



You Teach

Supporting BAME Graduates into the Teaching profession

Programme Aims

- To introduce Graduates from Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic backgrounds to the teaching profession
- To support BAME graduates through the application process – both for teacher training courses and their first teaching position
- To provide a support network for BAME teachers allowing sharing of resources and advice

Session 1: Being a Teacher

The first session focuses on the real life experiences and daily life of a teacher. It will help you ask – is this the profession for you? What is expected of teachers on a daily basis? Who is there to support you in times of need?

The session will also have allocated time to work one-to-one with a Nida tutor who can talk through your individual circumstances and steps you may need to take to be ultimately successful.

Session 2: Communicating Your Philosophy

This session looks at the importance of clarity in communication, providing clear guidelines as to how best to communicate with young people. It also explores different pedagogies of teaching, introducing participants to various philosophies of education, including those from the Islamic tradition, and exploring how these are still relevant in modern-day education systems.

The session will look practically at how you communicate your own teaching philosophy in an interview – either for a new job or a teacher-training course.

Session 3: The Creative Classroom

The final session will explore what an outstanding lesson looks like. It will convey best practice of teaching as well as allow all participants to explore their own visions of great teaching.

Finally, You Teach participants will speak one-to-one with Nida tutors to ensure that their applications to Universities and/or jobs are well prepared.

Session 1: Saturday 7th October

Session 2: Saturday 25th November

Session 3: Saturday 3rd February

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Location: The City Academy, Homerton Row, Hackney, E9 6EA

Time: 10am – 12:30pm

Networking

Along with the formal content of the You Teach Programme, a core aim is to ensure BAME participants have access to a supportive network of teachers. Time is always allocated to sharing resources and experiences. Nida Trust has key partnerships with leaders in the profession and with Higher Education institutions.

Milestones

by December

Nida Trust will organise you a School Placement to ensure you have experienced what it's like in a school.

by January

Nida Trust will assist you in your application form for either a teacher training course or your first teaching position.

by June

You Teach Participants should have a position on a teacher training course or in employment.

What Next?

Nida Trust runs the “Accelerating into Leadership” course for teachers interested in leadership positions. We also work closely with Christ’s Canterbury University and their Leadership MA and Doctorate programmes.