

Where can I find more information?

Further details are available on Bishop Grosseteste University website. All applications for training places are made through the UCAS Teacher Training; the application cycle usually runs from late autumn through to June. The Get into Teaching website provides a range of support tools and guidance, including eligibility, bursaries and funding, application writing and subject knowledge enhancement (SKE) opportunities. If you wish to contact the Paragon ITT team, please email Chris Clayton using the Teaching School emails address paragon@phoenix.peterborough.sch.uk

We also welcome contact from other schools interested in working with us on our School Direct programme.



MEET THE TEAM!



There are several opportunities to meet the School Direct team. We hold open evenings and open mornings throughout the year. You will have the opportunity to meet the key members of staff involved with School Direct and initial teacher training.

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ITT at Phoenix School

Phoenix School Direct Programme
PGCE with QTS

Phoenix School is a Teaching school
and forms the Paragon Teaching
School Alliance.

Paragon Teaching School Alliance
works in partnership with Bishop
Grosseteste University to offer our
School Direct programme for Initial
Teacher Training (ITT) across both the
primary and secondary phases. This
school-led programme enables
successful trainees to achieve
Qualified Teacher Status (QTS), a Post
Graduate Certificate in Education
(PGCE) and 60 credits towards a
Masters level qualification.

How does the programme work?

Trainees are placed in their host school from the start of the year and typically spend six weeks in a second school to ensure a breadth of experience. Complementing the programme of training sessions at Bishop Grosseteste University, we draw on the expertise and strengths of outstanding classroom teachers, mentors and leadership team members from across the alliance to support participants through a tailored training programme. Through our partnership of largely Outstanding and Good schools we offer training places in a wide range of subjects and phases which change annually based on school demand – check the UCAS Teacher Training website for latest information on availability.



Why choose Phoenix School Direct?

Aspiring teachers on our School Direct programme have the opportunity to work and train within an alliance with diversity at its core. Our alliance of schools is dedicated to making a difference to the lives of some of the most disadvantaged young people in the city.

Phoenix School is developing both a local and national reputation for being a centre of excellence within teaching and learning and continues to offer a plethora of training opportunities for all staff.

We continue to build on our strong culture where Phoenix staff see themselves as educators working in partnership with families and teams of multi professionals.

The age range is from 2 -19 serving the Peterborough catchment and local neighbouring authorities primary, secondary and sixth-form all on one site, alongside the new 14-19 provision.

Phoenix School has been graded Outstanding by Ofsted on three consecutive inspections. Similarly, BG University has been commended in 2015 as a good provider for all its school-based ITT provision. If you are ambitious, enthusiastic and passionate about teaching and working with young people, we want to hear from you!

In what subjects/phases are you offering training places?

The Phoenix School Direct Programme is recruiting ambitious and committed future teachers to Training Route places in primary we do not anticipate offering Salaried Route places in.

Primary trainees may register for either lower primary (Foundation Stage and KS1) or Upper primary (Key Stage 2)

We are delighted to work alongside our partner primary and secondary schools to offer this School Direct programme. Successful applicants may be placed at any of our partner schools.

