

## Statistical Fact Sheet 3

### Initial teacher training at NI Higher Education Institutions: first year enrolments, all enrolments and graduates by level of study and teaching sector - 2013/14 to 2017/18

The table below provides information on students enrolled on, and graduates from, initial or pre-service teacher training courses leading to qualified teacher status at Northern Ireland (NI) Higher Education Institutions (HEIs).

- Between 2013/14 and 2017/18, the total number of students enrolled on initial teacher training (ITT) courses at NI HEIs decreased by 4.4% , from 1,445 to 1,380, while those graduating decreased by 12.1%, from 585 to 515.
- Between 2016/17 and 2017/18, the total number of first year enrolments on ITT courses at NI HEIs decreased from 580 to 565 (a 2.2% decrease), while the total number of student enrolments on ITT courses at NI HEIs decreased from 1,420 to 1,380 (a 2.5% decrease).

		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18		
		Primary	Secondary	Total	Primary	Secondary	Total	Primary	Secondary	Total	Primary	Secondary	Total	Primary	Secondary	Total
<b>Enrolments</b>	<b>Undergraduate</b>															
	First Year Enrolments															
	All Enrolments	200	95	290	190	100	290	190	100	290	190	100	290	190	100	295
	<b>Postgraduate</b>															
	First Year Enrolments	70	250	315	70	215	285	70	220	290	65	225	290	65	210	275
	All Enrolments	70	260	330	70	245	315	70	220	290	70	225	295	65	210	280
	<b>Total</b>															
	First Year Enrolments	265	340	610	260	320	575	260	320	580	255	320	580	255	310	565
All Enrolments	840	610	1,445	820	625	1,445	820	600	1,420	815	600	1,420	805	575	1,380	
<b>Qualifications</b>	Undergraduate	190	120	305	170	105	270	180	90	270	190	90	275	175	75	250
	Postgraduate	65	215	280	65	220	285	65	210	275	65	215	280	65	200	260
	All Graduates	255	330	585	235	325	560	245	300	545	250	305	555	240	275	515

Source: Higher Education Statistics Agency (HESA)

**Notes:**

1. Courses provided by Stranmillis University College and St. Mary's University College are at both undergraduate and postgraduate level, while Queen's University Belfast & Ulster University provide only postgraduate courses.
2. To prevent the identification of individuals, figures are rounded to the nearest 5, in line with HESA rounding strategy with 0, 1 and 2 rounded to 0. Due to rounding, figures in rows or columns may not sum to totals.
3. Percentages are based on unrounded figures.

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