

QLTSchool

Becoming an English Solicitor

Tailored QLTS Training and Services for Law Firms



**QUALIFIED LAWYERS
TRANSFER SCHEME**

QLTS ASSESSMENTS

ENHANCING YOUR LAW FIRM'S PROFILE AND MARKETABILITY

The QLTS is the fast-track route for foreign lawyers to qualify as solicitors in England and Wales.

WHY IS THE QLTS IMPORTANT TO YOUR LAW FIRM?

In today's climate, law firms must be proactive and keep ahead of their competition. With the globalisation trends, open markets, privatisation and an ever increasing number of multinational firms, there is growing demand for dual qualified lawyers who can practise across several jurisdictions.

The QLTS scheme provides an excellent opportunity to deepen and broaden the legal knowledge and expertise of the lawyers in your firm.

Having your lawyers being qualified as English solicitors will enhance your firm's professional profile, reputation and marketability within the legal market place.

THE QLTS SCHOOL PREPARATION COURSE

The QLTS School preparation course is the most effective, credible and affordable training available today for the QLTS assessments.

The preparation course has been designed and developed in accordance with the Solicitors Regulation Authority requirements and with the needs of the busy lawyer and modern law firm in mind.

Our preparation course is tailor-made to suit each candidate, and is completely flexible in study and time requirements. Your lawyers can study at times that are convenient for them and your firm.

By partnering with QLTS School - the premier QLTS course provider - the lawyers at your firm will receive the best preparation possible for the QLTS assessments.

The benefits of this partnership for your lawyers are:

- **Focus** – we only teach for one test, the QLTS assessment
- **Experience** – our staff have extensive experience in their field of expertise
- **Professionalism** – our course is the most comprehensive training programme available, well designed and frequently updated
- **Supportive** – we have excellent tutors and a dedicated administrative team on-hand to teach, answer queries and help your lawyers study and prepare
- **Success** – we have a proven track record of hundreds of candidates who successfully passed all QLTS assessments on their first attempt

You can learn about the journeys of some of our successful candidates – and advice on what works and what doesn't for those on the road to dual qualification – on our website.

"We have used QLTS School for all of our QLTS needs for many years, and always received a great level service. Foreign lawyers from our firm have successfully passed the QLTS assessments after training and preparing with QLTS School."

Tanya Zuchowski
Senior Learning and Development Manager
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Our MCT course will provide your lawyers with all the tools they need to succeed in the MCT.

MULTIPLE CHOICE TEST (MCT)

The first of the two assessments - consisting of 180 multiple choice questions, divided into two periods of 2 hours and 45 minutes of morning and afternoon sessions, with 90 questions in each period.

Candidates must first pass the MCT before attempting the practical assessment, the OSCE.

There is no standard pass mark for the MCT – the pass mark is determined by the SRA based on the standards expected of a newly qualified solicitor - the QLTS School's MCT package will help your candidates meet these rigorous and robust standards.

What is included in the MCT course?

- 11 comprehensive textbooks specifically written for the MCT, covering all areas of practice required by the SRA
- MCT Video Library of over 80 online tutorials with professional presentations, 35+ hours of lectures, available to watch on your computer, iPad, iPhone or Android devices
- QLTS Course Handbook explaining the fundamentals of the QLTS assessments, course structure, suggested study guide and test administration procedures

- Revision notes summarising the key points and main legal principles in each subject
- MCT Question Bank with more than 1,000 multiple choice practice questions including detailed solutions
- 15 MCT mock tests with intermingled questions and a time limit similar to the formal test
- Over 2,500 digital flash cards with short questions and answers
- Free updates for the course materials
- Optional tutor support, initial guidance and a tailor made study plan prepared by a tutor
- Preparation days in London

The multiple choice questions, mock tests, video library, flash cards, revision notes and updates for the course materials are accessible through our online training system. Access to the online training system is for 12 months, commencing on the first day of registration to the course, or until you have passed the MCT, whichever happens first.

Fee Structure – MCT

Course Features	Our most popular		
	MCT Basic	MCT Advantage	MCT Premium
11 professionally written textbooks covering Outcomes A1-A11	✓	✓	✓
QLTS Course Handbook	✓	✓	✓
1,000+ multiple choice practice questions	✓	✓	✓
Free periodic updates for the course materials	✓	✓	✓
Revision notes summarising the main legal concepts and key areas	✓	✓	✓
15 Mock tests (90 questions each) similar to the formal MCT	✓	✓	✓
Access to the MCT Video Library		✓	✓
2 hours of tutor support			✓
Initial guidance and a tailor-made study plan prepared by a tutor			✓
Fees	£890	£1,290	£1,590

The MCT textbooks will be sent to you by special courier. Delivery is free within the UK, £40 to Europe and the U.S. and £90 to other destinations. You will also be provided with a unique username and password to log into the MCT online training system.

Intra-UK applicants are entitled to a discount in their MCT course fees:

- English barristers – £490 (textbooks, videos tutorials, practice questions, revision notes and mock tests)
- Irish solicitors – £390 (special package with the Property Law textbook, video tutorials, revision notes and 200 multiple choice questions similar to the formal test)
- Scottish solicitors – three packages are available: Basic – £690, Advantage – £890, and Premium – £1,090



This course cannot be prepared for simply by reading a book – practical guidance, support and mock assessments can mean the difference between failure and success.

OBJECTIVE STRUCTURED CLINICAL EXAMINATION (OSCE)

The OSCE is the practical assessment of the QLTS, involving five skills: interviewing, advocacy/oral presentation, online legal research, legal drafting and legal writing. The five skills are tested in the context of three legal practice areas: Business Law, Litigation (Civil and Criminal) and Property Law (Conveyancing, Wills and Probate).

The QLTS School offers a personalised approach and expert tutor guidance from day one to ensure that your candidates prepare for the OSCE assessment in a way that fully accommodates their requirements and personal circumstances:

- An initial interview with one of our tutors to assess your experience and level of training and tuition required
- A tailor-made study plan prepared by our tutor, designed specifically to meet your personal needs and requirements
- Course Guide
- OSCE practice area summaries
- 2,000+ digital flash cards
- 1,800+ multiple choice practice questions

- 15 English writing tasks
- Free periodic updates for the course materials
- Mock practice stations with personal tutor feedback based on the SRA marking criteria
- 250 mock exams with suggested solutions for self-assessment
- Access to QLTS Skills Online - more than 60 interactive exercises, complemented by video and audio material and a 130-page accompanying skills textbook
- Access to the Legal Skills Video Workshops - a suite of more than 50 video workshops with roleplay scenarios and professional presentations (spanning nearly 8 hours in total), including pre and post-commentary notes delivered by an experienced legal skills trainer. You will also receive access to summaries of key points (about 70 pages in total). The tutorials will also include practical and time-saving examples of how to use both LexisLibrary and Westlaw to conduct the required online legal research

Your lawyers can work on your personalised curriculum from a variety of locations worldwide.

The nature of the course promotes flexible learning – candidates will be able to practise the skills whenever it suits them – making it ideal for distance or part-time learners.

Fee Structure – OSCE

Course Features	Our most popular		
	OSCE Basic	OSCE Advantage	OSCE Premium
Course Guide	✓	✓	✓
OSCE practice area summaries	✓	✓	✓
Free periodic updates for the course materials	✓	✓	✓
Legal research guides	✓	✓	✓
2,000+ digital flash cards	✓	✓	✓
1,800+ multiple choice practice questions	✓	✓	✓
15 English writing tasks	✓	✓	✓
Access to QLTS Skills Online	✓	✓	✓
Mock exams with suggested solutions for self-assessment	50 mock exams	250 mock exams	250 mock exams
Access to the Legal Skills Video Workshops		✓	✓
Initial guidance and a tailor-made study plan			✓
Mock practice stations with personal tutor feedback			2 mock stations (interviewing and advocacy)
Fees	£1,590	£1,990	£2,390

You will be using during the course selected LPC and skills textbooks of Oxford University Press, with access to online resources including video and audio lectures. You will also benefit from exclusive access to OUP lecturers resources, such as case studies, test banks and video clips, which otherwise may not be available. The costs of the textbooks and access to online resources of OUP are £150 plus delivery.



FLEXIBLE AND CUSTOMISED APPROACH

Our courses allow maximum flexibility of delivery that fully accommodates your firm and candidates' requirements – we can tailor make our courses to specifically meet your needs. The courses can be delivered to your firm whether it is located in the UK or anywhere else in the world.

QLTS School gives you peace of mind – your candidates are in experienced hands with us. They will be provided with everything they need to complete the QLTS assessments successfully.

Ensure your lawyers are comprehensively prepared for every aspect of the QLTS assessment process, without losing fee-earning utilisation, by signing up with QLTS School today.

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