**Research Project:** Promoting schools’ positive orientations to diversity to improve educational outcomes for multilingual learners

**Phase 1 interview questions for school senior leadership teams**

1. Tell me about the numbers of and languages of the multilingual pupils in your school.
2. In which ways does multilingualism/EAL figure in your school development planning?
3. How and by whom are multilingual pupils given support in your school currently?
4. What would you say are the current successes and challenges in your school’s support for multilingual learners?
5. If you have accessed EMTAS support in the past –
   1. can you tell me about the focus of that and which aspects, if any, became a part of school practice?
   2. can you tell me about which aspects of the support you have not continued to use?
6. Is your school currently engaged in oracy education in any way?
7. If we designed an online toolkit for schools, to drive their own professional learning for EAL, what sort of materials might you find useful?