

## Modern Languages PGCE 2024-2025

In order to begin thinking about your role as a teacher of other learners, it is important to firstly consider *yourself as a learner*. Please could you therefore complete the following task for submission **on the first day of the course**:

### **“My Starting Point as a teacher of Modern Languages: myself as learner”**

In approximately **500** words, respond to the following three questions:

- How did I **learn** the languages that I speak?
- What were my **views of the processes** involved **at the time of learning**?
- Which approaches and strategies did I find most beneficial as a language learner?

**Note, please write this task:**

- **In English, if you are a native speaker of the foreign language you are teaching**
- **Otherwise, in your first foreign language for teaching**

#### ***Criteria for assessment:***

- (i) Accuracy of foreign language
- (ii) Content: each of the above questions addressed
- (iii) Style: should contain description, analysis, evaluation and reflection
- (iv) Professional presentation

***Date for submission: first day of the course, printed copy to your tutor + electronic version via email.***