

Guernsey College of Further Education: Level 5 Certificate in Education	
What is the course title?	Level 5 Certificate in Education – it's a qualification for those wishing to teach in the post-compulsory sector, i.e. Further Education /post-16
Which awarding body is it through?	The University of Brighton – you even graduate in cap and gown from the university
What are the entry requirements?	GCSE English – grade C (or equivalent) coupled with an interest in education theory and practice Full DBS Police check is essential before the course begins
How much will it cost?	£4930 - This includes a field trip to Brighton
How long will it take?	Jan 2017 – May 2018: part time
When are the taught sessions?	Tuesday evenings 6-9pm
When does it start?	Tuesday 10 th January 2017 TBC
Where will it be taught?	At Guernsey College of FE – campus TBC
Who will teach me?	Vanessa Mee and the education team at college
What will I do?	MODULE 1: An introduction to teaching, learning and assessment in further education and training MODULE 2: Contemporary Issues in Education and Training MODULE 3: Teaching Practice in Education and Training MODULE 4: Reflective Practice in Education and Training MODULE 5: Action Research to Support Subject Pedagogy MODULE 6: Advanced Teaching Practice in Education and Training
How will I be assessed?	A combination of essays, reflective logs, planning resources, lesson observations and presentations.
Will I do any teaching?	Yes, you will need to teach a minimum of 50 hours per year to gain the qualification. Ideally you will already be in a teaching post or have access to teaching hours. If not, it MAY be possible for college to arrange a placement opportunity for you depending on your subject specialisms. We will need to know where your teaching practice will happen before you start.
What support will I get?	You will have a personal tutor at college as well as a mentor which will be designated to you by the education team. We also build in a lot of peer support.
How can I find out more?	Have a look at The Brighton University website – although it's worth remembering that we do teach it slightly differently in terms of dates. https://www.brighton.ac.uk/courses/study/further-education-and-training-pgce-cert-certed-profgce.aspx
How do I sign up?	Contact Vanessa to express interest. vanessam@gcfe.net