

# Management Excellence for Teachers

Management Excellence for Teachers programme (MET) began in 2009 when school principals identified a need for schools and teachers to engage with businesses. In a typical session, business leaders showcase best practice in a chosen topic in their industry. The teachers can also be provided with a site tour which is invaluable. Workshops and breakout sessions form a key element to challenge perspectives, practices and thinking. Teachers will meet with managers and employees and hear about careers, skills and qualities that are valued in today's fast paced workplaces.



173 sessions to date

100% of Companies reported that MET provided a valuable CR activity for their business



Impacted 3,756 Teachers

97% of teachers found MET applicable to their educational roles

## Recent topics:

- Resilience
- Communication Styles
- Vision
- Leadership
- Motivation
- Branding, Marketing & PR
- Change Management
- Coding
- Work Life Balance
- Wellness



## Benefits

- Adds value to a company's Corporate Responsibility strategy
- A unique opportunity for continuous professional development for teachers & employees
- An opportunity for teachers to keep up to date with best practices and technologies
- Engagement between the business and school communities
- Funded and approved by the Department of Education & Skills



# Company Feedback

*"It's good to touch base with the teachers to see what they really need/want."*

*"It is great to be able to support teachers in our community and build a network with them."*

*"Great to be able to inform schools of what's necessary for jobs now. It keeps things fresh."*

*"Gives us a feel for what's needed from us as a company and what's needed in schools."*

*"There's learning from both sides of the table and both parties get an appreciation of each other."*

## Teacher Feedback

*'It is difficult for teachers to get access to what industry wants. This programme provides that access.'* - Accenture S2S & Guidance Counsellors, Cork

*'I had never seen how science transfers to industry. In experiments in class I can now relate what I have seen today.'* - Allergan & Guidance Counsellors & STEM Teachers, Mayo

*'Everyone that spoke to us was so enthusiastic and it gave us real ink to pass on to potential science students.'* - Abbott Diagnostics Division & Guidance Counsellors & STEM Teachers, Sligo

*'There is just no substitute for seeing and experiencing something rather than watching a video or hearing about it.'* - Abbott Diabetes Care & Guidance Counsellors & STEM Teachers, Donegal

*'Excellent, a must have for every school.'* - IBM & St. Aidan's CC, Cork

*'Commanded my attention from start to finish. Compounded my long felt sentiments about apprenticeships.'* - Suir Engineering & Guidance Counsellors, South East Region

*'Great ideas on how to communicate with colleagues more frequently and efficiently.'* - Intel & Thomond CC, Limerick

*'Such a lack of upskilling in this area of career. So delighted to have this.'*  
- Accenture S2S & Guidance Counsellors, Dublin

*'Practical, relevant, very focused towards our aim.'* - Friends First & St. Laurence's College, Dublin 3

