

# School Experience Dates for 2020-21

1 <sup>st</sup> October 2020	Backwell School	Contact: htwiggs@backwellschool.net
16 <sup>th</sup> October 2020	Gordano School	Contact: jperry@gordanoschool.org.uk
12 <sup>th</sup> November 2020	Clevedon School	Contact: cmurray@clevedonschool.org.uk
24 <sup>th</sup> November 2020	Churchill Academy	Contact: HR@churchill-academy.org
13 <sup>th</sup> January 2021	Nailsea School	Contact: lcreswick@nailseaschool.com
26 <sup>th</sup> February 2021	Gordano School	Contact: jperry@gordanoschool.org.uk
25 <sup>th</sup> March 2021	Nailsea School	Contact: lcreswick@nailseaschool.com
29 <sup>th</sup> April 2021	Backwell School	Contact: htwiggs@backwellschool.net
11 <sup>th</sup> May 2021	Churchill Academy	Contact: HR@churchill-academy.org
24 <sup>th</sup> June 2021	Clevedon School	Contact: cmurray@clevedonschool.org.uk



# School Experience Day with the NSTA

Designed for those looking for a career in teaching

**£25**  
per person

## Who are we?

The North Somerset Teaching Alliance (NSTA) is a partnership of 7 North Somerset Secondary Schools, University of Bristol and Plymouth Marjon University.

### **Our schools are all commutable from Bristol.**

We have come together to provide a unique training opportunity for prospective teachers through the Government's teacher training initiative, School Direct.

On completing your training with us you will be awarded a PGCE with QTS and will be a confident, knowledgeable and reflective teacher, ready to embark on a rewarding and fulfilling career, hopefully taking up a position that arises within our partnership of schools.



Website: [www.nsta.org.uk](http://www.nsta.org.uk)

### What will you gain from your experience day:

- Experience of a dynamic secondary school environment in the NSTA: perfect for your teacher training application, School Direct or PGCE route; where all courses want school experience before applying through UCAS.
- A chance to meet ITT Students currently on teacher training courses: allowing you to ask key questions and gain an insight into their experiences, aims and skills learnt.
- An opportunity to observe specialists teaching in your subject area: you will have chance to discuss what you've observed and understand more about creating stimulating learning environments in the modern classroom.
- A chance to ask questions of our highly skilled mentors and key ITT staff: you can pick up top tips for UCAS applications and find out more about the training process.

Quote from a former trainee

"A big thank you! I have had an incredible experience. Everyone was very welcoming, helpful and encouraging which has made the hardest part of this year easier for me. I feel very lucky to be part of the wonderful team"

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