

Sign up for the school leader development programme by Teach for Belgium

What you get

<u>Practical, tailored training:</u> Develop hands-on school leadership skills designed to address your unique challenges as a school leader.

<u>Peer support and networking:</u> Become part of an empowering community where you can learn from and share experiences with fellow school leaders, both locally and internationally. These networks offer continuous support and fresh perspectives on common issues.

<u>International inspiration:</u> Access insights and strategies from diverse educational systems across Europe, enriching your approach and broadening your vision.

<u>Lasting impact:</u> Use proven tools and strategies to improve staff retention, strengthen your school environment, and make a tangible difference in your community.

THE PROGRAMME IN A NUTSHELL

Leadership Empowerment and
Development for Inclusive education
in Europe (LEAD-IN)

LEAD-IN is our pioneering program supported by Erasmus+, bringing together partners from the 'Teach for- 'organizations in Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria and Poland, and Karel de Grote Hogeschool in Belgium as a research partner. The project spans two academic years (2024-2026) and aims to empower school leaders to guide and support their school teams towards ownership of an inclusive culture. Here's why and how you can be part of this transformational initiative.

Training agenda

Planning of activities													
May 25	June 25	July 25	Aug 25	Sep 25	Oct 25	Nov 25	Dec 25	Jan 26	Feb 26	Mar 26	Apr 26	May 26	June 26
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Х	Half day training session (3h) in Brussels X Full day training sessions (2 times 3h) in Brussels							Schedule and content 1 May 27th AM, 2025 – Leadership starts with self-awareness					
	Networking & learning moment after training(s) (1h), each of them focused on a specific school challenge							2 May 27 th PM, 2025 – Inclusion assessment 3 Sep 25 th AM, 2025 – Make your inclusive school culture visible 4 Dec 2 nd AM, 2025 – Lean on your team (1)					
	Online international leadership exchanges (2h)							5 Dec 2 nd PM, 2025 – Lean on your team (2) 6 Jan 28 th AM, 2026 – Sustained focus on Instructional improvemen					
	Optional – International leadership exchanges (2 days)							7 Mar 12 th PM, 2026 – Design a strong inclusive support system 8 May 19 th PM, 2026 – Setting directions for a more inclusive schoo					



Commitment and Eligibility

- <u>Team Participation:</u> You and a colleague from your school, both holding (or soon to hold) leadership roles, must join. It is relevant to have 2 persons of your leadership team as it will enable you to share insights and strengthen the impact in the school.
- <u>Full Engagement:</u> A commitment to the entire program is key for a significant and impactful experience and lasting results the sessions are not independent from one another. The two international exchanges which you will be able to subscribe for are optional and are financed by Erasmus+.
- Out-of-school: All national training sessions will take place in Brussels in NL and FR (two groups)
- <u>Participation cost:</u> The program is free for its participants, as it is co-funded by Erasmus+, only transportation costs to and from Brussels are financed by the participants.

Apply

To sign up or in case you have questions, please send an email to Simon Geerinck (contact details below) with the following information (in FR/NL). Please take the time to do this well, as this will help us understand your needs and expectations.

- The name, roles and contact details of your colleague and yourself
- The school you are working in and its main location
- The reason why you want to join the program, including a short description of what you see as the current strengths of your school and your challenges (might be related to inclusion and staff/student empowerment, but not necessarily)

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