

# Entry Requirements - Qualifications

The School Direct Training Programme focuses on developing teaching skills. You should be a graduate, preferably with a 1st or a 2:1, though we are willing to consider applicants who have a 2:2 who can demonstrate a real aptitude for teaching and learning.

If you studied for your degree abroad, you will need to check with the National Recognition Information Centre (NARIC) as to whether it is equivalent to a UK degree. Visit [www.naric.org.uk/naric/](http://www.naric.org.uk/naric/) for more information.

You will need at least a grade C in both GCSE English, Maths and Science. Original qualification certificates must be provided at interview.

It is desirable that you are able to tell us about recent and relevant experience in a relevant school setting, preferably within the last 12 months. Your references should be able to tell us about your skills, experience and the contribution you have made within a range of contexts for example: academic, business, educational.

Successful applicants will not be permitted to begin their training without being in possession of an Enhanced Criminal Bureau check which verifies your suitability for working with young people.