

Why Schools Direct?

School Direct is a school led programme.

It gives:

- ★ In-depth experience in the classroom
- ★ Range of placements in great schools including SEN, Early Years and Europe
- ★ Experienced Alliance Lead to support you
- ★ SLEs, experienced teachers and leaders provide practical training sessions
- ★ University led sessions supporting academic development
- ★ PGCE as well as QTS

To find out more....

Please see website for further details
www.britanniateachingschool.org.uk

For more information please contact
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Attend an event:
Email: office@btsa.org

Train to Teach:
Stoke and Staffordshire Event
Date: Tuesday 20th September 2016

Time: 4.30-7pm

**Location: St Josephs College,
London Road,
Trent Vale,
Stoke-on-Trent,
ST4 5NT**



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TEACHING SCHOOL ALLIANCE

Releasing Potential

Thinking about a career in teaching?

**Choose School Direct at BTSA
PGCE and QTS**
**BTSA in partnership with the
University of Derby**



Why choose BTSA for your ITT programme?

BTSA is a very successful partnership of schools committed to delivering the highest quality ITT through partnership with great schools and a great university – the University of Derby

Participating Main Placement Schools in Stoke, North Staffs and East Cheshire:

Belgrave St. Bartholomew's Academy

St Nathaniel's Academy

Kingsland Academy

Cranberry Academy

St Mark's Academy

The Crescent Academy

Weston Heights Infants

Parkhall Academy

Offley Primary

Hungerford Academy

Wistaston Academy

Haslington Primary

St Paul's Primary

Scholar Green Primary

Newstead Primary Academy

Eaton Park Academy

Other great schools in the local area are also involved in second and enhanced placements

Strong, well established partnership looking forward to the next cohort of school direct trainees

Successful track record – 2015 100% of trainees graded good or better

Successful employment record- above national success rate

University is an outstanding provider for ITT

Opportunities for varied placements in great schools

Unique opportunity for enhanced placement in Holland for international teacher training week.

Wide range of experts to provide practical help and support

Well established Continuing Professional Development programme with BTSA for every stage of your career

Well established and successful NQT and RQT programmes to support you in your first years of teaching

As well as Qualified Teacher Status you will gain a PGCE equivalent to a third of a masters degree with the University of Derby upon completion of the programme

Alliance Lead is involved in developing school direct regionally

About the programme...

Ready to apply?

Application process 2016/17:

UCAS portal opens October 2016
early application advised

Quotes / photos from past trainees:

"Total immersion in the school environment, and tailor made, personalised learning experiences mean that you get exactly what YOU need from the course".



"Although lectures, seminars and books inform the pedagogy of good and outstanding teaching, I found that I learnt the most from being immersed in the role of a teacher from the very beginning. The route allows you to learn within the school setting, with the support, guidance and expertise of experienced teachers, mentors and alliance leaders. This practical experience enables you to develop your practice and build your confidence in the classroom."



"School direct is hard work but very rewarding with lots of support. It's the best way to prepare you for life as a qualified teacher!"

