

Dear Parent,

The Compton SCITT Partnership

I am writing to let you know about our teacher training provision at The Compton School. SCITT stands for School Centred Initial Teaching Training, a one-year school-based teacher training programme which we have been delivering for 11 years that leads to the award of Qualified Teacher Status.

Our school is accredited by the Department of Education to deliver this course and we were awarded an Ofsted Outstanding grade in June 2022.

In practice, this means we can choose from very best available talent and develop trainees into becoming exceptional teachers. Being able to train the next generation of teachers will help us deliver the best outcomes for our students and the schools in our Partnership. Annually, all of trainees secure employment and have embarked on fantastic and rewarding careers, often within our partner schools.

We are looking for candidates with some school experience and a passion for teaching to inspire young people to fulfil their potential. Applicants must have a degree 2:2 or above, provide evidence of an interest in working with young people, possess high quality communication skills, and speak fluently, clearly, and grammatically.

For further information on what becoming a teacher might involve, you can visit [Get Into Teaching | Get Into Teaching GOV.UK](#) To see what subjects we currently offer at The Compton SCITT, search here [Select a subject - Find postgraduate teacher training - GOV.UK \(find-postgraduate-teacher-training.service.gov.uk\)](#)

We would be interested in hearing from you if you are thinking of becoming a teacher or know someone who is. If you would like to informally discuss any of the above, please contact Jane Figini - jfigini@thecompton.org.uk or Stuart Merritt - smerritt@thecompton.org.uk. Alternatively, you can phone the school switchboard on 0208 368 1783 and ask for the Outreach Team.

If you would like to apply to start training with us in September 2025 you can do so now through the Department for Education here <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-teacher-training>.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

Stuart Merritt