







Melissa Glackin Careers in Teaching

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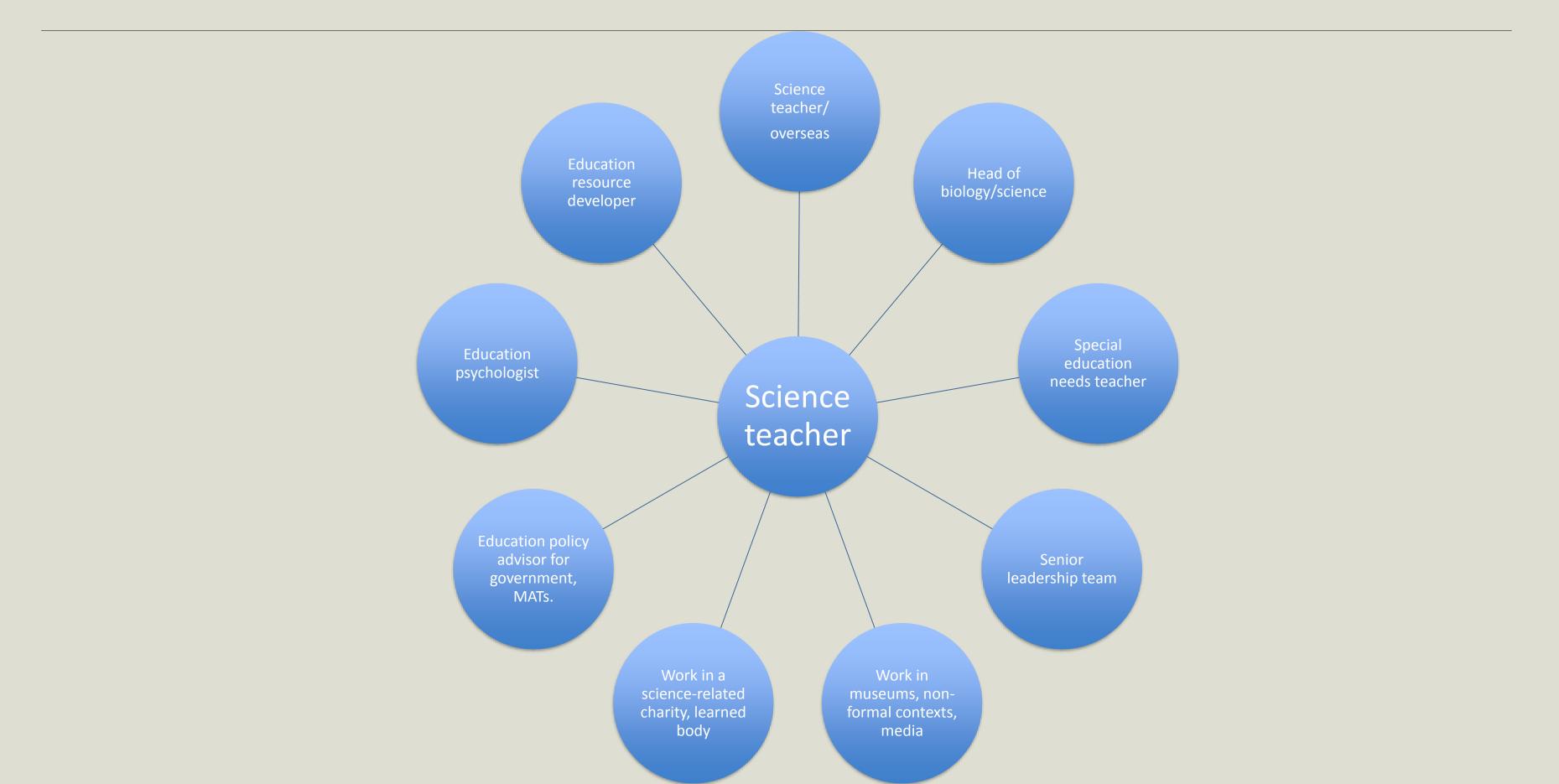


What skills are required?

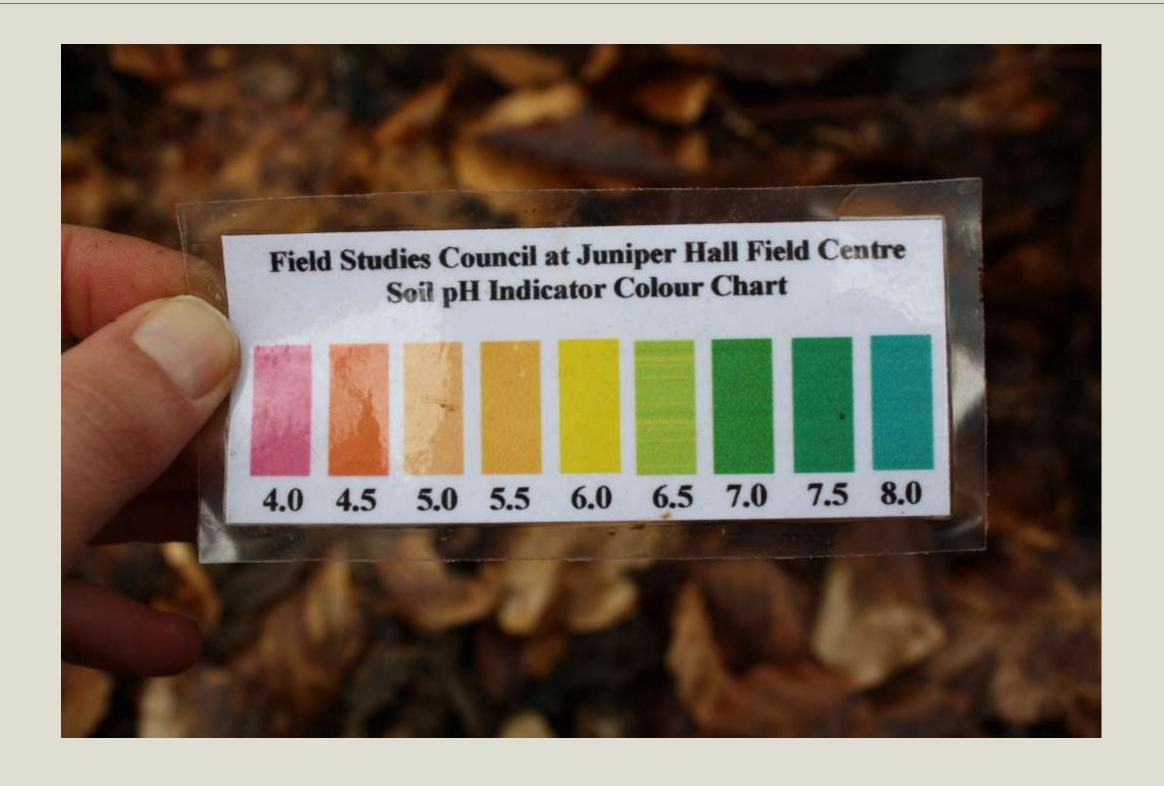
Enjoy working with young people **Good biology/science** knowledge **Patient Caring Creative** A team player Adaptable / flexible **Hard working**



What are your career options?



What is the work like?



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What do I need to do before I apply?

- Good first degree in science (biology)
- Gain experience of working with young people
- Consider why you want to teach SCIENCE
- Complete observations in a UK secondary school
- Become familiar with the Science National Curriculum and examination boards
- Start reading some 'education-related' books e.g.
 Becoming a Teacher (Ed. Maguire and Dillon)

Which route should I take into teaching?

Route	Qualifications gained	Cost* Bursary/ salary	Where do I learn to teach?*	Apply
Teach First	QTS, PGDE, (optional MA- credits)	Salary: Y1: unqualified scale (£17) Y2: Qualified scale	2 years 1 school (short experience in 2 nd school)	To Teach First
School- Direct Salaried/ SCITT	QTS (sometimes PGCE, MA)	Salary: unqualified scale (£17)	9 months 4/5 teaching in schools 1/5	Through UCAS, to school.

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School-Direct non salaried	QTS, PGCE, MA- credits	£9K to train Up to £26k	9 months 1/3 in university 2/3 in 2 schools	Through UCAS, to school (interview w affiliated university)

Bursaries – inc. EU Students

	Eligibility 2018/19		
	1 st , 2:1, 2:2, PhD, MSc	Other	
Biology	£26,000	£0	
		£0	
		£0	

Fees are approx. £9k

Apply for a fee loan and maintenance loan



How do I apply?

University-led & School Direct Salaried

UCAS, opens late October 2018,

https://www.ucas.com/ucas/teacher-training/ucas-teacher-training-apply-and-track

Qualification, personal statement and two references

