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ARE YOU INTERESTED IN TEACHING?



DBS Check

To enrol on this course you must hold a satisfactory Disclosure and Barring Service Certificate (DBS) for your placement setting.

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Train to Teach in Further
Education and Skills

Is there a teacher in you?

An enormous number of teaching opportunities exist across the learning and skills sector, in organisations including further education colleges, sixth forms, adult and community learning, the NHS, the prison service, the police service and in private sector training organisations.

UCLan programmes are designed for those wishing to pursue a teaching career in these organisations. The programmes offer a sound introduction to teaching, giving you an integrated overview of the theory and practice of teaching.

The range of 3 courses offers a starting point for everyone, whether you want to get into teaching or already work as a teacher but do not have a teaching qualification. All course work is related to the actual teaching practice situation. Your teaching placement (paid or voluntary) is a central feature of the introductory and intermediate programmes.



Preparatory Certificate in Education & Training (Level 4)

This award is designed to give you a taster of teaching and prepare you to teach and will introduce you to teaching and learning as a process. The course aims to develop the personal and practical skills that you will need in a teaching or training role.

Progression to:

- Introductory Certificate in Education & Training
- Intermediate Certificate in Teaching, Learning & Assessment
- PGCE/Certificate in Education

Introductory Certificate in Education & Training (Level 4)

This Certificate is suitable for anyone who has a limited role in teaching, training and tutoring, or where teaching / training is not the main part of your job. Focussing on reflective practice, the course will support you in developing links between educational theory and practical application in your teaching practice.

Teaching practice:

You will need to complete a minimum of 30 hours of teaching practice as part of this qualification.

Progression to module 3 of:

- Intermediate Certificate in Teaching, Learning & Assessment
- PGCE/Certificate in Education

Intermediate Certificate in Teaching, Learning and Assessment (Level 5)

Comprising 3 modules, this programme is particularly suitable if you do not need a full teaching qualification such as the Cert Ed/PGCE, but would like to leave the way open to progress to the full award in the future.

Teaching practice:

You will need to complete a minimum of 75 hours of teaching practice as part of this qualification.

Progression to year 2 of:

- PGCE/Certificate in Education

Entry Requirements

- A Level 3 (QCF) qualification in your teaching subject specialism. Under exceptional circumstances some entrants may hold a relevant vocational qualification of at least the level above that of their learners.
- Five GCSEs at Grade C and above, or equivalent, to include English.
- The ability to communicate fluently, accurately and effectively in professional spoken English (IELTS 7.5 or equivalent).