



## **Forest Independent Primary Collegiate**

School Centred Initial Teacher Training  
Limes Avenue, Chigwell, Essex

**Start end of January 2008**

### **Continuous Professional Development**

#### **MA in Education at the FIPC in partnership with Middlesex University**

The first module of three, 'Developing Professional Practice' contributes to the part time MA course.

A. Developing Professional Practice consists of a programme with the following stages:

1. Personal and School Needs Analysis
2. Planning Personal Learning and Development
3. The Programme of learning activities over three terms
4. Evaluation of impact and personal learning
5. Planning the next steps

Assessment is through the production of a portfolio of evidence of professional learning.

The module represents a year's work and is credit rated as 60 level 4 credits. It is supported by twilight seminars, "learning sets" (group support) and face-to-face and on-line tutorials.

Fees are payable to Middlesex University and are currently £780 per module. Schools may be willing to support their staff in their professional development.

The two modules in the following years are:

B. Action research for personal and school development

C. Dissertation

Applicants should hold a first degree. Those with a PGCE or equivalent would be able to complete the course over two years by doing modules A and C.

#### **Doctorate in Education in collaboration with Middlesex University.**

Applicants should have an MA degree or equivalent. The Doctorate in Education combines taught courses, research projects and thesis and is practice based.

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