**The Barnsley HLTA Programme**

**(Higher Level Teaching Assistant****)**

**The Barnsley HLTA Programme for teaching assistants wanting to achieve the Barnsley Higher Level Teaching Assistant Status will be commencing in January 2019.**

**The programme will be delivered at****: Hoyland Common Primary Sheffield Rd, Hoyland**

**Common, Barnsley S74 0DJ**

**Dates as follows:**

**Day 1 January 17th 2019**

**Day 2 January 31st 2019**

**Day 3 February 28th 2019**

**Day 4 March 28th 2019 (an opportunity to complete tasks)**

# The cost of the programme will be £425 per candidate

**The basic entry requirements are as follows:**

* ***Level 2 qualification in Literacy and Numeracy.***
* ***Relevant experience***
* ***Evidence that candidates are regularly involved in whole class unsupported teaching***
* ***Evidence that candidates are regularly involved in planning and preparing lessons***
* ***Candidates have the head teacher’s support***



***More information can be found in the information pack (details below)***

**It is important to note that Teaching Assistants applying for the programme should already be meeting higher level standards. The programme’s aim is to assist candidates in preparing a portfolio of evidence to show they are meeting these standards.**

**The Barnsley HLTA programme will continue to be reflected for pay and grading purposes as a level 4 qualification. In addition candidates who achieve Barnsley HLTA status will also be eligible to access Huddersfield University’s course programme ‘Learning Support BA (Hons)’ credited with one module (equivalent to 30 credits).**



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| **The Barnsley HLTA information pack, application form and The HLTA Standards and** **Candidate Handbook can be found on the Tykes Teaching School Alliance website at:** [**http://www.tykestsa.education/**](http://www.tykestsa.education/)  **- Click NQT and HLTA – Higher Level Teaching Assistants – HLTA programme** *Alternatively you can email the address below for this information.*  |

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