Tuesday 28th April 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Train to Teach with the Stour Vale Regional Hub

Stour Vale has been delivering postgraduate Initial Teacher Training (ITT) courses for well over a decade, with many of our former trainees coming from the local community. We offer both primary and secondary training pathways, providing high-quality, personalised support from initial enquiry through to securing your first teaching role.

If you are considering a career in teaching, training locally with Stour Vale could be an excellent option for you. We offer a range of ITT courses, all leading to a Postgraduate Certificate in Education (PGCE) with Qualified Teacher Status (QTS):

Primary

- Early Years, Later Years, Later Years with PE Specialism. Later Years with SENDi Specialism

Secondary

- Art & Design, Biology, Business Studies, Chemistry, Computing, Dance, Drama, Design Technology – Food, Design Technology – Product Design, English, Geography, History, Mathematics, Modern Foreign Languages (*French, Spanish & German available),* Music, PE, Physics, RE

To find out more about our ITT courses, please visit: **www.svat.org.uk/train-to-teach**

You can also register your interest on our website to receive further information. Alternatively, please feel free to contact our ITT team directly at **teach@svat.org.uk**, where we will be happy to answer any questions that you may have.

Yours sincerely

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