

Why (not) train to teach?

School Direct Primary PGCE Programme 2018-2019, delivered by Synergy Teaching School in partnership with University of Derby.

Start your Teacher Training in the classroom with us at Synergy Teaching School in Good and Outstanding Schools across Derbyshire.

We are looking for:

- people with the right personal qualities and potential to be outstanding teachers
- excellent interpersonal skills
- 2:2 degree in a relevant subject
- English, Maths and Science GCSE - grade C and above
- meaningful experience across the primary key stages
- already passed, or have the ability to pass, their skills tests

We will provide:

- an outstanding academic (The University of Derby) and 'hands-on' school-based experience in a variety of settings
- a bespoke training package based on Derby University's outstanding teacher training programme
- The supported and guidance of an experienced personal mentor
- learn alongside inspiring, passionate, outstanding teachers
- learn to be a successful, confident and effective teacher
- Train in a range of Outstanding schools across Derbyshire
- a stimulating learning experience in a variety of schools
- The opportunity to study for Masters credits with Derby University

If you are passionate about teaching, and committed to working to support children, then we would love to work with you.

If you prefer to spend more time training in the classroom, putting theory into practice and gaining confidence through increased contact with the school environment, then a School Direct programme could be right for you.

School Direct (QTS) is a school-based post graduate approach to teacher training, which gives the opportunity to access high quality school based initial teacher training and leads to Qualified Teaching Status. We work in partnership with the University of Derby to provide a school-led training course giving you the chance to learn 'on the job' in a school environment. You work as part of the teaching team, learning from experienced outstanding colleagues and immediately putting your new skills into practice.

Train to be a Primary Teacher through 4Derbyshire Teaching School Alliance, based at Longwood Infant School in Pinxton, and with our outstanding ITT partner, Derby University. At 4Derbyshire, we are committed to training outstanding teachers for our primary schools. We are an outstanding National Teaching School with a proven track record of training the next generation of teachers.

For further information, including how to apply, funding and bursaries, entry requirements and top tips for completing your application, please contact Anju Virdee at A.Virdee@longwood.derbyshire.sch.uk, or apply through the UCAS website at www.ucas.com/ucas/teacher-training