*Table 14e - HE Qualifications Obtained in Northern Ireland by Mode of Study, Domicile, Gender and Subject Area 1999/2000*

| | | First Degrees | | | | | | Higher Degrees | | | Other Postgraduate | | | Other Undergraduate | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | **Total first degrees** | First class | Upper second | Lower second | Third class/Pass | Unclassified | **Total higher degrees** | Doctorate | Other higher degrees | **Total other PG** | PGCE | Other PG quals | **Total other UG** | HND/DipHE | Other UG quals | |
| 1 | **Total full-time** | **5590** | **500** | **2740** | **1870** | **170** | **300** | **240** | **10** | **220** | **630** | **370** | **260** | **850** | **670** | **180** | 1 |
| 2 | **UK domiciled** | **4830** | **400** | **2400** | **1620** | **150** | **260** | **170** | **~** | **160** | **580** | **340** | **240** | **810** | **640** | **170** | 2 |
| 3 | Female | **2780** | 220 | 1530 | 880 | 40 | 120 | **100** | ~ | 100 | **390** | 270 | 120 | **580** | 460 | 130 | 3 |
| 4 | Male | **2050** | 180 | 870 | 750 | 110 | 140 | **70** | ~ | 60 | **180** | 70 | 110 | **220** | 180 | 40 | 4 |
| 5 | **Overseas domiciled** | **760** | **100** | **340** | **250** | **20** | **40** | **70** | **~** | **60** | **60** | **30** | **30** | **50** | **30** | **10** | 5 |
| 6 | Female | **450** | 60 | 220 | 140 | ~ | 20 | **40** | ~ | 40 | **40** | 30 | 20 | **30** | 20 | ~ | 6 |
| 7 | Male | **310** | 40 | 120 | 110 | 20 | 30 | **30** | ~ | 20 | **20** | ~ | 10 | **10** | ~ | ~ | 7 |
| | **Subject area** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | Medicine & dentistry | **190** | ~ | ~ | 0 | 0 | 190 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **0** | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| 9 | Subjects allied to medicine | **430** | 70 | 270 | 80 | ~ | 0 | **30** | ~ | 20 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **360** | 360 | 0 | 9 |
| 10 | Biological sciences | **480** | 50 | 290 | 140 | ~ | 0 | **~** | ~ | ~ | **0** | 0 | 0 | **20** | 20 | 0 | 10 |
| 11 | Veterinary science | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| 12 | Agriculture & related subjects | **80** | ~ | 40 | 30 | ~ | 0 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **~** | 0 | ~ | **0** | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| 13 | Physical sciences | **330** | 40 | 140 | 130 | 20 | 0 | **~** | ~ | ~ | **~** | 0 | ~ | **~** | ~ | 0 | 13 |
| 14 | Mathematical sciences | **110** | 30 | 30 | 40 | 10 | ~ | **0** | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0 | 0 | **~** | ~ | 0 | 14 |
| 15 | Computer science | **220** | 30 | 80 | 70 | 30 | 10 | **50** | ~ | 50 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **130** | 90 | 40 | 15 |
| 16 | Engineering & technology | **440** | 30 | 130 | 140 | 30 | 100 | **~** | ~ | ~ | **~** | 0 | ~ | **40** | 40 | 0 | 16 |
| 17 | Architecture, building & planning | **240** | 30 | 110 | 90 | 10 | ~ | **20** | ~ | 10 | **50** | 0 | 50 | **0** | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| 18 | Social, economic & political studies | **430** | 20 | 220 | 180 | ~ | 0 | **60** | 0 | 60 | **30** | 0 | 30 | **40** | 40 | 0 | 18 |
| 19 | Law | **150** | ~ | 90 | 60 | 0 | 0 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **90** | 0 | 90 | **0** | 0 | 0 | 19 |
| 20 | Business & administrative studies | **650** | 70 | 380 | 200 | ~ | 0 | **20** | ~ | 20 | **50** | 0 | 50 | **100** | 100 | 0 | 20 |
| 21 | Librarianship & information science | **170** | 10 | 100 | 60 | ~ | 0 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **20** | 0 | 20 | **~** | ~ | 0 | 21 |
| 22 | Languages | **320** | 30 | 170 | 120 | ~ | ~ | **~** | ~ | ~ | **~** | 0 | ~ | **0** | 0 | 0 | 22 |
| 23 | Humanities | **280** | ~ | 130 | 130 | ~ | 0 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **0** | 0 | 0 | **~** | ~ | 0 | 23 |
| 24 | Creative arts & design | **300** | 30 | 130 | 140 | ~ | ~ | **20** | 0 | 20 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **130** | 10 | 120 | 24 |
| 25 | Education | **300** | 20 | 210 | 70 | ~ | 0 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **370** | 370 | ~ | **0** | 0 | 0 | 25 |
| 26 | Combined | **490** | 30 | 240 | 200 | 10 | ~ | **~** | 0 | ~ | **0** | 0 | 0 | **20** | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| 27 | **Total part-time** | **900** | **60** | **490** | **310** | **40** | **~** | **1310** | **340** | **970** | **610** | **0** | **610** | **1200** | **590** | **600** | 27 |
| 28 | **UK domiciled** | **850** | **60** | **460** | **290** | **40** | **~** | **1020** | **250** | **760** | **580** | **0** | **580** | **1120** | **560** | **560** | 28 |
| 29 | Female | **600** | 40 | 330 | 200 | 30 | ~ | **490** | 90 | 400 | **340** | 0 | 340 | **890** | 530 | 370 | 29 |
| 30 | Male | **250** | 10 | 130 | 90 | 20 | ~ | **530** | 170 | 360 | **240** | 0 | 240 | **230** | 40 | 190 | 30 |
| 31 | **Overseas domiciled** | **50** | **~** | **30** | **20** | **~** | **0** | **290** | **80** | **210** | **30** | **0** | **30** | **80** | **30** | **50** | 31 |
| 32 | Female | **40** | ~ | 20 | 20 | ~ | 0 | **150** | 40 | 110 | **20** | 0 | 20 | **60** | 30 | 30 | 32 |
| 33 | Male | **10** | ~ | ~ | ~ | 0 | 0 | **140** | 50 | 100 | **10** | 0 | 10 | **10** | ~ | 10 | 33 |
| | **Subject area** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 34 | Medicine & dentistry | **~** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ~ | **40** | 40 | ~ | **30** | 0 | 30 | **0** | 0 | 0 | 34 |
| 35 | Subjects allied to medicine | **300** | 30 | 170 | 100 | 10 | 0 | **70** | 20 | 50 | **140** | 0 | 140 | **550** | 530 | 20 | 35 |
| 36 | Biological sciences | **10** | ~ | ~ | ~ | 0 | 0 | **110** | 50 | 60 | **30** | 0 | 30 | **~** | 0 | ~ | 36 |
| 37 | Veterinary science | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0 | 0 | 37 |
| 38 | Agriculture & related subjects | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **50** | 10 | 40 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **0** | 0 | 0 | 38 |
| 39 | Physical sciences | **20** | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 0 | **80** | 50 | 30 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **~** | 0 | ~ | 39 |
| 40 | Mathematical sciences | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **~** | ~ | 0 | **0** | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0 | 0 | 40 |
| 41 | Computer science | **~** | 0 | ~ | ~ | 0 | 0 | **150** | 10 | 130 | **30** | 0 | 30 | **60** | 0 | 60 | 41 |
| 42 | Engineering & technology | **10** | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 0 | **140** | 50 | 80 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **0** | 0 | 0 | 42 |
| 43 | Architecture, building & planning | **50** | ~ | 20 | 20 | ~ | 0 | **20** | ~ | 10 | **20** | 0 | 20 | **0** | 0 | 0 | 43 |
| 44 | Social, economic & political studies | **150** | ~ | 90 | 50 | ~ | 0 | **120** | 40 | 90 | **30** | 0 | 30 | **300** | 40 | 270 | 44 |
| 45 | Law | **10** | 0 | ~ | ~ | 0 | 0 | **50** | ~ | 50 | **10** | 0 | 10 | **~** | 0 | ~ | 45 |
| 46 | Business & administrative studies | **290** | 20 | 160 | 110 | ~ | 0 | **150** | ~ | 140 | **30** | 0 | 30 | **100** | 20 | 80 | 46 |
| 47 | Librarianship & information science | **~** | 0 | 0 | 0 | ~ | 0 | **40** | ~ | 40 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **0** | 0 | 0 | 47 |
| 48 | Languages | **20** | 0 | 20 | ~ | 0 | 0 | **90** | 20 | 80 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **20** | 0 | 20 | 48 |
| 49 | Humanities | **~** | 0 | ~ | ~ | ~ | 0 | **40** | 10 | 30 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **10** | ~ | ~ | 49 |
| 50 | Creative arts & design | **~** | 0 | 0 | ~ | 0 | 0 | **20** | ~ | 20 | **~** | 0 | ~ | **10** | 0 | 10 | 50 |
| 51 | Education | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **150** | ~ | 140 | **260** | 0 | 260 | **70** | 0 | 70 | 51 |
| 52 | Combined | **30** | ~ | ~ | ~ | 20 | 0 | **~** | ~ | ~ | **~** | 0 | ~ | **60** | 0 | 60 | 52 |
| 53 | **Total dormant modes of study** | **120** | **~** | **30** | **40** | **40** | **10** | **530** | **30** | **510** | **200** | **~** | **200** | **590** | **530** | **50** | 53 |
| 54 | **UK domiciled** | **80** | **0** | **20** | **30** | **20** | **~** | **370** | **20** | **360** | **180** | **~** | **180** | **490** | **460** | **30** | 54 |
| 55 | **Overseas domiciled** | **40** | **~** | **~** | **~** | **20** | **~** | **160** | **~** | **150** | **20** | **0** | **20** | **90** | **70** | **20** | 55 |
| 56 | **Female** | **60** | **~** | **20** | **20** | **20** | **~** | **290** | **~** | **280** | **120** | **~** | **120** | **510** | **480** | **30** | 56 |
| 57 | **Male** | **60** | **0** | **10** | **20** | **20** | **~** | **240** | **20** | **230** | **90** | **~** | **80** | **80** | **60** | **20** | 57 |

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