**BCU ITE Curriculum Themes and links with Teachers’ Standards and ITT Core Content framework**

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| **Teachers’ Standards – used to summatively assess trainees at the end of the course for the award of QTS** | **BCU ITE Curriculum Themes and ITT Core Content Framework** |
| **PREAMBLE:** Teachers make the education of their pupils their first concern, and are accountable for achieving the highest possible standards in work and conduct. Teachers act with honesty and integrity; have strong subject knowledge, keep their knowledge and skills as teachers up-to-date and are self-critical; forge positive professional relationships; and work with parents in the best interests of their pupils. *It’s important to see the Teachers’ Standards through the lens of the impact they have on pupil progress.* | **The BCU ITE Curriculum Key Themes** will signpost the complex and interconnected learning route through a coherent teacher education programme.**The ITT Core Content Framework** has been designed to support trainee development in 5 core areas – behaviour management, pedagogy, curriculum, assessment and professional behaviours. It is presented in 8 sections: High Expectations; Managing Behaviour; How Pupils Learn; Classroom Practice; Adaptive Teaching; Curriculum; Assessment; Professional Behaviours. |
| **Standard 1: Set high expectations which inspire, motivate and challenge pupils*** establish a safe and stimulating environment for pupils, rooted in mutual respect
* set goals that stretch and challenge pupils of all backgrounds, abilities and dispositions
* demonstrate consistently the positive attitudes, values and behaviour which are expected of pupils.
 | **BCU ITE Curriculum Key Theme B**Trainees’ classroom practice establishes effective behaviour management through the use of high expectations and awareness of pupil wellbeing.**ITT Core Content Framework** High Expectations and Managing Behaviour |
| **Standard 2: Promote good progress and outcomes by pupil be accountable for pupils’ attainment, progress and outcomes** * be aware of pupils’ capabilities and their prior knowledge, and plan teaching to build on these
* guide pupils to reflect on the progress they have made and their emerging needs
* demonstrate knowledge and understanding of how pupils learn and how this impacts on teaching
* encourage pupils to take a responsible and conscientious attitude to their own work and study.
 | **BCU ITE Curriculum Key Theme C** Trainees’ knowledge and understanding of the curriculum, subject knowledge, pedagogy and how pupils learn impact on pupils’ progress and well-being.**ITT Core Content Framework** How Pupils Learn Classroom Practice and Adaptive teaching |
| **Standard 3: Demonstrate good subject and curriculum knowledge**  * have a secure knowledge of the relevant subject(s) and curriculum areas, foster and maintain pupils’ interest in the subject, and address misunderstandings
* demonstrate a critical understanding of developments in the subject and curriculum areas, and promote the value of scholarship
* demonstrate an understanding of and take responsibility for promoting high standards of literacy, articulacy and the correct use of standard English, whatever the teacher’s specialist subject
* if teaching early reading, demonstrate a clear understanding of systematic synthetic phonics
* if teaching early mathematics, demonstrate a clear understanding of appropriate teaching strategies.
 | **BCU ITE Curriculum Key Theme C** Trainees’ knowledge and understanding of the curriculum, subject knowledge, pedagogy and how pupils learn impact on pupils’ progress and well-being.**BCU ITE Curriculum Key Theme E** Trainees implement effective adaptive teaching approaches to support all learners, including SEND (Special Educational Needs and Disability) and EAL (English as an Additional Language learners)**ITT Core Content Framework** How Pupils LearnCurriculum |
| **Standard 4: Plan and teach well-structured lessons** * impart knowledge and develop understanding through effective use of lesson time
* promote a love of learning and children’s intellectual curiosity
* set homework and plan other out-of-class activities to consolidate and extend the knowledge and understanding pupils have acquired
* reflect systematically on the effectiveness of lessons and approaches to teaching
* contribute to the design and provision of an engaging curriculum within the relevant subject area(s).
 | **BCU ITE Curriculum Key Theme D** Trainees plan and assess learning to ensure that all pupils make progress.**ITT Core Content Framework**Classroom Practice and Adaptive TeachingAssessment |
| **Standard 5: Adapt teaching to respond to the strengths and needs of all pupils*** know when and how to differentiate appropriately, using approaches which enable pupils to be taught effectively
* have a secure understanding of how a range of factors can inhibit pupils’ ability to learn, and how best to overcome these
* demonstrate an awareness of the physical, social and intellectual development of children, and know how to adapt teaching to support pupils’ education at different stages of development
* have a clear understanding of the needs of all pupils, including those with special educational needs; those of high ability; those with English as an additional language; those with disabilities; and be able to use and evaluate distinctive teaching approaches to engage and support them.
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| **Standard 6: Make accurate and productive use of assessment*** know and understand how to assess the relevant subject and curriculum areas, including statutory assessment requirements
* make use of formative and summative assessment to secure pupils’ progress
* use relevant data to monitor progress, set targets, and plan subsequent lessons
* give pupils regular feedback, both orally and through accurate marking, and encourage pupils to respond to the feedback.
 | **BCU ITE Curriculum Key Theme D** Trainees plan and assess learning to ensure that all pupils make progress**ITT Core Content Framework**AssessmentCurriculum |
| **Standard 7: Manage behaviour effectively to ensure a good and safe learning environment** * have clear rules and routines for behaviour in classrooms, and take responsibility for promoting good and courteous behaviour both in classrooms and around the school, in accordance with the school’s behaviour policy
* have high expectations of behaviour, and establish a framework for discipline with a range of strategies, using praise, sanctions and rewards consistently and fairly
* manage classes effectively, using approaches which are appropriate to pupils’ needs in order to involve and motivate them
* maintain good relationships with pupils, exercise appropriate authority, and act decisively when necessary
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| **Standard 8: Fulfil wider professional responsibilities** * make a positive contribution to the wider life and ethos of the school
* develop effective professional relationships with colleagues, knowing how and when to draw on advice and specialist support
* deploy support staff effectively
* take responsibility for improving teaching through appropriate professional development, responding to advice and feedback from colleagues
* communicate effectively with parents with regard to pupils’ achievements and well-being.
 | **BCU ITE Curriculum Key Theme A** Trainees use critical enquiry and research informed practice to develop their understanding of effective teaching and learning.**BCU ITE Curriculum Key Theme F** Trainee develops professional behaviours and contributes effectively to the wider life of the school.**ITT Core Content Framework**Professional Behaviours |
| **PART TWO: PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT**A teacher is expected to demonstrate consistently high standards of personal and professional conduct. The following statements define the behaviour and attitudes which set the required standard for conduct throughout a teacher’s career. * Teachers uphold public trust in the profession and maintain high standards of ethics and behaviour, within and outside school, by:
* treating pupils with dignity, building relationships rooted in mutual respect, and at all times observing proper boundaries appropriate to a teacher’s professional position
* having regard for the need to safeguard pupils’ well-being, in accordance with statutory provisions
* showing tolerance of and respect for the rights of others
* not undermining fundamental British values, including democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty and mutual respect, and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs
* ensuring that personal beliefs are not expressed in ways which exploit pupils’ vulnerability or might lead them to break the law.
* Teachers must have proper and professional regard for the ethos, policies and practices of the school in which they teach, and maintain high standards in their own attendance and punctuality.
* Teachers must have an understanding of, and always act within, the statutory frameworks which set out their professional duties and responsibilities.
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