

As an Appropriate Body we are required by the DfE to run our service on a not-for-profit basis. This means our price always represents the lowest figure at which we can deliver the service without compromising on the high quality, responsive support that we offer ECTs and their schools across the two years of induction. In addition, we benchmark our prices against other Teaching School Hub-based delivery to ensure our service represents excellent value for money.

# **SWIFT AB Standard Package**

SWIFT AB Standard Package for those schools using a training provider to deliver ECF-based training | Cohort C starting September 2023 | £380

Year 1 Costs	Year 2 Costs
£190 per ECT	£190 per ECT

#### Included:

- Independent quality assurance of the Early Career Teacher induction and entitlements
- Quality assurance of, and expert review of both formal end of year assessments and progress reviews, against the teacher standards
- Centralised registration of ECTs across the region, with the Teaching Regulation Agency (TRA)
- Centralised point of contact for all schools and ECTs; direct telephone and online support through our central Hub team
- Expert advice and training for Headteachers and ECF Induction Tutors in all school settings
- Welcome, induction and EQT Manager training for ECTs (live and recorded webinar)
- Access to the EQT Manager website, a simple and secure paperless system for ECT registration, assessments and induction resources
- Regular drop-in clinics for Q&A support for both ECTs and Induction Tutors
- Email reminders for key actions and deadlines
- An Induction Handbook which will provide Induction Tutors, Headteachers, Governors and ECTs with the key information needed to support the Induction process
- Clear and supportive advice where ECTs are at risk of failure with advice on appropriate ECT personal support plans
- Up to two days of monitoring visits and feedback should an ECT or school raise concerns\*

\*Support for ECTs raising concerns includes up to 2 days of support/visits at the discretion of the Appropriate Body. Additional visits will be charged on a daily basis at £350 per day, this will be agreed with the school in advance. These may be made up of online meetings and / or face to face visits depending upon need.



SWIFT AB Package for those schools using the DfE-accredited materials to deliver ECF-based training | Cohort C starting September 2023 | £380 plus cost of CIP Fidelity Checks (see table below)

#### Included:

- SWIFT AB Standard Package and
- Initial orientation meeting between school and AB to discuss the programme & requirements
- Handbook sent to school
- Pre programme fidelity checks paperwork/programme overview & delivery with feedback meeting
- On hand strategic lead support throughout
- Schools to provide detailed breakdown of the programme for years 1 and 2
- Organisation of fidelity check 1
- Fidelity check 1 school visit & visit overview
- Follow-up meeting from fidelity check 1
- If the AB conclude that further support and/or visits are required to ensure fidelity to the ECF, these will be charged at rate in the table below:

*Number of ECTs	Year 1 Costs	Year 2 Costs	Additional Fidelity Checks
	£190 per ECT PLUS	£190 per ECT PLUS	
1 - 3	£375 per school	£375 per school	Additional Fidelity Checks £500
	To include	To include	Fidelity check includes – organisation, half day visit and visit
	Desktop check of programme	*Desktop check of programme	notes carried out by two AB strategic leads, follow-up meeting.
	Fidelity check 1	Fidelity check 1	
4 – 6	£475 per school	£475 per school	Additional Fidelity Checks £800
	To include	To include	Fidelity check – organisation, one whole day visit and visit notes
	Desktop check of programme	Desktop check of programme	carried out by two AB strategic leads, follow-up meeting
	Fidelity check 1	Fidelity check 1	
7 – 9	£575 per school	£575 per school	Additional Fidelity Checks £1,100
	To include	To include	Fidelity check – organisation, 1.5 days visit and visit notes
	Desktop check of programme	Desktop check of programme	carried out by two AB strategic leads, follow-up meeting
	Fidelity check 1	Fidelity check 1	
10+	£675 per school	£675 per school	Additional Fidelity Checks £1,400
	To include	To include	Fidelity check – organisation, two day visit and visit notes
	Desktop check of programme	Desktop check of programme	carried out by two AB strategic leads, follow-up meeting
	Fidelity check 1	Fidelity check 1	

<sup>\*</sup>Should a school recruit additional ECTs part way through the year and move up into the next category, the charges in the higher category will applicable at that point and the school will be invoiced the difference up to the next category as the AB will need to carry out further fidelity checks with those ECTs who have joined part way through.



SWIFT AB Package for those schools designing and delivering their own training programme based on the ECF | Cohort C starting September 2023 | £380 plus cost of SBP Fidelity Checks (see table below)

Year 1 Costs	Year 2 Costs	Fidelity Checks	
£190 per ECT	£190 per ECT	A daily rate of £350 will be charged for the fidelity checking of school designed Induction and ECF	
Plus costs for fidelity check	Plus costs for fidelity check	Programmes. The school will be advised on the number of days in advance.	

ABs are expected to check in a greater level of detail where schools have opted to design their own ECF programme due to the greater risk that a school designed induction could diverge from the ECF when DfE accredited materials are not used as the basis for an induction programme. 'DfE April 2021'

### Included:

• SWIFT AB Standard Package and

## Fidelity Checks to ensure:

- ECTs and Mentors receive a programme of support and training based on the ECF induction programme.
- The induction's design covers the evidence-based statements in the ECF.
- ECTs have received planned elements of the induction.
- Checks to ensure the materials and sessions are in line with the statutory guidance for induction and meet the ECF standards.
- Schools to provide detailed breakdown of the programme for years 1 and 2 showing how the ECF statements are sequenced for the induction period year.