

Primary Education (PGDE)

Perth College UHI

Venues

Main Campus
Virtual Learning Environment (VLE)

Content

The PGDE consists of 18 weeks study at the university, plus 19 weeks in professional practice in schools. The placements in schools are arranged nationally and you will be placed in schools within travelling distance of your home or term-time address.

This course is offered at ten of our partner colleges who work in partnership with their local authority. It is also offered in partnership with the Scottish Borders council for applicants based in the Borders and registered through Moray College UHI. You will be required to have a home or term-time address in the local authority area of your chosen campus. Graduates of the course will hold provisional registration as a Primary Teacher with the General Teaching Council for Scotland.

You will benefit from studying in small, locally based groups while collaborating remotely with other student teachers and tutors across the university's network of colleges. The programme overlaps significantly with the PGDE Secondary to offer a cross-sector perspective.

A mandatory three-day residential induction is held at the start of the course with a further one in March which focuses on outdoor learning. Each local cohort will also organise a showcase event at the end of the course, as part of developing leadership.

Start Date

August

Qualification

Postgraduate Diploma

Study Method

Full time

UCAS Code

English (X100) Gaelic Medium (X103)

Course Length

1 year

Department

Education and Childcare

Entry Requirements

Undergraduate degree, 2:2 or above preferred. Higher English at C or above and Maths or Applications of Maths at National 5. Those applying for Gaelic pathway must be fluent in Gaelic.

SCQF Level

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