

## Smarter schools, smarter systems

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## Smarter schools?

- Suggestion?
- intention/purpose?
- Aims?
- Motivation?



## Part of system/s

- Needs & interests?
- Similarities?
- Differences?
- Lines of continuity?



## Smarter systems?

- Conceptualise partnerships
- Acknowledge history & context
- Recognise challenges & tensions
- Take account of policy milieu



## Smarter systems

- Facilitate/coordinate MoU
- Work respectfully
- Enter learning partnerships
- Be mindful of real politik



**Table 1:** Domain Weights for the IMD 2007

	<b>Domain Weight</b>
Income Deprivation Domain	22.5 %
Employment Deprivation Domain	22.5%
Health Deprivation and Disability Domain	13.5%
Education, Skills and Training Deprivation Domain	13.5%
Barriers to Housing and Services Domain	9.3%
Crime Domain	9.3%
Living Environment Deprivation Domain	9.3%



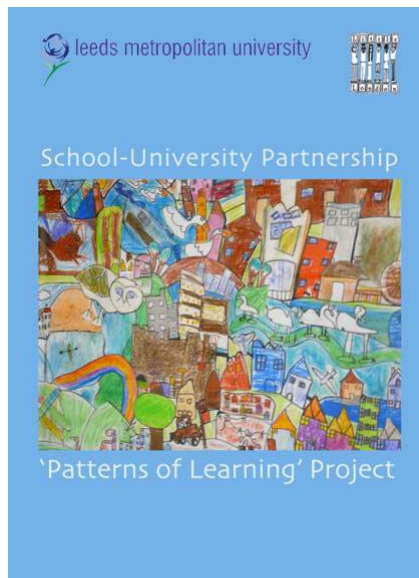




## Possible terms of partnership?

- PLD seminar-workshops
- Teacher action inquiries
- School-based work
- Teacher accreditation
- Widening participation/recruitment
- Newsletters & going public





Opportunities to build knowledge and understandings ... all our activities, including reading, geared to asking:

- What do you know about teaching?
- how do you describe it?
- What can we share?

...naming educational ideas & finding common ground btw staff klg & academic klg



## Principles

- Partners register a commitment
- Recognition of the complexities
- Acknowledgement of constraints
- Sustained PLD
- Find the common ground
- Understanding context & its impact
- A tailored response
- Respectful and trustworthy relationships

