

Sample Application Form

When completing your application, you will be required to supply your personal details, information regarding your academic achievements and the details of a suitable referee. You will be required to provide a personal statement between 400 and 600 words explaining how your personal attributes and qualities meet the wider criteria for being a Maths Scholar.

Please be aware that our online application system does not have the facility to save part completed application forms. To help you, this Sample Application Form is available to help you prepare your application.

Should you require the application in an alternative format, or experience any issues completing the online form, please email us for further assistance at scholarships@ima.org.uk

Please note that this is a sample application form. Any completed sample application forms that are submitted will not be accepted.

Fields marked with a * are mandatory.

1. Personal Details

Title*	
First Name*	
Last Name*	
Prefer to be known as	
Date of Birth	
Email Address*	
Confirm Email*	
Mobile Telephone Number*	

Permanent Address

House Number/Name*	
Address 1*	
Address 2	
Town/City*	
Postcode*	
Country*	

Term Address (if different, e.g. University term address)

Do you have a different term time address? *

- Yes No (go to section 2, eligibility)

If you answered **yes** to the above question, please provide the following information:

House Number/Name*	
Address 1*	
Address 2	
Town/City*	
Postcode*	
Country*	
Please indicate when this address will no longer be current*	

2. Eligibility

Part of the eligibility criteria for the Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarships is that you must be eligible for student finance. If you are unsure of your eligibility in relation to this section of the application, please refer to our [Frequently Asked Question page](#).

Are you an 'eligible' student for the provision of UK student support (to receive grants and loans towards tuition fees or living costs according to [Student Finance England](#) criteria)?

- Yes No

Regarding eligibility for student finance, is there any further information you need to provide us with at this time? For example, if you are eligible for student finance but have provided a permanent overseas address, or if you are applying for indefinite leave to remain.

Maximum 100 words allowed

3. Qualifications

First Degree

Institution*	
Country*	
Degree Subject Area*	
Degree Type* e.g. BSc (Hons)/MMath	
Degree Name (you must state subject) *	
Degree Classification*	
Year of Graduation*	

Applicants with Overseas Degrees

If you have been awarded a degree from outside of the UK, please read the information and guidance provided on the [Applicants with Overseas Degrees](#) page on the Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarships website to ensure that your application is submitted correctly.

Additional Text*

Maximum 100 words allowed, 0 used, 100 remaining

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Other qualifications (higher degrees, if applicable)

Course Type (Masters, PhD, other -please specify)	
Institution	
Country	
Degree Subject Area	
Degree Type and Name	
Year of Graduation	

If selected other

Course Type	
If other, please specify	

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Other qualifications (A-levels, Foundation Degree, HND, HNC, equivalent qualifications)

Please list all other relevant qualifications including grades or marks:

Other Qualifications	
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Mathematics Subject Knowledge Enhancement (SKE) course, if applicable

Course Name*	
Provider*	
Length of course*	
Completion date*	
Please indicate if you have been offered a place and by whom or how far you are in the application process	

PGCE application

Have you already applied for a Mathematics teacher training course? *

- Yes No (go to section 4, about you)

If you have answered **yes** to the question above, please indicate if you have been offered a place and by whom or how far you are in the application process

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4. About You

Please use this section to tell us a little more about yourself and why you are applying for a Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarship. If you are invited to an Assessment, your personal statement will be supplied to the Assessors assigned to your Assessment.

Career Status* Please select <u>one</u> of the options given.	Student – currently studying at a university Graduate – Graduated within the last 12 months Changer – Have been working for two or more years Finder – Have been working for more than 5 years
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Current/Last Employment

Job Title	
Organisation	
Full time	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Dates of Employment	

Personal Statement

Please provide a personal statement between 400 and 600 words explaining how your personal attributes and qualities meet the wider criteria for being a Maths Scholar. Any personal statement under 400 words will be automatically rejected.

Specifically, your personal statement must include why you:

- Want to become a mathematics teacher
- Believe you will be an inspirational mathematics teacher
- Wish to become a Maths Scholar
- Believe being a Maths Scholar will support your future career aims

Failure to address all the points listed above will lead to your application being rejected.

We strongly encourage you to also include in your statement any relevant: school teaching / observations, employment, working with young people, voluntary work, interests and hobbies to help support your application. However, when including this you should make a clear link as to how your experience has helped you understand how you could inspire others with your passion and your understanding of the teaching and learning of mathematics.

Please note, this is the section of the application where most candidates are rejected. As such, we advise you spend time and effort in crafting your personal statement.*

Maximum 600 words allowed

Reasonable Adjustments

Under the Equality Act 2010, a person has a disability if they have a physical or mental impairment which has a substantial and long-term effect on their ability to carry out normal day to day activities.

The Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarship Scheme assures you that if a disabled applicant meets the initial criteria for the scheme, then they will be invited to the second selection stage, Assessment.

If you consider yourself disabled under the Equalities Act 2010, please provide details of any reasonable adjustments that can be made for you, if invited to an Assessment.

When requesting reasonable adjustments, please ensure that you have in place, and can provide if required to, appropriate and recent medical evidence, or, in the case of a learning difference such as dyslexia or dyspraxia, a post 16 diagnostic assessment completed by an Educational Psychologist or assessor with a suitable practicing certificate.

Maximum 300 words allowed

Availability

Are there any dates or time periods that you would NOT be able to attend an Assessment (e.g. booked holidays, examination periods, work experience, school placements, graduation ceremony). Please give all known dates up to and including 31 August 2021.

This information will be used, if required, to allocate you a mutually convenient assessment date.

Please tell us how you found out about the Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarship Scheme *

Please select one option from the list below

- Get into Teaching Website
- Email/mailling from DfE
- Train to Teach Events
- Teacher Training Advisor
- Student Finance Website
- UCAS Website
- University Career Event
- University Department
- Teacher Training Provider
- SKE Provider
- Email from IMA
- Word of Mouth
- Twitter
- Facebook
- LinkedIn
- Careers Website
- Other

5. Referee Details

Please provide the details of an individual who can comment on how you fulfil the application criteria to the Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarship Scheme.

If you are due to graduate this year, the referee must be your academic tutor who can verify your predicted degree classification.

Please note that we do not accept referees who are friends or family members. We also cannot accept references from other candidates applying to the Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarships.

If you are successful in being put through to the second stage of the application process (attending an Assessment) your referee will be contacted at this point. As such, please obtain their permission for being contacted prior to submitting this form.

Title*	
First name*	
Last name*	
Email address*	
Confirm email*	
Telephone number*	
Institution*	
Relationship*	

Please tick the following box to confirm that you agree to the Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarship Scheme contacting your chosen referee.

6. Data Protection

By submitting this application form, you are consenting to the IMA (who administer the Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarship Scheme) sharing all of the information on this form (including your personal data) with the Department for Education and its agencies, for the purpose of processing your application and administering the Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarship Scheme. The IMA will also share your application with the Assessors involved with the selection process. You also agree that, in addition to these purposes, the IMA may retain and share your information with the Department of Education and its agencies for the purposes of teacher recruitment and retention statistics.

The IMA will also use web SMS Messaging by Intellisoftware to contact you on the mobile number provided in your form. For Intellisoftware's privacy policy, please see their website, <http://www.intellisoftware.co.uk/company-information/>.

Subject to this, we will not transfer or disclose your personal data to any other third party unless such disclosure is required by law or court order.

** Denotes a mandatory field*

Please tick here to confirm you have read and understood the above

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Please check the box if you wish to be registered with DfE's Teaching Line and you consent to your personal data being shared with DfE and Teleperformance UK Ltd to enable them to contact you for these purposes. You can unsubscribe from this service at any time by notifying the Maths Scholarships Team (Scholarships@ima.org.uk) that you wish to be removed from the Teaching Line register.

You have the right to withdraw consent at any time, where processing is based on your consent.

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Equal Opportunities Monitoring

The following information is required for monitoring purposes only and will not form part of the application process:

Gender * Male Female Prefer not to say

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