

Which route into teaching is right for me?

	SCITT (School- Centred Initial Teacher Training)	School Direct Fee- Paying 1JW	School Direct Salaried	Assessment Only
What are the minimum requirements?	✓ Degree: grade 2:2 or above ✓ Standard equivalent to a GCSE grade 4 in English ✓ Standard Equivalent to a GCSE grade 4 in Maths		✓ Degree: grade 2:2 or above ✓ Standard equivalent to a GCSE grade 4 in English ✓ Standard Equivalent to a GCSE grade 4 in Maths	All of those listed left, PLUS ✓ Two years' teaching experience in at least two schools
Do I pay tuition fees?	Yes - £9,250 full time, £6,000 a year part time You can pay using Student Finance		No	Yes (£2,500)*
Will I get a Salary?	No		Yes – unqualified teacher pay range starts at £18,419	You will continue to be employed by your school
Could I be eligible for a bursary or a scholarship?	Bursaries are available in the following subjects: Biology, Chemistry, Computing, Design & Technology, English, Geography, Languages, Maths and Physics. Scholarships are available in Chemistry, Computing, Geography, Languages, Maths and Physics		No	No
How long is the course?	One academic year full time or two academic years part time		One academic year, full time	Three months/12 weeks
Will I be awarded QTS	Yes, awarded by Mid Essex ITT		Yes, awarded by Mid Essex ITT	Yes, awarded by Mid Essex ITT
Will I receive a PGCE?	Yes, accredited by Anglia Ruskin University		No (or you can opt in to complete the PGCE at a cost)	No
What training/support will I get	 ✓ Gradual approach to training, best fitting the needs of the candidate ✓ Mentor support in the classroom for every lesson ✓ A maximum of 12 lessons per week 		✓ Teaching lessons from your first week ✓ No Mentor support in the classroom ✓ Best suited to candidates with classroom experience	✓ No training provided ✓ Only suitable for candidates with classroom experience