Edale Rise Subject Leadership School Development Plan 2021/22

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Context

The curriculum at Edale has undergone substantial development over the past couple of years culminating in a knowledge-based curriculum that builds cumulatively from F1 to Year 6. Much of the strategic development of the curriculum was carried out by the deputy head teacher at the time. During a partnership review it was identified that school had strong senior leadership structures and pockets of strong middle leadership but that a focus moving forward should now be to develop the leadership skills of all subject leaders to allow for them to take strategic responsibility of their curriculum areas.

In 2021-2022, the Assistant Headteacher will actively supervise and support the development of subject leaders in PE, DT, music, science, PSHE and French. The Headteacher will actively supervise and support the development of the English, maths, art and Digital leads.

Priority 1: Leaders to become more effective in strategically developing their curriculum subject area.

- A. Staff to use subject leader review documents to support evaluation of the impact of their curriculum area and identification of future developments.
- B. Staff to use association memberships to keep on top of current national and international developments in their subjects.
- C. Staff to make links with other schools who identify particular subjects as areas of strength.
- D. Staff to follow the subject leader crib sheet to ensure clear foci for strategic development.
- E. KB to quality assure subject leader action plans

Priority 2: Upskill leaders to ensure that they are able to effectively monitor the impact of their curriculum subject.

- A. KB to conduct staff survey in order to identify areas where CPD is required and offer coaching sessions bespoke to individual needs.
- B. KB arrange staff meetings to be run by associate focussing on effective monitoring for all subject leaders.
- C. Staff to follow the subject leader responsibilities document in order to structure leadership time effectively and ensure that subject leader actions are impactful on outcomes for children.

Priority	Action	Details
1A	Staff to use subject leader review documents to support evaluation of the impact of their curriculum area and identification of future developments.	 KB to coach staff in using the SLR documents to structure actions and strategic leadership of their subjects over the year In regular meetings, both formal and informal, KB to ensure that subject leads maintain a consistent and clear vision for their subject. KB to ensure all subject leader review documents are up to date and stored centrally.

1B	Staff to use association memberships to keep on top of current national and international developments in their subjects.	 KB to ensure staff are aware of associations purchase and available to and put requests in for membership if costings are involved. Ensure subject leaders are sharing key resources from these organisations widely and monitoring their impact as part of their remit KB to monitor development of leaders subject knowledge in their areas, signposting them to relevant CPD when required.
1C	Staff to make links with other schools who identify particular subjects as areas of strength.	KB to facilitate links to be made i.e. finding suitable partnerships, use of associate links, facilitating meetings between schools.
1D	Staff to follow the subject leader crib sheet to ensure clear foci for strategic development.	 Ensure subject leader crib sheet is disseminated to all staff and expectations to staff are clear – use follow up emails to ensure that it is being used effectively. Use termly meetings to conduct coaching/support sessions with subject leads, using the crib sheet as a guide to ascertain confidence in leadership and security in subject vision.
1E	KB to quality assure subject leader action plans	All subject leaders to send actions plans to KB before autumn half term. KB to quality assure and identify any areas that need addressing with subject leaders e.g priorities, actions, ensuring impact on outcomes.
2A	KB to conduct staff survey in order to identify areas where CPD is required and offer coaching sessions bespoke to individual needs	 KB to disseminate survey and use staff responses to identify areas where staff may benefit from coaching style sessions. KB plan in time to meet with subject leaders to have coaching sessions.
2B	KB arrange staff meetings to be run by associate focussing on effective monitoring for all subject leaders.	 KB contact Claire Stafford to arrange staff meetings focusing on key areas of subject monitoring Staff meetings timetables for Spring 2022 KB to monitor implementation of learning from CPD through quality assuring subject leader monitoring documents.

2C	responsibilities document in order to	•	Subject leader responsibilities document to be shared at September inset day and disseminated to staff. KB to hold a central record of subject leader monitoring carried out detailing actions and impact. KB to follow up with staff on the effective use of the responsibilities document through coaching/check ins.					
	Assessment of Impact							
Autumn			Spring	Summer				
updates an strength a for quality meetings/ Autumn 2 All subject been carrieresponsibit focus mon Subject led time will b impact on KB to update	r leaders to carry out subject leader review and write action plans based on areas of and future actions — all action plans sent to assurance by half term. Follow up assurance by half term. Follow up according session arranged as needed. The leaders to ensure effective monitoring has all actions and crib sheet documents in order to all actions on impact and outcomes for childrent and subject leader are spent to ensure time is used effectively to curriculum outcomes. The action of the leader and arrange for subject leader actions and arrange for subject leader actions.	KB	Spring 1 Subject leaders to review action plans and amend where needed focussing on outcomes for children and whole school priorities. Subject leaders to inform KB on how subject leader time will be spent to ensure time is used effectively to impact on curriculum outcomes — evidence of staff using the subject leader crib sheet and responsibilities overviews should be evident in how effectively leaders are using their non-contact leadership time. KB to update central record of school monitoring.	Summer 1 Subject leaders to identify any areas of leadership they would still like to develop. Summer 2 Subject leaders to complete final subject leader reviews and identify future vision for the subject taking into account whole school priorities. KB to update central record of school monitoring.				
Key Dates: 15 th Oct – deadline for all action plans and updated subject reviews			Key Dates: Staff meetings TBA All updated documents sent to KB by 25 th March 2022	Key Dates: All subject documents reviewed and sent to KB by 18 th July 2022				