

PRIMARY MATHEMATICS SPECIALIST TEACHER (MaST)

Who is yours?



MATHEMATICS SPECIALIST TEACHER

The University of Northampton is passionate about transforming children's lives and inspiring change. Our Mathematics Specialist Teacher programme (leading to the award of Postgraduate Certificate in Primary Mathematics) has the ambitious target of ensuring that every school in our region has access to a mathematics specialist teacher.

The programme is a two year Masters level course through which participating teachers extend their knowledge, skills and understanding of mathematics and related pedagogy, and develop the skills to support other colleagues in mathematics. The University of Northampton has been successfully leading the programme across a wide range of local authorities since 2009, with over 800 successful graduates.

What does the two year programme include?)

- * Face-to-face university-led tuition delivered through two residential weekend events
- * Six local network meetings each year to support your progress on the course.

What are the benefits to the school?

- * Raise the profile of mathematics within your school.
- * Enhance the quality of teaching and learning in mathematics across your school.
- * Gain a deeper understanding of the nature of mathematics within the Early Years Foundation Stage, primary curriculum and Key Stage 3.

What are the benefits for the Teacher?

- * The award of 60 Masters level credits.
- * Postgraduate Certificate in Primary Mathematics.
- * Opportunity to continue your studies to Diploma level (120 credits) or full Masters level (180 credits).

Why is there a Primary Mathematics Specialist programme? Ofsted recently highlighted the significant role of the programme in 'outstanding' primary schools: "...have particularly strong track records of developing the mathematical expertise of their staff. The ways they do this include ...subject leaders' participation in the Mathematics Specialist Teacher programme," Ofsted 'Good Practice in Primary Mathematics' (2011)

'Thank you for a wonderful weekend. I have been totally inspired I am learning so much'.
Quote from a current participant.

Who should apply?

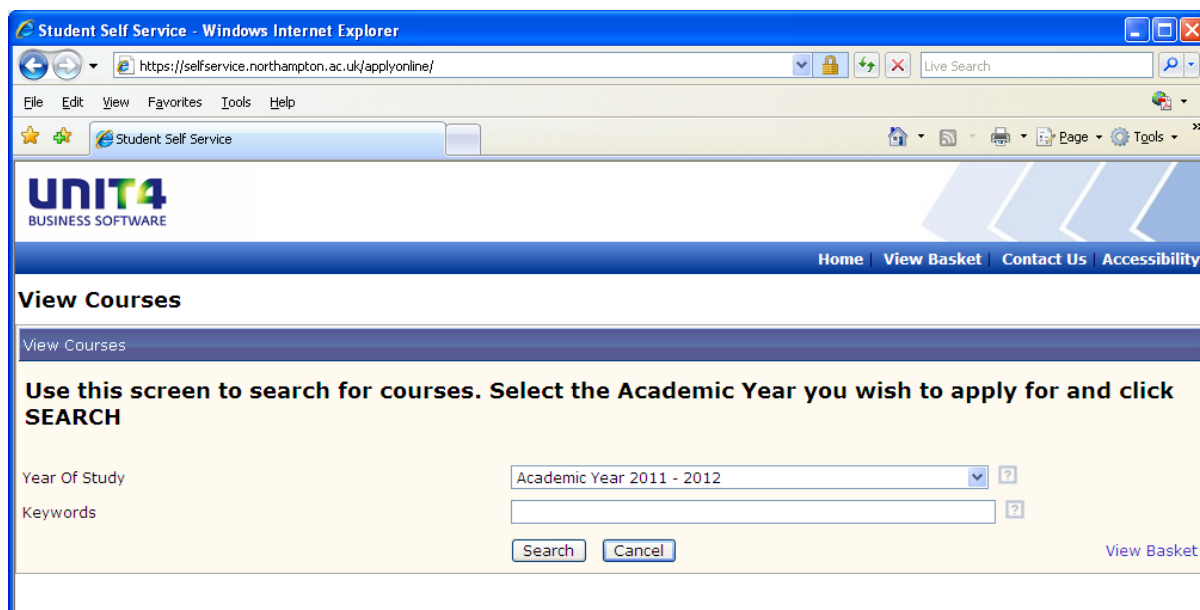
Any qualified teacher working within a primary school setting is eligible to apply. You do not necessarily need to be a leading mathematics teacher or a mathematics co-ordinator, but will require the recommendation and support of your Head. For further information and an application pack please email msp@northampton.ac.uk or contact Julie Bedster on 01604 892845.



Self Service Application Guide

How do I apply?

- Please go to the link <https://selfservice.northampton.ac.uk/applyonline/> and click on the **Apply for a course**. This will take you to the following screen



- Select the correct academic year-please note, an academic year runs from Sept – August (e.g. June 2012 would come under academic year 11/12, whereas September 2012 would come under academic year 12/13)
- Type the course title into keywords and search e.g. **Learning** for the “Foundation Degree in **Learning** & Teaching”
- Select your course
- Select the cohort you wish to join from the options listed on the left hand side, i.e. June start. Scroll to the bottom of the screen and click **Apply**.
- Click on **Proceed**.

You will then be asked to fill out the following :

(Once complete please click on **Next and Save** in every section.)

- Your Personal details.**
- Your Student status** (e.g. You are likely to have Home status if you are a UK National living in the UK. If you are an overseas national living outside the UK you will be overseas)
- Your Address details.** There is an option to add a term time address if it is different to your permanent address.
- Your Next of Kin**
- Your Previous Education.** Please list **all** the educational institutions (i.e. schools and universities) you have attended along with the dates. Click **Add Institution** and the information will appear in the white box at the bottom of the screen. You will then be able to add another institution

- **Your Qualifications.** Please use this section to enter any qualifications you have achieved or that are pending. Simply type in the-
 - qualification subject and level e.g. Maths (subject) GCSE (level) ,
 - enter who the qualification was awarded by
 - type in the grade achieved, or type pending
 - Click **Add Qualification** to add to your list.

Please follow this process to list of all your qualifications

Qualifications

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☒ **UK or EU Qualifications**

Qualification Name *
 Awarding Body
 Grade/Level Achieved
 ☐ Awaiting Result

☐ **International Qualifications**

Qualification Name *
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Dates Studied:

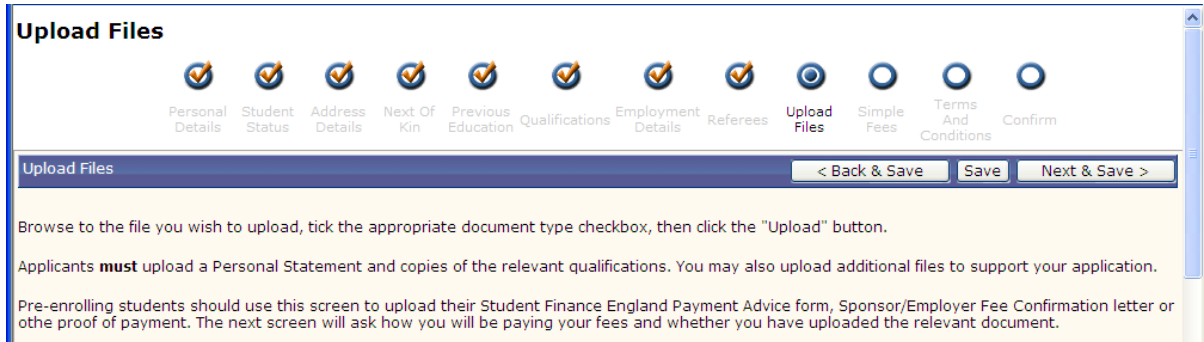
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Add Qualification

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- **Your current Employment details.** Click **Add Employer** and the information will appear in the white box at the bottom of the screen.
- **Your referee details**

- **Uploading files** - You can use this section to upload personal statements, qualifications and personal ID such as professional PIN Numbers



Upload Files

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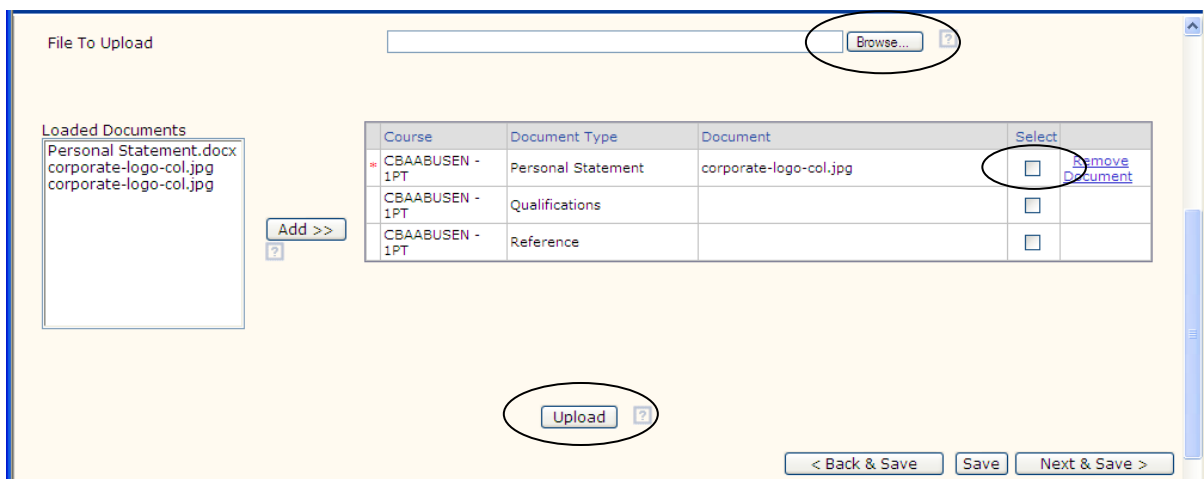
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Browse to the file you wish to upload, tick the appropriate document type checkbox, then click the "Upload" button.

Applicants **must** upload a Personal Statement and copies of the relevant qualifications. You may also upload additional files to support your application.

Pre-enrolling students should use this screen to upload their Student Finance England Payment Advice form, Sponsor/Employer Fee Confirmation letter or other proof of payment. The next screen will ask how you will be paying your fees and whether you have uploaded the relevant document.

- To upload, click **Browse** to find the relevant file on your computer, and then
- Select the document type by clicking in the relevant Select box
- Upload the document by clicking the **Upload** button.



File To Upload

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





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Complete this process for each of the required documents.

- **Your fees.** You will then be asked to indicate who is paying your fees.
- **Declaration.** You will be asked to confirm that you have read and understood the University's **Terms and Conditions**. Please read them carefully and then check the box.

- You will then be presented with the Confirmation screen. Here you will be able to review all the details you have submitted. Once you feel happy with the information provided click **Submit Applications**.

Confirmation of Applications Submitted

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Confirmation

This page shows you a summary of your information before you submit it

Please check the summary of information and click the submit button at the bottom of the screen.

Your Details

Your Courses

Your order contains the following items:

	Course Code	Course Title	Session	Mode of Attendance
Apply for	CBAABUSEN	BA Business Entrepreneurship Stage 1 PT	1PT	Part-time

Click the submit button to confirm your details.

Done Trusted sites 100%

Please note: If there are details missing from your application this will affect the speed we are able to process your application.