

INITIAL TEACHER TRAINING ACADEMIC YEAR 2025 – 2026 Bursaries & Scholarships

Bursaries and scholarships are available to trainees on tuition fee-based teacher training courses in England that lead to the award of <u>qualified teacher status (QTS)</u>.

Receiving a bursary or scholarship depends on:

- highest relevant academic award
- ITT subject

In languages and physics, trainees starting courses in the academic year 2025 to 2026 will not need to be eligible for student finance to be eligible for a bursary or scholarship.

In all other subjects, trainees are only eligible for a bursary or scholarship if they are entitled to support under the student finance criteria.

Non-UK trainees should read <u>Train to teach in England as a non-UK citizen</u>. Applicants with a degree from outside the UK should use <u>Teach in England if you trained outside</u> the UK.

For 2025 to 2026 we are offering bursaries of:

- £29,000 in chemistry, computing, mathematics and physics
- £26,000 in biology, design and technology, geography and languages (including ancient languages)
- £10,000 in art and design, music and RE
- £5,000 in English

Applicants may be eligible for a bursary if they have 1st, 2:1, 2:2, PhD or master's.

We are offering scholarships of:

- £31,000 in chemistry, computing, mathematics and physics
- £28,000 in French, German and Spanish (no other languages)

Scholarships are usually available to applicants with a 1st, 2:1, master's or PhD, though in exceptional circumstances they may be awarded to a graduate with a 2:2 and significant relevant experience.