

Assessment Only Route (Primary QTS) Pre-application Audit



Audit entry criteria		Yes	No	See guidance below
1.	I am currently employed as an unqualified teacher in a school in the UK			Please apply for a teacher's role in a school in the UK.
2.	I have taught the equivalent of at least 2 years as an unqualified teacher in a primary school or early years setting (PRU, SEND, mainstream, maintained or independent) in the UK or abroad?			The minimum expectations is 2 years teaching- once you have that experience then return to the pre-application audit ready to apply for the Assessment Only Route
3.	I have taught for at least 2 years a full timetable (70-80% of an NQT timetable) as an unqualified teacher			Ask your school to offer you a greater teaching load that enables you to teach across the whole curriculum and both Key stages- this should usually equate to the timetable teaching load of an NQT (we suggest for a minimum of one term).
4.	I have taught all primary subjects (including PE, phonics and music)			Ask your school to provide you with additional opportunities to teach across the whole curriculum and support you developing a portfolio of evidence to meet the Teachers' Standards
5.	I have taught across two consecutive Key stages (3-7 or 5-11 years old)			Ask your school to provide you with additional opportunities to teach across both the key stages in which you wish to be assessed
6.	I have suitable and sustained experience teaching across the ability range (adapting teaching to respond to the strengths and needs of all pupils (including pupils with SEND, EAL, working above and below age related expectations and from diverse backgrounds)			Ask your school to provide you with additional opportunities to teach pupils with SEND, EAL, working above and below age related expectations and from diverse backgrounds
7.	I have suitable and sustained experience teaching the whole class (more than 15 children)			Ask your school to provide you with additional and consistent opportunities to teach a whole class (more than 15 children) for a sustained period of time (we suggest for a minimum of one term).
8.	I have taught across two schools (PRU, SEND, mainstream, maintained or independent) in the UK or abroad			Ask your school to provide you with additional opportunities to teach in another school for at least 4 weeks (8 weeks if you are currently in an SEND school). This could be organised as a 'teacher exchange' with a partner school. Email training@oakthorpe.enfield.sch.uk if you are planning a second school placement, as we will provide you with a contrasting placement booklet .
9.	I have knowledge of the curriculum and expectations for the stages above and below the one you have experience in and where your assessment will take place (3-7 or 5-11) (children's centre and KS2 if your assessment will take place in the 3-7 age range or EY and secondary if your assessment will take place in the 7-11 age range)			Ask your school to provide you with the opportunity for at least a day to observe in the stage above and below the age ranges you have experience in
10.	I hold a degree (ideally 2:2 or above) or equivalent qualification from the UK or abroad			You must have a degree or equivalent qualification to apply for the AO route
11.	If my degree was obtained abroad I have obtained an equivalency statement from NARIC			Contact NARIC to obtain an equivalency statement for your degree
12.	I hold a standard equivalent to a grade 4 in GCSE in Maths, English, and Science			Contact an equivalency testing provider, such as 'ET equivalency testing' to sit and obtain your GCSE equivalency in English/Maths/science (for science, we will accept <i>biology only</i>)
13.	I have passed the professional literacy and numeracy skills tests			Please register and take the professional literacy and numeracy skills tests
14.	I have evidence of planning, teaching, assessment (meeting the Teachers' Standards) across two schools and two consecutive key stages (3-7 or 5-11)			Ask your school to support you developing a portfolio of evidence to meet the Teachers' Standards
15.	I will be able to show a portfolio of evidence that I meet all the Teachers' Standards by the end of the process			Ask your school based mentor for support in compiling evidence of meeting the Teachers' Standards
16.	My school will support my application and will sign a Partnership Agreement with 2Schools Consortium			You are unable to apply without the support of your school
17.	My school can provide a school based mentor with experience of mentoring in initial teacher education/training (ITE/ITT)			Contact us- we can provide support for mentors
18.	I have the financial resources to pay for the Assessment Only Route / my school will pay for my Assessment Only Route			Discuss your options with the school and check the fee structure

All the criteria above must be ticked 'yes' for you to be ready to apply.

I confirm that I have met all the criteria above.	Candidate's Name _____
	Signed (the candidate) _____ Date __/__/__
I confirm that (name of the candidate) _____ meets all the criteria above.	Head teacher name _____
	Signature _____ Date __/__/__

Please scan and email this form to training@oakthorpe.enfield.sch.uk

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The candidate is ready to apply (Send application and audits) <input type="checkbox"/>	Signed _____ on behalf of 2Schools Consortium
	Name _____
The candidate is not ready to apply <input type="checkbox"/>	Role _____ Date __/__/__

