

Other considerations

PE with EBacc

The PE with EBacc scheme was introduced to allow ITT providers and lead schools to request additional PE places on top of their initial PE allocations. Trainees filling these places are required to train in an EBacc⁴ subject in addition to their main specialism of PE so that they are capable of teaching this in school.

The scheme will be continued for academic year 2020 to 2021. **ITT providers and lead schools were not able to request PE with EBacc places during the 2020 to 2021 request period in July 2019.** There is no separate allocation category for PE with EBacc courses because trainees are required to demonstrate the Teachers' Standards in PE only, while receiving additional training in an EBacc subject. Therefore, ITT providers and lead schools advertise one singular PE course and should make the details of the course clear to applicants in the course description. ITT providers and School Direct lead schools are responsible for the content and amount of additional training provided in the EBacc subject.

ITT providers and lead schools that wish to request additional PE places under this scheme should contact DfE at ITT.allocations@education.gov.uk once an application from a candidate meeting the eligibility criteria below has been received. The eligibility criteria is as follows:

- That all entrants meet the ITT eligibility criteria as detailed in the ITT criteria and supporting advice
- That all entrants have achieved a standard equivalent to a C grade or above at A level in the relevant EBacc subject

That the ITT provider or lead school is confident that the candidate is suitable for the course and has agreed to undertake the additional workload required to train in PE with an EBacc subject

Approval of these places will be decided on a case-by-case basis, considering overall recruitment to PE and the eligibility of the candidates who apply. There is no additional funding or bursary available for trainees on PE with EBacc courses.

Primary with Maths

All ITT providers and lead schools were able to request permission to recruit to Primary with Maths courses during the request period in July 2019. Primary with Maths courses

⁴ EBacc includes English language and literature, maths, physics, biology, chemistry, computer science, geography, history and languages