

## Quality Rating (QR)



**Do you want your CPD services quality assured against robust international standards from an international expert in CPD?**

The QR service is:

- Fully aligned with the official DfE CPD Standard
- A vehicle for promoting your achievement
- A reliable and practical way of assessing and improving existing and new products and services.

*“We are really pleased with the outcome of the report, and the recommendations will be very useful in improving our provision for the future”*

The Girls' Day School Trust

## The Service

### How does it work?

Data about the current systems and processes are collected via:

- Individual interviews with facilitators/course designers
- Observations of provision
- Participant surveys
- Documentary analysis

The processes have been designed to be as unobtrusive as possible, to use data, documents etc that the provider has created for other purposes.




### What will you actually get?

- A report analysing your provision's professional learning environment against four effectiveness areas and four benchmark levels.
- A set of findings in each area highlighting the provider's strengths and outlining areas for improvement.

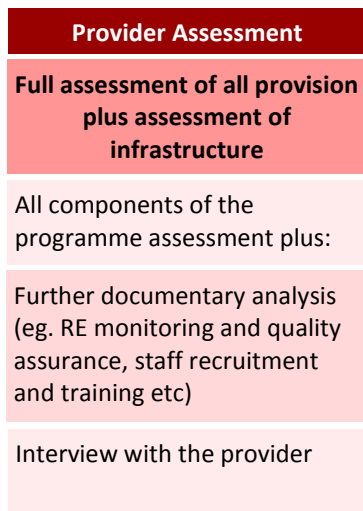
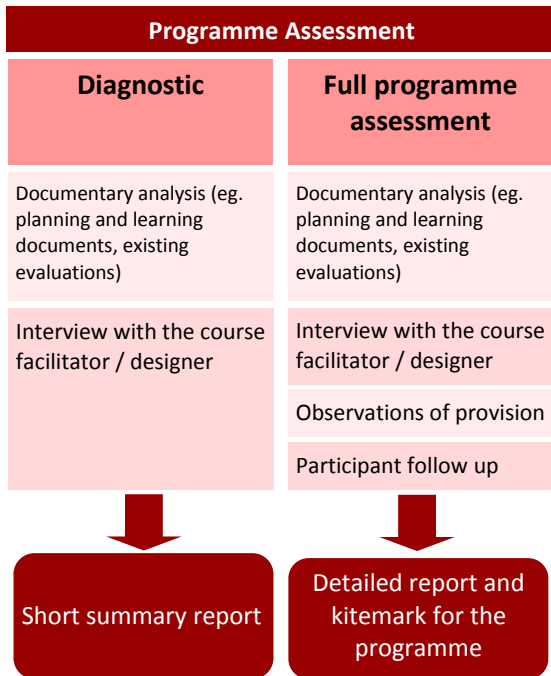
## An Example

**The following is an extract taken from a recent report:**

In order to build on these strengths and increase the learning potential of the CPD programme, **the provider should focus on:**

-  Introducing activities and tools that would enable participants to explore their current teaching practice and reveal precisely how they affect their students' mind-sets and motivation.
-  Setting up (virtual/distant) peer networks or other mechanisms (such as follow up sessions) in order to sustain and support colleagues' learning after attending a course.
-  Collecting more detailed diagnostic information about the participants in advance (eg. about prior knowledge and expectations for the training) and tailor and differentiate the material accordingly.

## What are the levels of service?



Detailed report and kitemark for the provider

## What are the standards?

CUREE assesses provision against an array of criteria derived from the evidence about effective CPD. Quality Rating will assess the extent to which you:

- Use high leverage professional learning methods in your CPD delivery.
- Create an environment that effectively supports participants' learning.
- Secure consistency, coherence and high quality in your provision (provider level assessment).

Depth of Impact Profile - We will also examine the level of potential impact of the evaluated provision on participants' practice and pupil learning. We will assess this in four areas:

- Improving and evaluating outcomes for young people
- Making use of robust evidence and expertise to inform judgements
- Sustaining collaborative CPD that includes expert challenge
- Designing from effective needs analysis

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## Raising the Quality of CPD

**Schools are increasingly discerning buyers of CPD and they want someone they can trust. CUREE can help by assessing the quality of your School or College's CPD offer using our Quality Rating (QR) service.**



**Could your CPD provision be more effective for participants and their learners?**

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CPD Provider Quality Rating: Excellent