



Chartered Teacher Programme PG Certificate/Diploma/MEd

Award Bearing Programme

This Masters of Education Programme is designed to meet the needs of experienced teachers in Scotland aiming to achieve Chartered Teacher (CT) status. It provides a flexible modular response to the continuing professional development needs of fully qualified teachers ready to commence their Chartered Teacher studies. This programme has been fully accredited by GTCS following the review of 2009-10.

The Chartered Teacher Programme (CTP) aims to promote:

- critical evaluation and application of advanced professional knowledge and understanding
- commitment to critical self-evaluation and development
- enhanced and highly effective professional performance
- personal and professional commitment to an extended professional role and wider professional vision
- development of professional values and knowledge through reflective and evidence-based practice
- through working with others and advocacy of change to bring about improvement to practice
- bridging theory and practice, and critically applying and challenging research findings.

Entry Requirements

Entry to the Programme by those seeking an award leading to Chartered Teacher status follows national guidelines and therefore may be subject to change. Currently entry is restricted to those who:

- have full registration with the General Teaching Council for Scotland



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- have reached the top of the main grade; and
- have maintained a CPD Portfolio and shown a commitment to professional development.

Please note that you are also expected to comply with specific University of Aberdeen application requirements, including the supply of professional references. You must also apply to GTCS for a certificate of eligibility. This may take some time and should be done at the earliest opportunity.

Programme Structure

At the outset of your course you will be provided with a suggested route through the CT Programme. This will be designed to show how you might progress quickly through your programme of study, working with other participants who are at similar stages and may share your interests.

For those seeking full Chartered Teacher status, the MEd Programme provides a 6 x 30 credit module experience and the opportunity to demonstrate achievement of all aspects of the Standard.

The Programme is comprised of:

One compulsory module:
Professional Perspectives in Education (30 SM Points).

One core module:
Education: Principles into Practice (30 SM Points).

One option module:
Drawn from a bank of approved titles (30 SM Points).

One further compulsory module:
Professional Enquiry (30 SM Points).

Two double module equivalent:
Work Based Project (60 SM Points).



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Participants may, however, wish to design a programme of study which better suits their professional development and learning needs. This individualised programme would be subject to negotiation.

Costs (correct at time of publishing)

One double module of the Programme is currently £1,200.

Option 1: Students wishing to sign up for the complete MEd programme (i.e. 180 credits p/t over 4 years) would be £4,980.

Option 2: Students wishing to sign up to complete an agreed combination of 60 credits in one year would be £2,000.

Dates and Delivery

Entry dates into the Programme are normally in January and August.

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