

NIPT

National Induction Programme for Teachers

The NIPT is the Support Service which provides support and training to schools engaging in the *Droichead* process at both Primary and Post-Primary Level.

What is *Droichead*?

Droichead is an integrated professional induction framework which is based on a whole school approach in supporting newly qualified teachers' (NQTs) professional learning.

Find out more at:

www.teacherinduction.ie/en/supports/droichead

or

www.teachingcouncil.ie/en/Teacher-Education/Droichead/

The following is the Growth Phase of *Droichead* at Primary Level

Droichead is the route of induction for:

2016/17	NQTs in SEN settings
2017/18	NQTs in SEN settings or in large primary schools where there is a principal and 24 or more mainstream teachers
2018/19	NQTs in SEN settings and in large primary schools with 16 or more teachers
2019/20	NQTs in SEN settings and in all primary schools with administrative principals
2020/21	All primary NQTs

Any school can choose to engage in the *Droichead* process at any time prior to the dates set out above.

To register for *Droichead* and access Professional Support Team Training, please log on to the NIPT website www.teacherinduction.ie and click on Register for Professional Support Team Training on the banner at the top of the home page.