



School Direct Training Programme in Partnership with University of Wolverhampton

Course length: 1 year, beginning September 2021

Qualifications needed

All entrants must have achieved a standard equivalent to a grade 4 in GCSE examinations in English, Mathematics and Science. All entrants must hold a degree of a UK Higher Educational Institution or an equivalent qualification.

Other requirements

Before taking up a place, all applicants must complete an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check, agree to abide by the University of Wolverhampton Code of Professional Conduct and Fitness to Practice and complete relevant checks to ensure they have the health and physical capacity to teach. Experience in a primary school may be set as a condition following interview.

About the Elston Hall and St Bartholomew's Teaching School Alliance:

Elston Hall and St Bartholomew's Teaching School Alliance was formed in 2015. Elston Hall Primary School is an Ofsted Outstanding three form entry school, and leads the Elston Hall Multi Academy Trust, which also incorporates Palmers Cross Primary, Edward the Elder Primary, Goldthorn Park Primary and Pheasey Park Farm Primary School. St Bartholomew's CE Primary School is also an Ofsted Outstanding school, and leads the St Bartholomew's CE Multi Academy Trust, which also consists of St Benedict Biscop CE Primary School, Woodfield Primary School and All Saints' CE School Primary School (Trysull). All schools that participate in the partnership are within the Wolverhampton and South Staffordshire region. Both lead schools work together to deliver Continuous Professional Development to professionals across the city and beyond. Trainees across the Alliance are extremely well supported by their school-based mentors, and we have a commendable success rate of Newly Qualified Teachers passing their NQT year. Working within the Alliance gives students the opportunity to experience a wide variety of settings across the city, from one form entry schools, to schools with 700+ pupils. Both MATs also have a strong reputation of 'growing their own leaders' with many previous NQTs now in middle and senior management positions. Recently Qualified Teachers (RQTs) also have the opportunity to continue into a tailored programme of support.

About the accredited provider

The Institute of Education is one of the West Midlands' largest providers of teacher education. It offers high quality learning facilities, including well equipped teaching rooms, cutting edge learning spaces, lecture theatres and a social learning environment. Ofsted rated the Institute as particularly effective in developing highly professional teachers with the skills to reflect critically on their teaching in order to improve it.

For more information about School Direct visit:

<https://www.wlv.ac.uk/schools-and-institutes/faculty-of-education-health-and-wellbeing/institute-of-education/teacher-teaching/school-direct/>

Equal Opportunities

Elston Hall and St Bartholomew's Teaching School Alliance supports an inclusive vision. Where needed, we will make reasonable adjustments to support disabled job applicants and employees. We will ensure disabled people can overcome any substantial disadvantages they may have doing their jobs and progressing in work. We want to make sure that all our students get the most from training with us. By telling us about your disability as early as possible, we can identify any support that you may need.



Contact details

Contact details for Elston Hall MAT

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Telephone: 01902558866

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Contact details for St Bartholomew's MAT

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UCAS Information - Tuition route

Accredited provider: University of Wolverhampton

Course offered QTS full time

Qualification PGCE and Qualified teacher status (with 60 Masters Level Credits)

Course length 1 year

Date you can apply from October 2020

Training provider code: W75

Training programme code: J956

Route: School Direct training programme

Subjects: Primary

Mode of study: Full time

Teaching placement days: 120 days

Prior Experience needed: No requirement

University Training days: Approx 50 days

Finances: TBC – self funded/ tuition fee loan (2020-21 fees were £9250)

UCAS Information - Salaried route

Accredited provider: University of Wolverhampton

Course offered: QTS full time

Qualification: 20 Masters Level Credits

Course length: 1 year

Date you can apply from: October 2020

Training provider code: W75

Training programme code: N527

Route: School Direct training programme

Subjects: Primary

Mode of study: Full time

Teaching placement days: 170 days

Prior Experience needed: At least three years careers experience

University Training Days: 20 days

Finances: Salary paid TBC (typically starting around £17,682)