

The Teaching School Race & Diversity Journey

Start

2017

The Teaching School committed to do more to raise the profile of under-represented groups in Education and to championing Inclusion.

Partnerships were created with Stonewall, with Women Ed and a suite of CPD was delivered linked to LGBTQ.

2018

The Teaching School was successful in a bid to become a 'Women in Leadership Hub' with the DFE and this initiative was launched with a range of conferences, CPD, Networking events and Coaching.

Numbers of female SLEs doubled and attendance at events was high. Women reported increased confidence and 17 of the women involved achieved promotion.

2019

The Teaching School made a commitment to develop its work on Race & Diversity and forged a partnership with Leeds Beckett CRED (Centre for Race & Decoloniality)

Lisa Fathers was appointed as a Professional Associate of CRED and began supporting with CPD, advice & advocacy .

A formal partnership was cemented with ACT Citizenship Hub and we became a delivery partner.

2020

The RSHE Hub was launched with a focus on embracing diversity, social justice, human rights and is linked to our Citizenship work.
April 2020

The Black Lives Matter movement and the death of George Floyd spurred on this work.

The Teaching School responded swiftly, issuing a statement on our website and launching the Race & Diversity Hub to include a resource base, CPD, open dialogue panel discussions.

The Teaching School worked in partnership with CRED to raise the profile of the issues and contributed to the development of the Anti-Racist School Award which is now being piloted at one of our schools.

The Future