

The
MaternityTeacher
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Project

The UK's charity for parent-educators.

Support and entitlements for pregnant and expectant staff.

Networking, coaching and professional development during parental leave.

Return to work workshops and coaching support.

Family- and life-friendly schools.

Making teaching a sustainable career choice.



Ebor Academy Trust is working with the MTPT project to support our colleagues who are taking the maternity or paternity journey and balance their new life stage with their careers. Click on the links below to access a range of support, coaching and learning opportunities endorsed by the Trust and delivered through our partners at the MTPT project.

There are local and national opportunities including social media and WhatsApp groups which can put you in touch with other people and connect you with the project, its events and activities.

MTPT offer a “Cradle to Classroom” package of coaching and transition support to colleagues working in education.

The different programmes and workshops support you at each stage of your parenting journey, and help you to make choices about your personal and professional life that are right from you.

Coaching over the parental leave and transition period can result in improved wellbeing, positive occupational mobility, and retention within the teaching profession. Read more about the impact of our 1:1 coaching programmes in our [2025 Coaching Impact Survey](#) report.

Our [Parental Leave group coaching](#) programme and [Return to Work workshops](#) are fully-funded for colleagues working in state schools in England. Fully funded access to our [Sustain and Grow group coaching](#) programme are also available in most regions in England.

Stay updated on our progress to secure fully-funded access to all of our programmes by joining our [mailing list](#) or [get in touch](#) to contribute to our fundraising.

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