

PGCE Entry Requirements 2011/12

	GCSE (C or above)			Degree (or equivalent)		Other			
	Must have before applying	Must have before starting	Not needed	Min Award	Subject	A-Level (or equivalent)	Enhancement Course Accepted	School Experience	Notes
Primary and Early Years	Maths English Science			2:2 Honours	Any subject area	Not needed	No	Min. 2 weeks	2:1 honours degree is preferable.
Art and Design	Maths English		Science	2:2 Honours	Fine Art or Applied Art & Design e.g. Ceramics, Textiles, Photography, Graphics.	Desirable to have A&D or related subject	No	Min. 2 weeks	All applicants are required to bring portfolio to interview.
Design and Technology		Maths English	Science	Pass	Degree relating to one of four specialisms.	Desirable to have D&T or related subject	Yes	Min. 2 weeks	If Food Technology degree you must have another area of expertise (control and systems i.e. electronics, computer control, pneumatics or mechanisms; textiles technology; resistant materials i.e. wood, metal, plastics).
English	Maths English		Science	2:2 Honours	Usually at least 50% English content. Joint degrees should have a text-based second subject.	Must have English (min. grade C)	No	Min. 2 weeks	Linguistics or EFL background beneficial.
ICT		Maths English	Science	Pass	At least 50% ICT content, or degree in any subject with high level of proven personal and/or work-related experience in ICT.	Desirable to have ICT or related subject	Yes	Min. 2 weeks	
Maths	Maths	English	Science	Pass	Mathematics or a related subject with at least 50% suitable maths content.	Must have Maths	Yes	Min. 2 weeks	Suitability for the MEC and the nature of the Mathematics in the first degree will be discussed at interview.
Modern Languages	English	Maths	Science	Pass	At least 50% in French/ German/ Spanish/ Italian. Or foreign nationals with fluent English holding a non-language degree from the above countries.	Must have Language(s)	Yes	Min. 2 weeks	All applicants are required to have 2 Modern Languages, one of which should be at Degree level, minimum; and the second to be of at least A-level standard.
Music	Maths English		Science	Pass	Music	Desirable to have Music	No	Min. 2 weeks	Some keyboard skills would be desirable.
PE	Maths English		Science	2:2 Honours	Sports Science, Sports Studies or PE	Desirable to have PE or related subject	No	Min. 2 weeks	
RE		Maths English	Science	Pass	Religious Studies, Theology (or combination with Philosophy), Anthropology, African Studies, Sociology, Classics, History.	Desirable to have RE, Sociology, History or related subject	No	Min. 2 weeks	Any degree with belief systems components. We'll also consider candidates who have lived in, for example, India and have a strong interest in religions.
Science	Maths	English		Pass	Science or a related subject with at least 50% suitable science content e.g. Environmental Studies, psychology, zoology.	Must have Science	Yes	Min. 2 weeks	
Science/ Physics	Maths	English		Pass	Physics or a related subject with at least 50% suitable physics content	Must have Science	Yes	Min. 2 weeks	
Science/ Chemistry	Maths	English		Pass	Chemistry or a related subject with at least 50% suitable chemistry content	Must have Science	Yes	Min. 2 weeks	

Note: If you do not have the required GCSE qualifications we will accept equivalency tests from www.equivalencytesting.com