

EXPERTS IN EDUCATION FOR NEWCOMERS





Who are we?

LOWAN supports schools that provide initial education to newcomers, both primary and secondary schools. We can also provide support to local councils, partnerships, education support organizations, lesson developers and publishers. And schools that receive former ISK pupils can ask LOWAN for advice.

Advice and support for the initial education of newcomers

An increasing number of schools in our country provide initial education to newcomers. Pupils who often have very different backgrounds, views and education levels. Teachers, school leaders and directors can ask us for assistance.

We can help with issues such as:

- Organizing the initial education.
- Rules and regulations.
- Financing.
- Teaching practice.
- Transfer to regular education.

Our advisors are there to help you, over the phone, by e-mail or in person.

Sharing and connecting

As a network organization, LOWAN is in contact with school boards, schools, local councils, national authorities, (umbrella) organizations and other support organizations. We are always fully informed of the latest (policy) developments and know what is going on in schools and on the work floor.

LOWAN is the point of contact, the helpdesk and the knowledge broker. We share our expertise and give examples of good practice by holding seminars and special meetings. We also initiate projects that support the education provided to newcomers. Our way of working contributes to solutions and deals with concrete issues related to the education of newcomers.

Knowledge and information online

Our website is the place for news, background information, checklists, research reports and instruments for the initial education of newcomers. You can also find information about courses, training and seminars on our website.

Find more information at www.lowan.nl

- An overview of the primary and secondary education schools that provide initial education to newcomers.
- Financial regulations and other rules and regulations.
- The latest news and information.
- Newcomer education in your region.
- Quality assurance, inspection and professionalization possibilities.
- Care and support for pupils.
- Education targets, testing, inflow and outflow.
- A database of lesson material, professional literature and training.
- LOWAN networks.

Online community

Both LOWAN-PO and LOWAN-VO have a free accessible community that you can join. The community is a private online platform where you can exchange information and build social contacts with fellow professionals.

This community offers the opportunity to engage in conversation with colleagues and to share knowledge with each other. It is the place to exchange information about teaching newcomers. You will find new developments and meetings, inspiring videos, blogs and you can ask questions. Sign up at www.lowan-po.nl or www.lowan-vo.nl.



TIP!

Do you want to stay up to date with the latest news and developments in the education for newcomers? Then register for our newsletter at www.lowan.nl. Please note that the newsletter is issued in Dutch.



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