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## Graduate Certificate in Education Research

Take your first step into education research with a postgraduate qualification designed to build advanced research skills.

Whether you're an educator looking to explore an aspect of pedagogy, or are looking for a pathway to a PhD, this program provides the opportunity to deepen your knowledge in a collaborative environment with like minded education researchers.

In this program you will:

- Work under the supervision of USC's highly trained staff to develop your idea into a researchable topic.
- Develop advanced postgraduate skills in research methods, information literacy, proposal writing and research dissemination.
- Enjoy a flexible learning environment that includes face-to-face components supported by online lectures, tutorials and study notes, and is designed to integrate with your busy lifestyle.

Note: The Graduate Certificate in Education Research is a postgraduate qualification designed for educators currently working in the field. It does not qualify graduates for teacher registration. Online study requires students to virtually attend weekly live tutorial sessions, generally held after 5pm AEST during teaching periods.

### Admission Requirements

A student entering the Graduate Certificate in Education Research will normally be required to hold a four year bachelor degree (AQF Level

7) qualification in the education discipline from a recognised institution, or equivalent qualification.

Please note the online offering of this program is not available to onshore international students on a Student Visa.

### MORE INFORMATION

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Note: Study options and semester of offer can vary depending on the study location. For full details, visit [usc.edu.au](http://usc.edu.au).

## PROGRAM STRUCTURE

### Required courses (2) 48 units

COURSE	SEMESTER OF OFFER	REQUISITES
<b>EDN701</b> Researching Education 24 units	· Sunshine Coast: Semester 1 · Online: Semester 1	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED511, ED512 or ED705  Anti: EDU709
<b>EDN705</b> Education Research Theories and Methodologies 24 units	· Sunshine Coast: Semester 1, Semester 2 · Online: Semester 1, Semester 2	Pre: Enrolled in Program ED511, ED705 or ED802

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