

Welcome to the Steel City Schools Partnership – Who are we?

As a recently converted Multi-Academy Trust and with a very clear vision and ambition for the Trust, Directors are keen to ensure they recruit and retain the highest caliber of candidates to be part of the Trust to provide the very best education possible to the children we serve.

The Steel City Schools Partnership has been formed following a long established partnership between local schools and is led by Montenev Primary School, a National Support School. Montenev has been in Federation with Fox Hill Primary for 3 years since September 2009, following 2 years in a “Learning Partnership” and since January 2012 has been in partnership with Mansel Primary. Montenev is a converting Academy and is sponsoring both Fox Hill and Mansel Primaries. All 3 schools serve the Parson Cross / Fox Hill estates in the North of the Sheffield and predominantly feed into Yewlands Technology College, also an Academy. The Family of Schools has extensive history of working collaboratively, in a number of areas including Leadership and Governance, SEN, Teaching and Learning and Science and has won national awards for its work.

The Multi-Academy Trust has been established to ensure a local, primary led partnership of schools with an ambition to work closely with other Academies and schools in both formal and informal arrangements. The Trust aims to provide a high quality learning and cultural environment that inspires and motivates children, staff and the wider community to engage in education and learning. The “To provide a first class, innovative education for all” philosophy drives policy, practice and governance in order to achieve this. Leadership development, succession planning and capacity building are also priorities for the Trust.

As a Multi Academy Trust we work closely and value greatly our relationship with a number of local and regional partners being a Strategic Partner with the Wickersley Teaching Schools Alliance, The EOS Teaching School Alliance (Led by Hartsholme Academy Lincoln) and a partner with the Sheffield Teaching School Alliance (Birley Spa and Silverdale) and FUSION (Talbot and The Rowan). With Fox Hill and Montenev leading an Innovation and Leadership Hub for Sheffield we have also been very successful in our CPD programme and outreach work, leading cross phase cohorts of MLDP (to be NPQML), Developing Learning Programme and our very successful NQT and GTP programme. We have lead staff who are subject experts at Level 1, 2 and 3 of the Leadership License and are pleased to be recognised as sites to host NPQH and PEL (Primary Executive Leadership) placements.

Academies currently within the Steel City Schools Partnership

Fox Hill Primary

Mansel Primary

Montenev Primary