

Primary NQT+ Programme

NEW for this year– our custom designed NQT+ programme.

This year's trainees and NQTs will have faced a significant reduction in their classroom experience and, as such, this is going to have a huge impact on them when they take up their NQT posts. Alongside this, only 79% of required Computing ITT students were recruited meaning that many posts will be unfilled leaving NQTs possibly teaching outside of their specialism.^[1] To help these trainees, and current NQTs, to succeed next year and remain in the profession we have designed our programme to support them through this difficult year.

Subscription

As a school or MAT you can subscribe to individual components of the programme or the package as a whole. Bespoke packages based around this model are available, please contact us to discuss.

NQT+ programme	Detail	When	Cost per school
3 x Network meetings	Termly NQT+ Meetings—liaise with other NQTs, participate in focussed discussions on pedagogical issues	September, January and June	£180
1 x Remote CPD sessions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to Primary Computing (4 x 1 hr remote facilitator led sessions) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Autumn Term twilights 	Fully Funded
3 x Face-to-face sessions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teaching and Leading KS1 or KS2 Computing (Day 1) Teaching and Leading KS1 or KS2 Computing (Day 2) Primary Programming and Algorithms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 day course Autumn term 1 day course Spring term 1 day course Summer term 	£105
NQT conference	A conference with keynote speaker and several workshops to boost pedagogy and	Summer term	£85

Further details from Stephen Burrowes, sburrowes@potteries.ac.uk

[1] Department for Education, (28/11/2019). ITT_Census_201920_Main_Tables_final_261119.xls. [online] Available at: <https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/initial-teacher-training-trainee-number-census-2019-to-2020> [Accessed 04/06/20]

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For face-to-face courses, one teacher from each state-funded school is eligible for a bursary in any one academic year.

Bursary (one teacher per school) £220

Total cost for NQT Programme = £180 + £105 + 85 = £370
minus Bursary = **£150**

Supporting offers from the National Centre for Computing Education

NCCE

As well as the NQT+ programme, NCCE have a range of offers available to all teachers within Primary Computing. These are detailed below.

Online CPD

www.teachcomputing.org

Free to access

Creating an inclusive classroom: Approaches to supporting learners with SEND in Computing

Explore ways to make your computing lessons more inclusive for learners with special educational needs and disabilities

Improving Computing Classroom Practice Through Action Research

Apply action research to your teaching and become a more reflective practitioner

Programming Pedagogy in Primary Schools: Developing Computing Teaching

Investigate a range of pedagogical approaches for teaching programming to primary pupils

Teaching Programming in Primary Schools

Understand key programming concepts and apply them using Scratch



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