

Routes into Teaching



Red Kite Teacher Training and Teach First

Postgraduate routes

- Higher Education Institution (HEI)
- School Centred Initial Teacher Training (SCITT)
- School Direct Training
- School Direct Salaried
- Teach First



Postgraduate routes

SCITT

A school based course led by group of schools who work together to provide teacher training. The schools have undergone an accreditation process to become a provider of ITT.



School Direct

A school based course led by a group of schools working with an HEI or SCITT to provide teacher training.

The salaried route is usually for candidates who can demonstrate significant school experience and who can take over classes without a teacher present from day 1.

Similarities (HEI, SCITT, SD)

- Find course via DfE Publish
- Apply through UCAS Teacher Training
- All lead to Qualified Teacher Status (but not all lead to PGCE)
- One year course (except part time SD salaried)
- DfE bursaries available depending on course



Teacher Training Overview

Some of the main elements of teacher training are:

- Interviews
- Taught programme
- Placements (Two contrasting schools)
- Visits to you on placement
- QTS Assessment
- PGCE Masters level assignments
- Making recommendations for QTS



Fees, bursaries and scholarships

Information about bursaries and scholarships available at

<https://getintoteaching.education.gov.uk/bursaries-and-funding>



A photograph of two children jumping joyfully outdoors. The child on the left is a girl with long blonde hair, wearing a purple t-shirt and dark blue pants. The child on the right is a boy wearing a blue and white striped t-shirt and khaki pants. They are both with their arms raised and feet off the ground. The background is a blurred outdoor setting with a brick building and greenery.

The Teach First route

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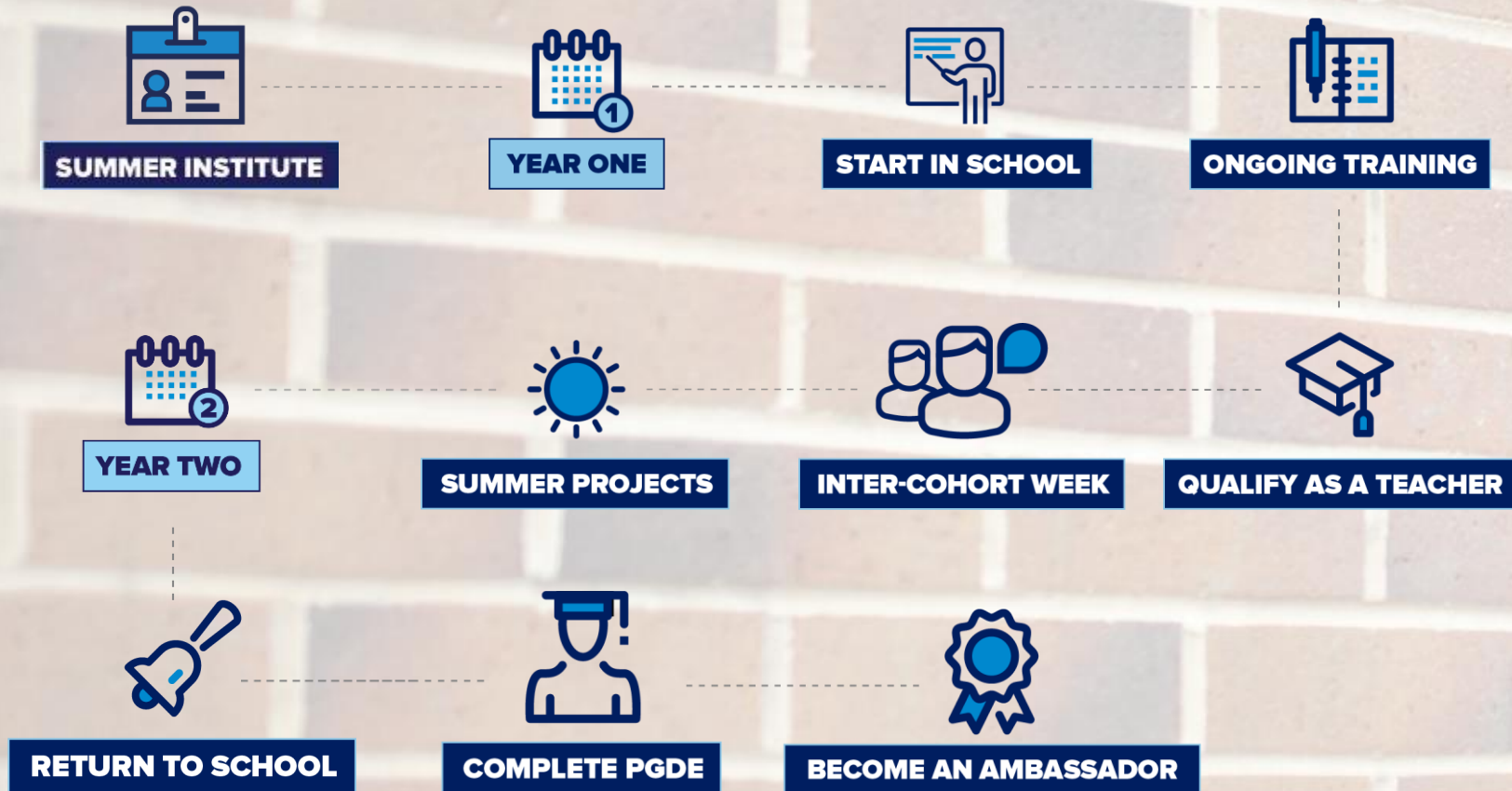
**We believe
no child's dream
should ever be
out of reach because
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Your journey



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Leadership Development Programme

Opportunity to be part of a charity working toward a vision

Intensive teacher training leading to a fully funded PGDE

Opportunity to pursue a Master's qualification at reduced cost

Ongoing coaching, business training and skills workshops

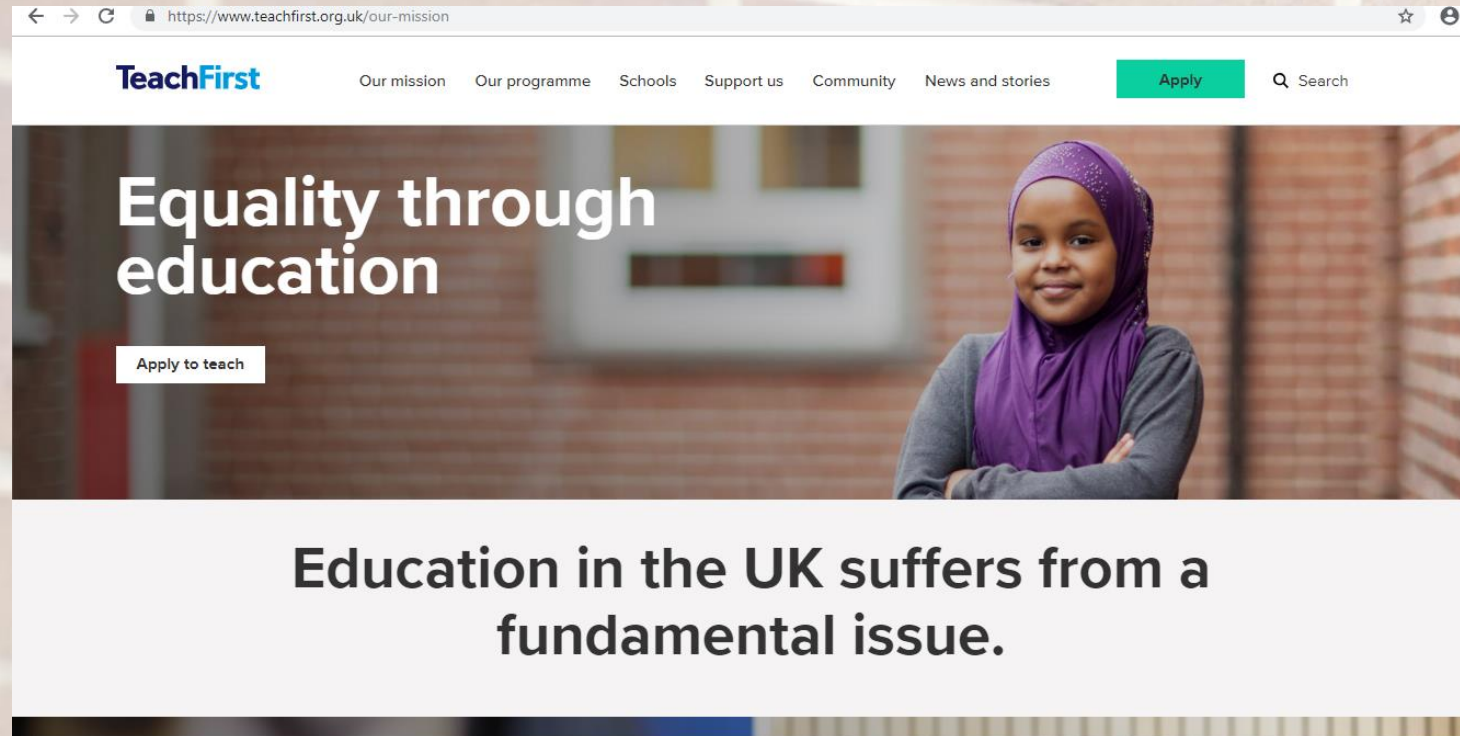
No previous teaching experience required

Full-time, paid position for a minimum of two years

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Questions to ask yourself

- Can I choose the area I will train in?
- Do I want to spend more or less time in schools?
- Do I want to be in school straight away or spend more time in taught sessions at the beginning?
- Do I want my placements to be in a specific group of schools?
- Do I want to do Masters level work or do a QTS only route?
- Who do I want to support my progress and wellbeing on the course?
- Do I need a salary to train?