**Please see the ‘Interview Days – general instructions for candidates’ document for details on the structure of the interview day.**

**Information for applicants for the PGCE Primary Teaching & Learning Pathway**

As part of the interview, applicants will be asked to write on a given topic.

Additionally, applicants will be interviewed on an individual basis.

You will be interviewed by one primary lecturer, and local teachers sometimes assist at interviews.

You will be asked to do a short presentation during the interview.

**For the Primary PGCE Teaching and Learning pathway we are looking for applicants who display:**

* Enthusiasm and interest in the teaching across the Primary curriculum
* Strong academic subject knowledge
* Good interpersonal skills
* Good self-knowledge and resilience
* High level of personal organisation
* Positive attitude, willingness to learn & be creative/innovative
* Clear written and spoken English
* Ability to present themselves and their ideas effectively
* Commitment to the teaching profession
* Awareness of issues related to primary teaching and its demands
* Ability to reflect on experiences in schools and wider contexts
* Ability to discuss good learning experiences for children