Teaching Support Profiles

	Demonstrator - Grade F	Graduate Teacher Level 1	Graduate Teacher Level 2	Teacher - Grade I
		[Renamed from Teaching Support	[Renamed from Assistant Teacher –	Pathway 3
		Assistant – Grade G]	Grade H]	
Main purpose of role	Under close supervision help provide inspirational learning and instruct students through practical classes	Under supervision contribute to teaching programme providing straightforward teaching support	Under supervision contribute to the delivery of the teaching programme by providing teaching in small groups to support main lecture or teaching content	Responsible for straightforward teaching usually under supervision and may support teaching at a higher level
	Support students through practical or example classes	Provide straightforward teaching to small groups with materials prepared or supervised by the academic	Provides teaching through delivery of small group seminars and leading tutorials	Provides teaching through lectures and small groups on units prepared by other staff and developing skills as a lecturer
	Agree with lecturer how practical work needs to be done	Discuss with academic the methodology and purpose of the support to be provided	Discuss with the responsible academic the broad framework for the teaching delivery	Engage with the CREATE scheme
2	Support teaching delivery during exercises, practicals, project or programming work in small groups either in person or on-line	Lead exercises proposed by the academic	Prepare for each session and lead exercises planning own approach to running the group	Plan own activities and contribute to planning and review of teaching
	Prepare for the class and be familiar with the exercises / experiments	Prepare for the teaching session and familiarise self with content and exercises	Prepare for the teaching sequence and undertake any scholarship needed to lead small group sessions	Keep abreast of current literature and research in the subjects being taught

Provide pro-active support to students, answering questions and help overcome problems and aid understanding	Provide pro-active straightforward information and guidance drawing on information made available by others	Help students absorb knowledge and information imparted in primary teaching session and build on it through small group work helping students overcome problems	
Set up classes or labs in advance if required	Help students absorb knowledge and information and help them overcome problems	Promote depth of learning and clarify material taught through facilitating discussions and providing additional materials or advice on additional reading in groups or 1-1	May supervise dissertations
Complete admin required associated with the class	Undertake organisation and admin related to delivery of own teaching	Undertake organisation and admin related to delivery of own teaching	Undertake organisation and admin related to delivery of own teaching
Undertake assessment of practicals as required or mark worksheets either in class or outside moderated by academic	To apply assessment methods developed by others and undertake marking where clear guidance on answers is provided	Apply assessment methods developed by others and mark work having been formally inducted into marking procedures and mark work to a moderated standard	Select & deploy with advice and support appropriate teaching and assessment methods/techniques
	To provide formative feedback to students where appropriate	To provide formative feedback to students in class	Assess students and provide formative feedback to students
	Ensure students directed to appropriate support as needed either for academic matters or pastoral matters	Ensure students directed to appropriate support as needed either for academic matters or pastoral matters	Provide effective pastoral support to small number of students referring on for expert support

			Provide effective advice and support to individual students and advise on appropriate further reading and resources Assist with setting and marking coursework, exams and other assessments
Degree in relevant subject and likely to be studying for a higher degree	Degree in relevant subject and likely to be studying for a higher degree	Degree in relevant subject and studying for a higher degree and proven Teaching experience at Graduate Teacher Level 1 or equivalent	Postgraduate research degree or equivalent
Breadth of knowledge in the discipline	Breadth of knowledge and understanding in the discipline	Breadth of knowledge and understanding in the discipline and familiar with the part of the curriculum to be taught	Breadth and depth of specialist knowledge and understanding in the discipline and knowledge of teaching methods and techniques
	An understanding of teaching methods and techniques	Knowledge of teaching methods and techniques	Familiar with the part of the curriculum to be taught and scholarship associated with it

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