

Frequently Asked Questions

1. What is the Postgraduate Diploma in Education - International (PGDE-I)? The PGDE-I is a UK Level 7 qualification delivered at Indus Training and Research Institute (ITARI) and certified by Birmingham City University (BCU), UK. This programme is designed to develop highly skilled, committed, creative, and confident teachers, aligning with the highest British Teacher Education Standards.

2. What are the eligibility criteria for the PGDE-I programme? The programme requires a graduation from a recognized university. Aspirants seeking a transition from other industries to teaching and academia are highly encouraged to apply.

3. What is the duration of the PGDE-I programme? The duration of the PGDE-I programme is 9 months.

4. What are the modes of learning available for the PGDE-I programme? We offer flexible learning modes including:

- **In Person:** 3 days on-campus, 2 days online/self-study
- **Hybrid:** Online with in-person sessions at ITARI campus
- **Blended:** (online evening meetings India time, with three 1-week residency requirements) at ITARI, Bangalore.

5. Where is the programme conducted? The programme is conducted at our Bangalore campus, providing a comprehensive and immersive learning experience.

6. What is the fee structure for the PGDE-I programme? The total fee for the PGDE-I programme is INR 4,72,000, which includes 18% GST. The fee is broken down into three installments:

- Registration Fee: INR 1,77,000
- 1st Installment Fee: INR 1,47,500
- 2nd Installment Fee: INR 1,47,500

7. Are there any EMI options available for paying the course fee? Yes, we have partnered with Grayquest to offer easy EMI options. These options can make the financial commitment more manageable.

8. What modules are included in the PGDE-I programme? The programme includes the following research-based modules:

- **EDU 7408:** Expert to Educator
- **EDU 7409:** Pedagogy
- **EDU 7410:** Contexts in Learning
- **EDU 7411:** Professional Study Programme
- **EDU 7393:** Research Proposal
- **EDU 7412:** Reflecting in Professional Contexts

9. What kind of placement assistance is provided? We offer placement assistance in reputable international schools following IB, IGCSE, and other curricula. Some of our recruiting partners include prestigious schools like Indus International Schools in Bangalore,

Hyderabad, Pune, and Belagavi, Greenwood High, Neev Academy, Legacy School, United World Academy, Oakridge International School, Wockhardt Global School, New York, Academy Ambitus World School, Tech Avant-Garde, Pathways World School, Trivandrum International School, SRV International School, Nahar International School, JBCN International School, Harvest International School, Bangalore International School, Welham Boys' School, The Learning Curve International School & many others.

10. What is the success rate of the PGDE-I programme? We maintain a 100% programme success rate, with graduates successfully securing positions in top international schools.

11. Can I pursue further studies after completing the PGDE-I? Yes, you have the opportunity to pursue a Master of Arts in Education (M.A.Ed.) through credit transfer to Birmingham City University (BCU), UK.

12. How does the PGDE-I programme enhance my career prospects? The PGDE-I qualification is highly sought after by international schools to train their teachers, making our graduates always in demand. Compared to CBSE or ICSE educators, IB School teachers typically earn significantly higher salaries—often up to 10 times more. Our alumni are making significant contributions in various educational institutions worldwide.

13. Is ITARI listed on the Birmingham City University website? Yes, ITARI is listed on the Birmingham City University website, reflecting our esteemed partnership. You can check for yourself on their website.

14. What kind of support is available for students during the programme? Students have access to BCU's online library and learning resources. We also provide mentoring support and a collaborative learning environment to enhance your educational experience.

15. How do I apply for the PGDE-I programme? To apply for the PGDE-I programme, please complete the Application Form [Link](#). If you have any questions or need further assistance, feel free to contact us Office of Admissions Phone: + 91 6381728282 / 82176 90832 or admissions@itari.in / enquiry@itari.in.

16. What is the average and highest salary offered to graduates? Recent placement statistics highlight the success of our graduates, with the highest salary offered at [1,50,000 per month] and the average salary at [75,000 per month].

17. Can I visit the campus before enrolling in the programme? Yes, we encourage prospective students to visit our Bangalore campus to get a feel of the learning environment. Please contact us to schedule a visit.

18. What opportunities will this programme provide in terms of teaching in international schools? The PGDE-I programme equips you with the skills and qualifications necessary to teach in prestigious international schools globally. Our graduates are highly regarded and are in demand across various international educational institutions.

About ITARI

19. What is ITARI? Indus Training and Research Institute (ITARI) is a leading teacher education institution in India, dedicated to innovative practices in personalising learning and teacher augmentation. Co-located on the Indus International School, Bangalore campus, ITARI offers a diverse and dynamic learning environment.

20. What is ITARI's vision? ITARI is committed to creating educators who place humanity at the center of learning. Our vision is to innovate and personalize learning, integrating technology and research to enhance teaching practices. We aim to prepare educators who can meet the challenges of 21st-century education.

21. What other programmes does ITARI offer? Apart from the PGDE-I, ITARI offers various programmes including:

- **Master of Arts in Education (M.A. Ed. RPL), Birmingham City University, UK**
- **Cambridge International Diploma in Teaching and Learning (CIDTL)**
- **International Educator Certificate (IEC) for International Baccalaureate (IB)**
- **Postgraduate Programme in Early Childhood Education [Merited with a Diploma]**
- **Professional Development Workshops for Schools and Other Education Institutions**

22. Where are ITARI alumni currently working? Our alumni are making significant contributions in various educational institutions worldwide, including prestigious international schools. They are recognized for their skills and are in demand across different countries.

23. How can I contact ITARI for more information? You can contact ITARI at:

- **Phone:** + 91 6381728282 / 82176 90832
- **Email:** admissions@itari.in / enquiry@itari.in