

Graduate Certificate in Education



Sunshine Coast, Semester 1 2024

Program structure

Required courses from a specified list (4) 48 units

Select a total of 48 units. A minimum of 24 units must be EDU or EDN coded courses.

EDU700 Professional Learning
EDU725 Teaching Junior Secondary Arts 1
EDU737 Teaching Junior Secondary English
EDU739 Teaching Junior Secondary Geography
EDU741 Teaching Junior Secondary History
EDU745 Teaching Junior Secondary Languages
EDU747 Teaching Junior Secondary Mathematics
EDU749 Teaching Junior Secondary Science 1
EDU727 Teaching Senior Secondary Arts 1
EDU738 Teaching Senior Secondary English
EDU740 Teaching Senior Secondary Geography
SEC602 Ethics in Digital Investigation and Cyber Security
MHN702 Youth Mental Health and Neurobiology
MHN708 Lifestyle Factors and Mental Health
PUB702 Health Promotion Implementation and Evaluation
PUB706 Introduction to Behavioural Health
PUB707 Public Health Foundations
MGT701 Leading and Managing Organisations
MGT702 Understanding and Managing Organisational Behaviour
BUS703 Evidenced Based Decision Making
BUS704 Finance and Accounting for Managers
EDU746 Teaching Senior Secondary Languages
EDN701 Researching Education
BUS702 Economics for Managers
EDU762 Teaching Junior Secondary Technology
EDU763 Teaching Senior Secondary Technology
EDU712 Diversity and Inclusion
EDU715 Literacy and Numeracy across the Curriculum
EDU716 Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Perspectives in Teaching and Learning
EDU717 Using Data for Learning
EDU719 Teacher as Global Practitioner

Note: Program structures are subject to change. Not all UniSC courses are available on every UniSC campus.

Total units: 48

Study sequence

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Semester 1

Select 24 units from (EDU or EDN coded)

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
EDN701 Researching Education	• Semester 1	24	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED511, ED512 or ED705 Anti: EDU709
EDU700 Professional Learning	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED703, ED704, ED705, ED501, ED508 or any postgraduate program
EDU712 Diversity and Inclusion	• Session 5, Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED508, ED705, ED706 or ED707
EDU716 Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Perspectives in Teaching and Learning	• Session 1, Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED508, ED705, ED706 or ED707
EDU717 Using Data for Learning	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED508, ED705, ED706 or ED707
EDU719 Teacher as Global Practitioner	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED508 or ED705 or ED706
EDU725 Teaching Junior Secondary Arts 1	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and a Dance, Drama, Media Arts, Music or Visual Arts Teaching area
EDU737 Teaching Junior Secondary English	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and an English Teaching area
EDU739 Teaching Junior Secondary Geography	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and a Geography Teaching area
EDU741 Teaching Junior Secondary History	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and a History Teaching area
EDU745 Teaching Junior Secondary Languages	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and a Languages Teaching area
EDU747 Teaching Junior Secondary Mathematics	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and a Mathematics Teaching area
EDU749 Teaching Junior Secondary Science 1	• Semester 1	12	Pre:

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EDU762 Teaching Junior Secondary Technology	• Semester 1	12	Enrolled in Program ED706 and a Biology, Agriculture, Chemistry, Physics, Marine Science, Earth & Environmental Science, Psychology or Science Teaching area
			Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and a Technology Teaching area

Select 24 units from:

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
BUS704 Finance and Accounting for Managers	• Session 2, Session 6	12	Pre: Enrolled in any PGRD Program Anti: MBA713 or EMB763 or ACC511
MGT701 Leading and Managing Organisations	• Session 3, Session 6	12	Pre: Enrolled in any PGRD Program or (enrolled in Program SC410, SC411, SC425, SC404 or SC405 and 280 units completed towards these Programs) Anti: MBA707 or EMB757
SEC602 Ethics in Digital Investigation and Cyber Security	• Trimester 1, Trimester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program SC509, SC517, BU708 or SC705.
EDN701 Researching Education	• Semester 1	24	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED511, ED512 or ED705 Anti: EDU709
EDU700 Professional Learning	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED703, ED704, ED705, ED501, ED508 or any postgraduate program
EDU712 Diversity and Inclusion	• Session 5, Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED508, ED705, ED706 or ED707
EDU717 Using Data for Learning	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED508, ED705, ED706 or ED707
EDU719 Teacher as Global Practitioner	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	Pre:

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EDU725 Teaching Junior Secondary Arts 1	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and a Dance, Drama, Media Arts, Music or Visual Arts Teaching area
EDU737 Teaching Junior Secondary English	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and an English Teaching area
EDU739 Teaching Junior Secondary Geography	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and a Geography Teaching area
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EDU747 Teaching Junior Secondary Mathematics	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and a Mathematics Teaching area
EDU749 Teaching Junior Secondary Science 1	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and a Biology, Agriculture, Chemistry, Physics, Marine Science, Earth & Environmental Science, Psychology or Science Teaching area
EDU762 Teaching Junior Secondary Technology	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED706 and a Technology Teaching area

Program requirements and notes

- Select a total of 48 units. A minimum of 24 units must be EDU or EDN coded courses.
- Please note not all courses are offered online or at Sunshine Coast campus.
- If you are planning to enrol in the Master of Education (ED705) degree in the future and do not need the Graduate Certificate of Education (ED508) as an entry requirement to the MEd (ED705), you may wish to consult the specialisations lists in the MEd when choosing your courses for possible future credit.

Program notes

- Completing this program within the specified (full-time) duration is based on studying 48 unit points per semester (normally 4 courses) and following the recommended study sequence
- The unit value of all courses is 12 units unless otherwise specified
- It is each students responsibility to enrol correctly according to your course requisites, program rules and requirements and be aware of the academic calendar dates

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- Courses within this program are assessed using a variety of assessment methods which may include essays, seminar presentations, reports, in-class tests and examinations
- Refer to the Managing your progression page for help in understanding your program structure, reviewing your progress and planning remaining courses.