstanding practitioners for EAL pupils in the mainstream classroom.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Teachers	Boroughs
3	135	Hillingdon, Hounslow

Project Lead: London Borough of Enfield
Project Title: Integrating English into Enfield
Borough: Enfield
Key Stage: 2, 3 and 4
Grant Awarded: £102,759

Project Description: This project will provide teachers with LiLAC training supported via an online forum. Upon completion, teachers are supported to embed the knowledge gained by developing online resources and planning a booster scheme of work – either cross-curricular at KS2 and for supplementary schools or in the four priority subject areas [Maths, Science, English and Technology] for KS4.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Teachers	Boroughs
10	24	Enfield

Project Lead: London Borough of Harrow
Project Title: Securing Success
Borough: Harrow
Key Stage: 1, 2, 3 and 4
Grant Awarded: £105,759

Project Description: This project will develop EAL pedagogy and teaching materials by implementing a 'team-teaching' approach across 7 schools in LB Harrow. Teachers and consultants will work together to plan, deliver, and evaluate the learning methods and activities for the same group of pupils. The aim is to create classroom packs related to national curriculum units by employing academic English at various key stages. The ambition is to explore opportunities for pupils to consolidate learning in clubs or through creative activities such as arts and photography classes.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Teachers	Boroughs
7	116	Harrow

Project Lead: LB Harrow
Project Title: Mothers Matter
Borough: Barnet
Key Stage: 1 and 2
Grant Awarded: £110,359

Project Description: This project brings together eight schools from Barnet to help mothers of non-EU EAL pupils to improve their English language skills through accredited ESOL courses. It will also enable them to support their children's education through Family Learning and Parent Ambassadors. The learning from these programmes and initiatives will be disseminated to a wide range of schools in order to extend the impact of the project.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Mothers engaged	Boroughs

8	240	Barnet

Project Lead: Learning Unlimited
Project Title: Parents' Integration through Partnership (PIP)
Borough: Haringey, Lambeth
Key Stage: 1, 2, 3, & 4
Grant Awarded: £ 385,264

Project Description: This is a multi-strand project led by Learning Unlimited and working with school partnerships in Lambeth and Haringey. It aims to increase awareness, understanding and participation across and between school communities. They will achieve this by providing a series of programmes of workshops, trips and events which support integration and learning aimed at parents, their children, school staff and assistants, the wider school community and other key local stakeholders.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Mothers engaged	Boroughs
5	118	Haringey, Lambeth

Project Lead: Springfield Community Primary School
Project Title: English Skills development Through Outdoor Learning
Borough: Hackney
Key Stage: 1 & 2
Grant Awarded: £ 124,273

Project Description: This project involves taking pupils and their mothers out of the classroom into the natural environment where they are able to work together on school-based projects. The outdoors environment will make them more relaxed and prompt them to converse in English and enjoy spending time with their children. There will be joint mother-child sessions which alternate between learning in the outdoors (e.g. growing vegetables or building a waterproof shelter) and formal English classes led by a teacher and ESOL tutor.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Mothers engaged	Boroughs
6	120	Hackney

Project Lead: Vauxhall Primary School & Children's Centre
Project Title: English – The Key to Integration in London
Key Stage: 1 & 2
Grant Awarded: £82,998

Project Description: This project aims to raise the educational attainment of pupils, increase parental engagement and reduce economic disadvantage at Vauxhall Primary School and its partner schools through improving the English of the mothers and female carers.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Mothers engaged	Boroughs
5	300	Lambeth

Project Lead: Renaisi
Project Title: Mothers Together in School
Key Stage: 1 and 2
Grant Awarded: £100,234

Project Description: This project will engage Non-EU national mothers in their children's school using a combination of one-to-one bilingual advice surgeries, targeted ESOL lessons, family learning workshops and group outings. The mothers enrolled in the project will improve their English language skills and confidence, which will enable them to communicate with school staff, build networks of local mothers and engage in further school activities and opportunities.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Mothers engaged	Boroughs
6	108	Lewisham and Westminster

Project Lead: Waltham Forest Adult Learning Service
Project Title: English for Family and Community
Key Stage: 1 & 2
Grant Awarded: £91,377

Project Description: This project involves working in partnership with local schools to provide high quality English language training, enabling EAL speakers to integrate more with their local community, in particular their children's school community. The training sessions will include: healthy eating on a restricted budget, navigating and appropriate use of local health facilities and promoting local cultural opportunities for parents and children to enjoy together.

Project Output Targets

Schools	Mothers engaged	Boroughs
18	126	Waltham Forest