

Initial teacher education (ITE) student results 2024-25



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1. Initial teacher education results

1.1 Five year trend data

Table 1.1: Initial teacher education student results by academic year from 2020/21 to 2024/25

	2020/21		2021/22		2022/23		2023/24		2024/25	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Passed ¹	1,208	79.9	1,101	82.3	1,034	82.1	981	80.1	897	80.0
Failed	19	1.3	12	0.9	5	0.4	23	1.9	19	1.7
Withdrawn	88	5.8	100	7.5	120	9.5	110	9.0	82	7.3
Deferred	138	9.1	121	9.0	101	8.0	111	9.1	123	11.0
WG Scheme (COVID ²)	58	3.8	4	0.3						
Total	1,511	100	1,338	100	1,260	100	1,225	100	1,121	100
Total passes received ³	1,231	80.2	1,131	82.7	1,054	82.3	1,005	80.5	911	80.3
Overall total	1,534	100	1,368	100	1,280	100	1,249	100	1,135	100
Primary trained	627	50.9	627	55.4	676	64.1	636	63.3	576	63.2
Secondary trained	604	49.1	504	44.6	378	35.9	369	36.7	335	36.8
Total passes received³	1,231	100	1,131	100	1,054	100	1,005	100	911	100

¹ Note: Included in the above figures are a number of students from Canada who undertake their teacher training through a provider in Wales and then return to Canada to practise. The number awarded QTS each year was: 2020/21 – 23; 2021/22 - 86; 2022/23 - 42; 2023/24 - 64; 2024/25 - 50 (27 postgraduate primary; 23 postgraduate secondary).

² The Welsh Government had a scheme for students who were effected by COVID during 20/21 and 21/22, the 'Initial Teacher Education COVID 19 Response: Supporting AY20/21 ITE School Experience to achieve QTS Grant Scheme'. The scheme allows students who have passed the academic content of their course but still need classroom practice before QTS can be awarded, the opportunity to complete their practice.

³ The Council also received separate notification of 14 passes for NQTs who had previously been recorded as deferred or withdrawn.

2. Initial teacher education student results academic year breakdown

2.1 Partnership

Table 2.1: Initial teacher education student results by partnership

	Passed		Failed		Withdrawn		Deferred		Total	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Bangor University	132	74.2	3	1.7	14	7.9	29	16.3	178	100
Cardiff Met (Cardiff Partnership)	432	86.9	0	0.0	29	5.8	36	7.2	497	100
Swansea University	86	79.6	0	0.0	7	6.5	15	13.9	108	100
University of South Wales	77	69.4	16	14.4	9	8.1	9	8.1	111	100
University of Wales Trinity Saint David (APLP)	184	76.3	0	0.0	23	9.5	34	14.1	241	100
Total From Institutions¹	911	80.3	19	1.7	82	7.2	123	10.8	1,135	100

¹ Note: The Council may receive separate notifications of passes during the academic year for NQTs who have been recorded as deferred in the above table. The above figures are based on results received as at 01 August 2025.

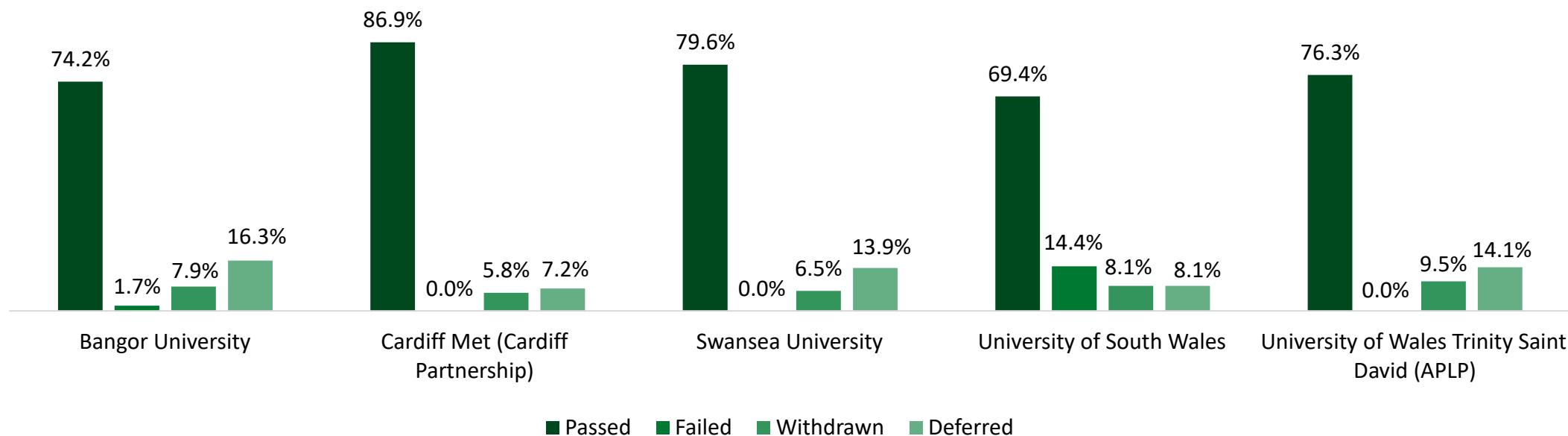


Chart 1: Initial teacher education student results by partnership

2.2 Course type and phase

Table 2.2: Initial teacher education student results by course type and phase

	Undergraduate primary students		Postgraduate primary students		Postgraduate secondary students		Total	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Passed	195	21.4	381	41.8	335	36.8	911	100
Failed	16	84.2	3	15.8	0	0.0	19	100
Withdrawn	43	52.4	16	19.5	23	28.0	82	100
Deferred	21	17.1	48	39.0	54	43.9	123	100
Total	275	24.2	448	39.5	412	36.3	1,135	100

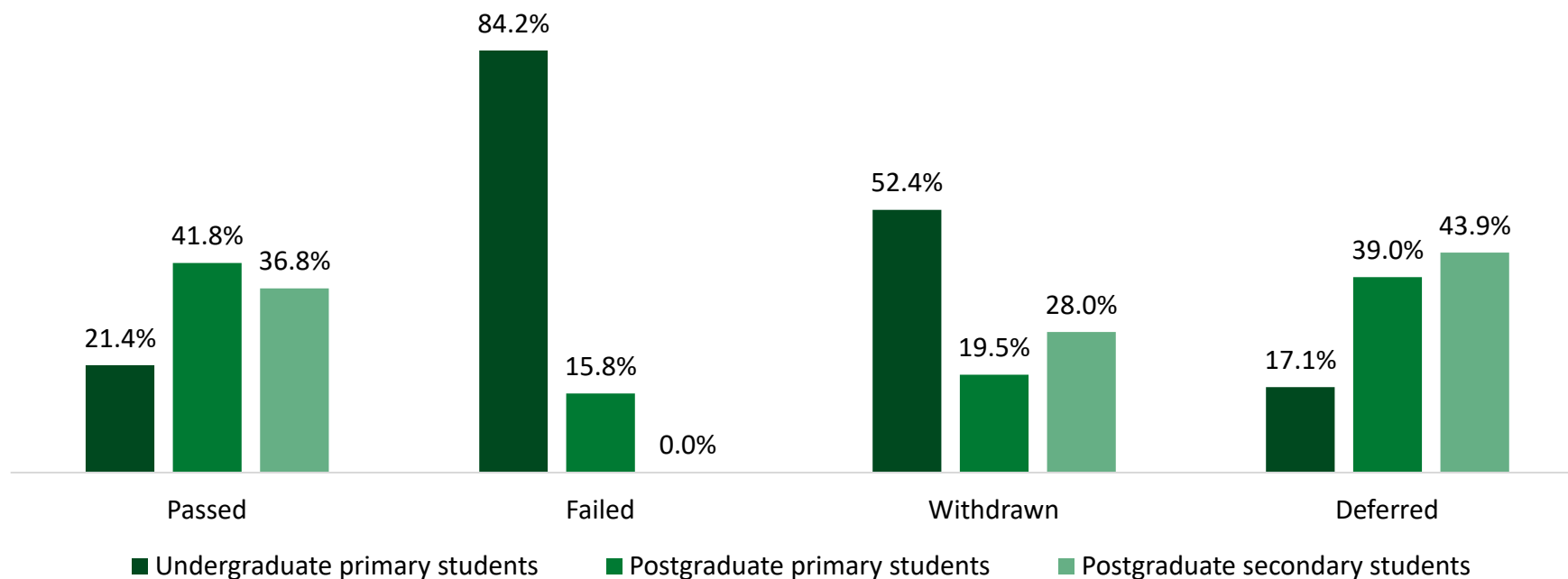


Chart 2: Initial teacher education student results by course type and phase

2.3. Course type and language medium of training

Table 2.3.1: Initial teacher education results for Undergraduate primary students by language medium of training

	Undergraduate primary students				Total	
	Welsh language medium	%	English language medium	%	Number	%
Passed	57	29.2	138	70.8	195	70.9
Failed	2	12.5	14	87.5	16	5.8
Withdrawn	7	16.3	36	83.7	43	15.6
Deferred	6	28.6	15	71.4	21	7.6
Total	72	26.2	203	73.8	275	100

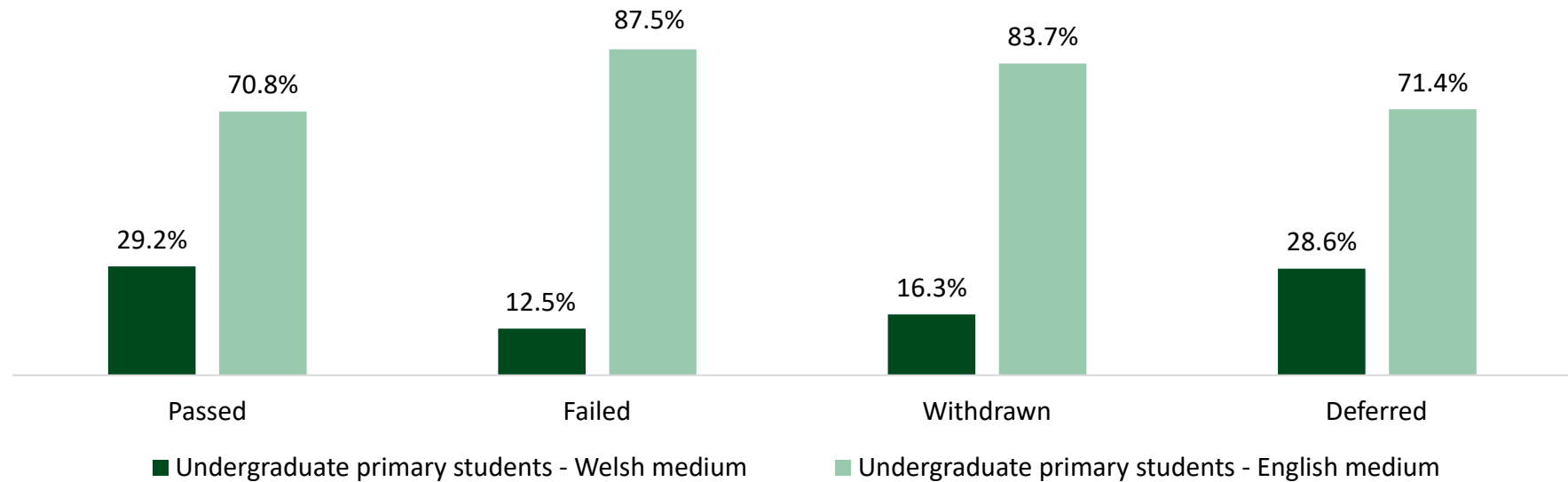


Chart 3: Initial teacher education results for undergraduate primary students by language medium of training

2.3. Course type and language medium of training (continued)

Table 2.3.2: Initial teacher education results for postgraduate primary students by language medium of training

	Postgraduate primary students				Total	
	Welsh language medium	%	English language medium	%	Number	%
Passed	92	24.1	289	75.9	381	85.0
Failed	0	0.0	3	100	3	0.7
Withdrawn	2	12.5	14	87.5	16	3.6
Deferred	7	14.6	41	85.4	48	10.7
Total	101	22.5	347	77.5	448	100

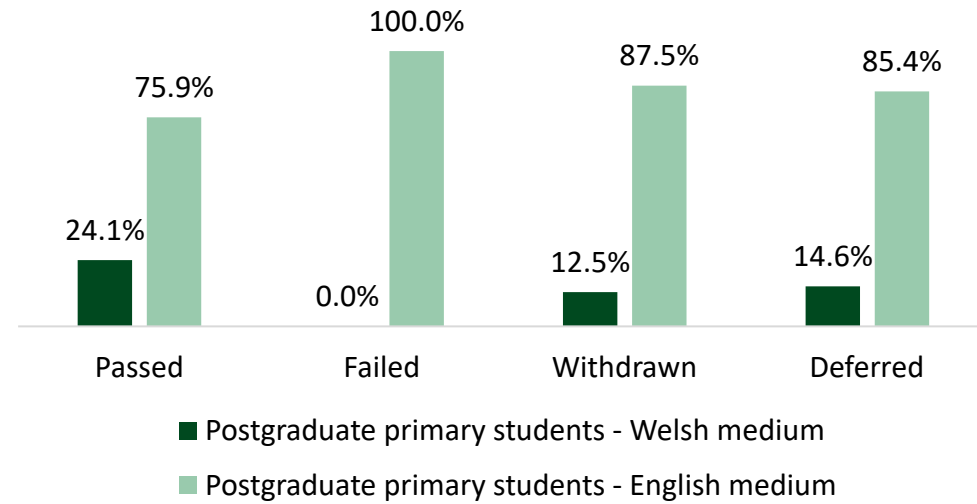


Chart 4: Initial teacher education results for postgraduate primary students by language medium of training

Table 2.3.3: Initial teacher education results for postgraduate secondary students by language medium of training

	Postgraduate secondary students				Total	
	Welsh language medium	%	English language medium	%	Number	%
Passed	53	15.8	282	84.2	335	81.3
Failed	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Withdrawn	2	8.7	21	91.3	23	5.6
Deferred	3	5.6	51	94.4	54	13.1
Total	58	14.1	354	85.9	412	100

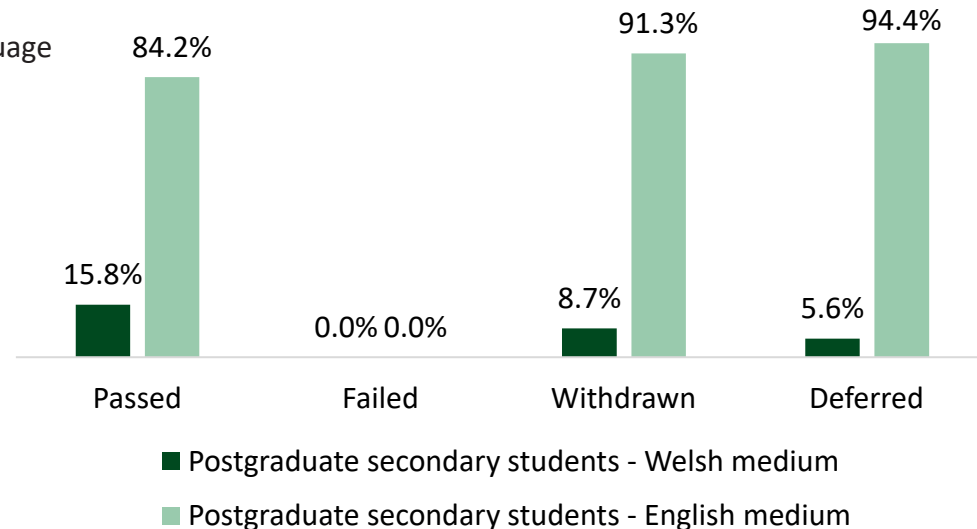


Chart 5: Initial teacher education results for postgraduate secondary students by language medium of training

2.4. Subject trained (secondary trained only) and language medium

Table 2.4: Initial teacher education student results by subject trained (secondary trained only) and language medium

	Passed	Failed	Withdrawn	Deferred	Total	Total %	Passed Welsh language medium	Passed English language medium
Art	9	0	1	1	11	2.7	2	7
Art and Design	14	0	0	3	17	4.1	2	12
Biology	17	0	1	2	20	4.9	1	16
Business Studies	0	0	0	1	1	0.2	0	0
Chemistry	0	0	0	2	2	0.5	0	0
Combined/General Science	18	0	2	3	23	5.6	5	13
Computer Science	1	0	0	0	1	0.2	0	1
Design and Technology	24	0	0	3	27	6.6	1	23
Drama	17	0	1	1	19	4.6	1	16
English	38	0	5	12	55	13.3	2	36
French	3	0	0	1	4	1.0	1	2
Geography	8	0	1	0	9	2.2	3	5
History	36	0	3	5	44	10.7	4	32
Information Technology	4	0	1	1	6	1.5	0	4
Mathematics	19	0	2	7	28	6.8	2	17
Modern Foreign Languages	9	0	1	1	11	2.7	3	6
Modern Languages	1	0	0	0	1	0.2	0	1
Music	11	0	1	2	14	3.4	0	11
Outdoor Activities	6	0	1	1	8	1.9	0	6
Physical Education	54	0	1	1	56	13.6	5	49
Physics	9	0	1	3	13	3.2	2	7
Religious Education	20	0	0	3	23	5.6	9	11
Spanish	1	0	0	0	1	0.2	0	1
Welsh	16	0	1	1	18	4.4	10	6
Total	335	0	23	54	412	100	53	282

2.5. Gender

Table 2.5: Initial teacher education student results by gender

	Female		Male		Total	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Passed	696	81.6	215	76.2	911	80.3
Failed	16	1.9	3	1.1	19	1.7
Withdrawn	59	6.9	23	8.2	82	7.2
Deferred	82	9.6	41	14.5	123	10.8
Total	853	100	282	100	1,135	100

2.6. Age

Table 2.6: Initial teacher education student results by age

	Passed		Failed		Withdrawn		Deferred		Total	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Under 25	602	66.1	17	89.5	64	78.0	64	52.0	747	65.8
25 to 29	202	22.2	2	10.5	10	12.2	32	26.0	246	21.7
30 to 34	54	5.9	0	0.0	4	4.9	16	13.0	74	6.5
35 to 39	18	2.0	0	0.0	2	2.4	4	3.3	24	2.1
40 to 44	17	1.9	0	0.0	1	1.2	5	4.1	23	2.0
45 to 49	11	1.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.8	12	1.1
50 to 54	5	0.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	0.4
55 to 64	2	0.2	0	0.0	1	1.2	1	0.8	4	0.4
65+	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	911	100	19	100	82	100	123	100	1,135	100

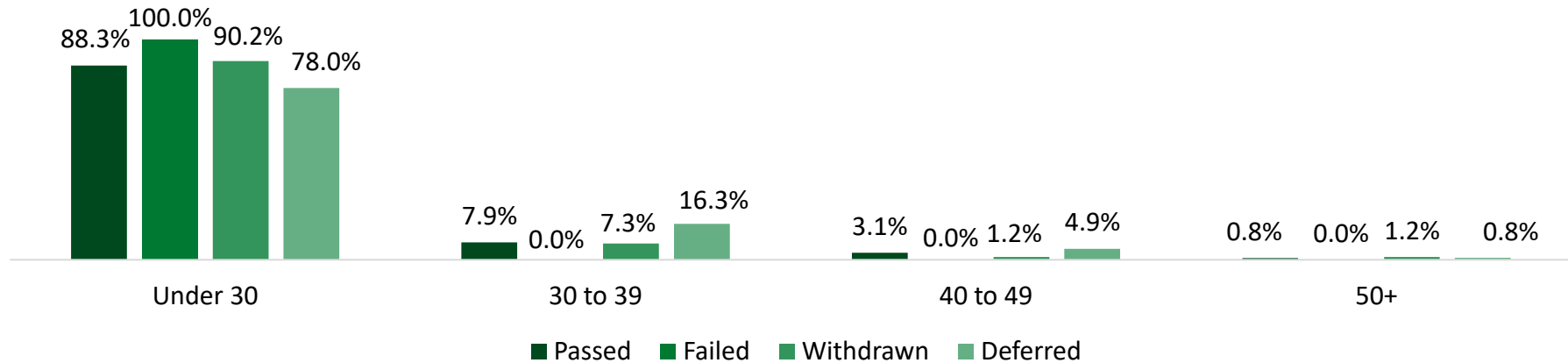


Chart 6: Initial teacher education student results by age