

## **Annex S: List of abbreviations**

<b>CertEd</b>	Certificate in Education
<b>CertHE</b>	Certificate of Higher Education
<b>DipHE</b>	Diploma of Higher Education
<b>DSA</b>	Disabled Students' Allowance
<b>DTLLS</b>	Diploma in Teaching in the Lifelong Learning Sector
<b>ELQ</b>	Equivalent or lower qualification
<b>EU</b>	European Union
<b>FAMD</b>	Funding and Monitoring Data
<b>FEC</b>	Further education college
<b>FTE</b>	Full-time equivalent/equivalence
<b>HE</b>	Higher education
<b>HEAPES</b>	Higher Education in Alternative Providers Early Statistics survey
<b>HEFCE</b>	Higher Education Funding Council for England
<b>HEI</b>	Higher education institution
<b>HEIFES</b>	Higher Education in Further Education: Students Survey
<b>HESA</b>	Higher Education Statistics Agency
<b>HESES</b>	Higher Education Students Early Statistics Survey
<b>HNC</b>	Higher National Certificate
<b>HND</b>	Higher National Diploma
<b>ILR</b>	The Skills Funding Agency individualised learner record
<b>INSET</b>	In-service education and training
<b>ITT</b>	Initial teacher training
<b>UK NARIC</b>	UK National Recognition Information Centre
<b>OFFA</b>	Office for Fair Access
<b>PGCE</b>	Postgraduate Certificate in Education or Professional Graduate Certificate in Education
<b>PG ITT</b>	Postgraduate initial teacher training
<b>QAA</b>	Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education
<b>QTS</b>	Qualified teacher status
<b>SI</b>	Statutory instrument
<b>SLC</b>	Student Loans Company

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<b>SNC</b>	Student number control
<b>UCAS</b>	The Universities and Colleges Admissions Service