



School Direct (Tuition) Route - PGCE

As a former Training School and a UCL, Institute of Education Specialist Partner in Initial Teacher Training we have significant experience in working with our trainees to move them rapidly into becoming outstanding teachers and leaders of the future. Many of our trainees now hold positions in middle and senior leadership roles in local schools. This is supported by our work with the Seven Kings Teaching School Alliance and within the Waltham Forest Secondary Challenge Partnership. We endeavour to ensure that trainees will go on to work within their host school or local area although there is no absolute guarantee of employment.

Our School Direct training is delivered in partnership with the Institute of Education (University of London) and the University of East London.

School Direct Training Route

A PGCE based course with QTS awarded at the end.
1 year in length

Secondary School Direct Places

Chemistry (Non-Salaried) placements Code 26SG IOE
Art and Design (Non-Salaried) placements Code 2MV3 IOE
Design Technology (Non-Salaried) placements Code 26SN UEL
English (Non-Salaried) placements Code 2MV5 IOE
English (Non-Salaried) placements Code 2P9N UEL
Maths (Non-Salaried) placements Code 2MV6 IOE
Maths (Non-Salaried) placements Code 2LXG UEL
Geography (Non-Salaried) placements Code 26SK IOE
Music (Non-Salaried) placements Code 2P9M IOE
History (Non-Salaried) placements Code 26SL IOE
History (Non-Salaried) placements Code 2P9I UEL



Entry Requirements

1. Degree classification: 2:2 or above
2. The degree must be in related academic subject area
3. Grade C or above in GCSE English and Mathematics
4. Trainees will be required to pass the skills tests before starting the course (preferably prior to interview). This will need to be completed by June 1st at the latest
5. School experience (e.g. observation or previous work as a TA) before applying to the course is highly favourable.

The application process starts in October each year through the Department of Education's online application portal.

<https://getintoteaching.education.gov.uk/explore-my-options/teacher-training-routes/school-led-training/school-direct>

We do intend to contact short-listed candidates from December for interviews from January.

Please note: Acceptance onto the programmes subject to passing the skills test by June 1st and a further interview with either the University of East London or with UCL, the Institute of Education.

If you have any queries, you can contact:

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For more information about tuition fees and maintenance please visit:

<https://www.gov.uk/student-finance>

We look forward to your application.

