Bachelor of

Primary Education

Sunshine Coast, Semester 1 2022

Program structure

Introductory courses (6) 72 units

EDU101 Human Development and Learning
EDU103 Teaching with Technology
EDU105 Professional Experience: The role of the teacher
EDU106 Professional Experience: Connecting with Learning and Teaching
EDU118 Foundations of Numeracy
EDU119 English Language and Literacy

Developing and Graduate courses (24) 288 units

EDU202 Individual Learner Needs
EDU204 Teaching Technologies: Curriculum and Pedagogy
EDU205 Professional Experience: Facilitating the Learning Environment
EDU209 Teaching Mathematics in the Early Years
EDU212 Teaching Science in the Early Years
EDU213 Teaching English: Curriculum and Pedagogy
EDU214 Teaching Arts in the Early Years
EDU216 Teaching HPE in the Early Years
EDU300 Assessing Learning
EDU308 Professional Experience: Differentiated Practice
EDU309 Teaching Science in Primary Schools
EDU316 Teaching HASS in Primary School
EDU317 Teaching HPE in Primary School
EDU340 Teaching Reading and Writing
EDU349 Teaching Arts in Primary School
EDU400 Teaching Primary School Mathematics
EDU401 Teacher as Global Practitioner
EDU410 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Perspectives in Learning and Teaching
EDU411 Professional Experience: The Professional Teacher
EDU412 Diversity and Inclusion
EDU413 Teaching the Australian Curriculum: Languages
EDU415 Teacher as Researcher
EDU421 Using Data for Learning
SCS203 Introduction to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education

Subject Focus courses (2) 24 units

Select Option 1 or Option 2

Option 1 (English)

CMN116 Playing with Words: an Introduction to Creative Writing Craft
EDU361 Teaching English: Language, Literature and Literacy

Option 2 (Science)

Select 1 course from:

ENS103 Earth's Surface Processes
OES104 Learning in Australian Landscapes *
SCI113 Discovering Science

PLUS

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EDU374 Teaching Science: The Sky is the Limit

*completion of OES104 requires 5 full days of practical field work

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

Total units: 384

Study sequence

Year 1

Semester 1

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
EDU101 Human Development and Learning	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED010, ED011, ED101, ED102, AE301, AE302, AE304, BE301, ED301, ED303, ED304, ED315, SE301, SE303, ED601 or UB009
EDU105 Professional Experience: The role of the teacher	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED010, ED102 or ED304
EDU118 Foundations of Numeracy	• Semester 1	12	
EDU119 English Language and Literacy	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	

Semester 2

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
EDU103 Teaching with Technology	• Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED010, ED101, ED102, ED303 or ED304
EDU106 Professional Experience: Connecting with Learning and Teaching	• Semester 2	12	Pre: EDU105 and enrolled in Program ED304
EDU209 Teaching Mathematics in the Early Years	• Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED102, ED303, ED304 or ED306 Anti: EDU341
EDU213 Teaching English: Curriculum and Pedagogy	• Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED010, ED011, ED102, ED303, ED304 or ED306 Anti: EDU113

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Year 2

Semester 1

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
EDU212 Teaching Science in the Early Years	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED304 or ED303 Anti: EDU107
EDU214 Teaching Arts in the Early Years	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED304 or ED303 Anti: EDU319
SCS203 Introduction to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program AE304, ED303, ED304, ED315, SE303, AB101, UU301, UU302 or XU301

PLUS select 1 course from your chosen subject focus:

Option 1 (English/Literacy):

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
CMN116 Playing with Words: an Introduction to Creative Writing Craft	• Semester 1	12	

Option 2 (Science):

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
ENS103 Earth's Surface Processes	• Semester 1	12	
OES104 Learning in Australian Landscapes	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED304 or ED112 or ED312
SCI113 Discovering Science	• Semester 1	12	

Semester 2

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
EDU202 Individual Learner Needs	• Semester 2	12	Pre: EDU100 or EDU101 and enrolled in Program AE301, ED306, BE301, SE301 or ED304

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EDU204 Teaching Technologies: Curriculum and Pedagogy	• Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED304
EDU205 Professional Experience: Facilitating the Learning Environment	• Semester 2	12	Pre: (EDU106 and enrolled in Program ED304) or (EDU105 and enrolled in Program ED306)
EDU340 Teaching Reading and Writing	• Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED301, ED303, ED304, ED306, AE301, AE302, BE301, SE301, ED601, ED602, ED603, ED503 Anti: EDU640

Year 3

Semester 1

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
EDU216 Teaching HPE in the Early Years	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED303 or ED304 Anti: EDU333
EDU300 Assessing Learning	• Session 5, Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program AE304, ED303, ED304, ED315 or SE303 Anti: EDU221 or EDU211 or EDU418
EDU316 Teaching HASS in Primary School	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED303, ED304 or ED306
EDU349 Teaching Arts in Primary School	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED304 or ED306 Anti: EDU414

Semester 2

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
EDU308 Professional Experience: Differentiated Practice	• Semester 2	12	Pre: (EDU339 and enrolled in ED303) or (EDU205 and enrolled in ED304 or ED306)
EDU309 Teaching Science in Primary Schools	• Semester 2	12	Pre:

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			Enrolled in Program ED303, ED304 or ED306
EDU317 Teaching HPE in Primary School	• Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED304

PLUS select 1 course from your chosen subject focus:

Option 1 (English/Literacy)

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
EDU361 Teaching English: Language, Literature and Literacy	• Semester 2	12	Pre: (EDU213 or EDU113 and enrolled in Program ED303) or (CMN116 and (EDU213 or EDU113) and enrolled in Program ED304) Co: EDU340

Option 2 (Science)

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
EDU374 Teaching Science: The Sky is the Limit	• Semester 2	12	Pre: EDU212 or EDU107 and enrolled in Program ED304 Co: EDU309

Year 4

Semester 1

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
EDU400 Teaching Primary School Mathematics	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED303, ED304 or ED306
EDU410 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Perspectives in Learning and Teaching	• Session 1, Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED303, ED304, ED306, ED307, AE304, SE303 or ED315
EDU412 Diversity and Inclusion	• Session 5, Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED304, ED306, ED305, AE304, SE303 or ED315
EDU413 Teaching the Australian Curriculum: Languages	• Semester 1	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED304

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Semester 2

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER (SUNSHINE COAST)	UNITS	REQUISITES
EDU401 Teacher as Global Practitioner	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED304
EDU411 Professional Experience: The Professional Teacher	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	Pre: (EDU308 or EDU402 and enrolled in program ED304 or ED306) and successful completion of LANTITE Co: EDU415
EDU415 Teacher as Researcher	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	Pre: EDU308 or EDU402 and enrolled in Program ED303 or ED304 OR Co: EDU419 or EDU424 and enrolled in Program AE304, SE303 or ED315
EDU421 Using Data for Learning	• Semester 1, Semester 2	12	Pre: Enrolled in Program AE304, ED303, ED304, ED315, ED306 or SE303

Program requirements and notes

In order to graduate you must:

- Successfully complete 384 units as outlined in the Program Structure
- Complete 80 days of Supervised Professional Experience
- Successfully complete the Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education students. Further information on the test, including sample test questions and registration information, please visit the Australian Council of Educational Research website.

To commence supervised professional experience (SPE) you must:

- Obtain a Blue Card (or link your existing Blue Card to USC) prior to commencing supervised professional experience. Applications should be submitted at least 12 weeks prior to the SPE start date. View the Blue Card Fact Sheet for further information.
- Complete PrePlace and a Student Placement Agreement (further information will be provided by the placement office upon enrolment)
- Be willing to travel to attend supervised professional experience placements
- Visit Education - Supervised Professional Experience (SPE) for more information regarding requirements for placements

Program notes

- EDU415*MUST* be studied in your final semester of study with your final Professional Experience
- Cross-institutional study is not permitted for the Bachelor of Primary Education
- 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
- Courses within this program are assessed using a variety of assessment methods which may include essays, seminar presentations, reports, in-class tests and examinations

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- Only a full-time study option is available to international students on a Student Visa
- The Study Overseas Program is not available to Primary Education students
- Refer to the Managing your progression page for help in understanding your program structure, reviewing your progress and planning remaining courses.
- Students can choose between English or Science subject focus courses in Years 2 and 3 of their program
- Students completing OES104 will be required to complete 5 full days of practical field work

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