

PGCE Part Time: Key Features

Primary and Secondary – Maths, Science, Welsh, English, English with Drama, English with Media Studies, ICT and D&T, MFL

Benefits to Students

- › Appeals to broad range of demographics including career changers, carers & parents
- › A flexible route into teaching, continue with part-time employment whilst studying
- › Students on this self-funded route, may be eligible for student loans and incentive grants

Benefits to Schools

- › OU ITE Partnership reimburses more for multiple student placements
- › Supports schools as sites of learning
- › Access to CPL opportunities, close to practice research projects, mentoring and coaching
- › Network of mainstream and special schools in all local authorities in Wales

Familiarisation:
Year 1, PGCE1: Nov – March
Practice Learning: 25 days
(2 to 3 days per week)

Consolidation:
Year 1, PGCE2: Apr – July
Practice Learning: 35 days
(2 to 3 days per week)

Autonomy:
Year 2, PGCE3: Oct – May
Practice Learning: 60 days
(2 to 3 days per week + a full-time 30 day block)