**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 Upper Primary Modern Languages 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.

Applicants will be interviewed in both English and their chosen language, if possible. They may also be interviewed briefly in any second foreign language, if applicable.

**For the Primary PGCE ML pathway we are looking for applicants who display:**

* enthusiasm and passion for languages and teaching languages
* good interpersonal skills, including the ability to work effectively in a team
* clear communication skills in English and their chosen language
* the ability to present themselves and their ideas effectively
* commitment to the teaching profession
* awareness of issues related to teaching and its demands
* ability to reflect on experiences in schools and/or children in other settings
* an awareness of current educational policy and how this relates to languages in both secondary and primary schools
* excellent organisational skills and the ability to work under pressure
* self-reliance, independence and resilience
* openness to new ideas and a willingness to learn