**Teaching and Leadership Innovation Fund (TLIF)**

**Priority Areas**

This annex sets out the names of the twelve Opportunity Areas and the Category 5 and 6 Local Area Districts that are the priority areas for the Teaching and Leadership Innovation Fund.

**List of opportunity areas:**

1. Blackpool
2. Bradford
3. Derby
4. Doncaster
5. Fenland & East Cambridgeshire
6. Hastings
7. Ipswich
8. Norwich
9. Oldham
10. Scarborough
11. Stoke-on-Trent
12. West Somerset

**Category 5 and 6 Local Authority Districts**

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| **Category 6** | **Category** **5** |
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| Amber Valley |
| Barnsley |
| Blackpool |
| Bolsover |
| Bradford |
| Breckland |
| Chesterfield |
| Corby |
| Crawley |
| Daventry |
| Derby |
| Doncaster |
| East Cambridgeshire |
| East Northamptonshire |
| East Riding of Yorkshire |
| East Staffordshire |
| Erewash |
| Fenland |
| Forest Heath |
| Gosport |
| Great Yarmouth |
| Hastings |
| High Peak |
| Huntingdonshire |
| Ipswich |
| Isle of Wight |
| Kettering |
| King's Lynn and West Norfolk |
| Kingston upon Hull, City of |
| Knowsley |
| Liverpool |
| Middlesbrough |
| North East Derbyshire |
| North East Lincolnshire |
| Northampton |
| Northumberland |
| Norwich |
| Nottingham |
| Oldham |
| Peterborough |
| Portsmouth |
| Sandwell |
| Scarborough |
| South Derbyshire |
| South Holland |
| Stoke-on-Trent |
| Tamworth |
| Walsall |
| Waveney |
| Wellingborough |
| West Somerset |
| Weymouth and Portland |
| Wolverhampton |
| Worthing |

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| Allerdale |
| Arun |
| Ashfield |
| Ashford |
| Babergh |
| Basingstoke and Deane |
| Bracknell Forest |
| Braintree |
| Broxtowe |
| Burnley |
| Cannock Chase |
| Carlisle |
| Coventry |
| Dudley |
| East Lindsey |
| Eden |
| Gravesham |
| Halton |
| Havant |
| Kirklees |
| Leicester |
| Lewes |
| Lincoln |
| Luton |
| Mansfield |
| Medway |
| Mid Suffolk |
| Milton Keynes |
| Newark and Sherwood |
| North Lincolnshire |
| North Warwickshire |
| Nuneaton and Bedworth |
| Pendle |
| Reading |
| Rochdale |
| Salford |
| Sefton |
| Sheffield |
| South Staffordshire |
| St Edmundsbury |
| St. Helens |
| Stafford |
| Staffordshire Moorlands |
| Stevenage |
| Swindon |
| Tameside |
| Telford and Wrekin |
| Tendring |
| Thanet |
| Torridge |
| Warrington |
| Wirral |
| Wychavon |
| Wyre Forest |

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**Detail on the methodology is available at:**

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/defining-achieving-excellence-areas-methodology