

Master of Teaching (Primary)



LOCATION	QTAC CODE	START
Sunshine Coast	017271	Semester 1, Semester 2
Moreton Bay	017272	Semester 1, Semester 2

Make an impact on young people's lives. The Master of Teaching (Primary) program qualifies graduates with non-education bachelor degrees to teach in primary schools with students in Prep to Year 6.

In this program you will:

- Learn to inspire young students and apply existing subject knowledge in the classroom
- Study core courses that prepare you to teach english, maths, science, technology, arts, history, geography, health and physical education (PE)
- Learn how to motivate and encourage young students through curriculum design, teaching strategies and behaviour management
- Enhance your knowledge and skills through ongoing professional development seminars and employment forums
- Complete Supervised Professional Experience in three blocks, totalling 60 days of practice teaching, with the opportunity to gain experience in rural and remote areas throughout Queensland

Career opportunities

- Primary school teacher
- Private practice tutor
- Education consultant
- Community education centre leader
- College /University tutor or lecturer
- Zoo education officer
- Education exhibition organiser
- Education Policy Analyst
- Youth support worker
- Children's television presenter
- Teacher of English overseas
- Children's advocate

Post admission requirements

Students complete 60 days of supervised professional experience. Obtain a Blue Card before starting supervised professional experience.

As required by the Commission for Children and Young People and Child Guardian Act (2000), pre-service teachers must undergo a criminal history check and be issued with a Suitability Card (Blue Card) by the Commission to allow them to undertake field experience in a school or centre in which children under 18 years of age are present. It is highly recommended that students be proactive in applying for a card as soon as they are accepted into the program. It is now a requirement of all Queensland sites and most Australian sites that pre-service teachers have obtained the Blue Card prior to starting professional learning.

Students must complete and pass the Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE) prior to graduating.

Duration

2 years

Full-time or equivalent part-time

Indicative 2024 fees

A\$4,624 (CSP)

A\$21,216 - 2025 Fees

(fee-paying)

Fees are indicative only and will change based on courses selected and are subject to yearly increases

Delivery mode

Blended Learning

Total courses

17

Total units

192

UniSC program code

ED707

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Travel and Transport to Supervised Professional Experience sites. Students may be required to attend a placement at a site which is not easily accessible by public transport. Students will need to make their own arrangements to allow for their participation in the allocated SPE placement.

Student must adhere to the Student Code of Conduct and meet Inherent Academic Requirements.

Program structure

Required courses (17) 192 units

EDN700 Professional Experience: The Professional Teacher
EDN706 Pedagogical and Curriculum Leadership in the Classroom
EDU712 Diversity and Inclusion
EDU716 Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Perspectives in Teaching and Learning
EDU718 Teacher as Researcher
EDU767 Teaching Primary School English: Curriculum and Pedagogy
EDU768 Teaching Mathematics in the Early Years
EDU769 Teaching Science in Primary School
EDU774 Teaching Primary School Mathematics
EDU776 Teaching Reading and Writing
EDU777 Teaching Arts in Primary School
EDU778 Teaching HASS in Primary School
EDU779 Teaching HPE in Primary School(6 units)
EDU780 Teaching Technologies: Curriculum and Pedagogy(6 units)
EDU795 Professional Experience: Orientation to Teaching and Learning
EDU796 English Language and Literacy
EDU797 Professional Experience: Individual Learner Needs

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

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