

Master of Education (Domestic students)

Program code

5735

Available at

Mt Gravatt Campus, Online

Duration

1 to 2 years full-time 2 to 4 years part-time

Credit points

160

Indicative fee

\$5,500.00* per year (more)

* 2024 indicative annual CSP fee

Admission requirements

Bachelor degree or higher Relevant work experience

(more)

Commencing in

Trimester 1 and Trimester 2

Next start date

Trimester 2, 2024 (more)

Applications close

Monday, 24 June 2024

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Degree requirements: Students who started Trimester 1 - 2023

Standard pathway

To be eligible for the award of *Master of Education (MEd)*, a student must successfully complete 160 credit points as prescribed below:

- 60 credit points of core courses;
- 40 credit points for one major OR 40 credit points from across the majors;
- 40 credit points for a second major OR electives;
- 20 credit points of electives.

To be eligible for the award of *Master of Education (MEd)*, a student admitted with **40 credit points of advanced standing** must successfully complete 120 credit points as prescribed below:

- 20 credit points of core educational research courses;
- 40 credit points for one major OR 40 credit points from across the majors;
- 40 credit points for a second major OR electives;
- 20 credit points of electives.

Research pathway

To be eligible for the award of *Master of Education (MEd)*, a student must successfully complete 160 credit points as prescribed below:

- 70 credit points of core courses;
- 10 credit points for an elective;
- 40 credit points for one major OR 40 credit points from across the majors;
- 40 credit points for the research courses OR electives.

To be eligible for the award of *Master of Education (MEd)*, a student admitted with **40 credit points of advanced standing** must successfully complete 120 credit points as prescribed below:

- 40 credit points for one major OR 40 credit points from across the majors;
- 40 credit points of core educational research courses;
- 40 credit points for the research courses OR electives.

This degree may be awarded **with Distinction** where a student achieves a minimum program GPA of 6.5 with no failed courses. The words "This award was achieved with Distinction" will be recorded on the testamur.

Exit points

Standard pathway students must successfully complete 40 credit points of core courses to exit with the Graduate Certificate in

Education (3369).

Standard pathway students must successfully complete 40 credit points of core courses and a listed 40 credit point major to exit with the Graduate Diploma of Educational Studies (4205).

It is also possible for students to exit with the following awards:

- Graduate Certificate in Autism Studies (3270) after successfully completing the 40 credit point Autism Studies major.
- Graduate Certificate in Early Childhood Studies (3375) after successfully completing the 40 credit point Early Childhood Studies major. (this major is not accredited with ACECQA)
- Graduate Certificate in Educational Leadership (3230) after successfully completing the 40 credit point Educational Leadership major.
- Graduate Certificate in Educational Technology (3367) after successfully completing the 40 credit point Educational Technology major.
- Graduate Certificate in Learning and Professional Development (3362) after successfully completing the 40 credit point Learning and Professional Development major.
- Graduate Certificate in Special Needs Education (3020) after successfully completing the 40 credit point Special Needs Education major.
- Graduate Certificate in Teaching of English to Speakers of Other Languages (3016) after successfully completing the 40 credit point Teaching of English to Speakers of Other Languages major.
- Graduate Certificate in Wellbeing in Education (3368) after successfully completing the 40 credit point Wellbeing in Education major.
- Graduate Certificate in Educational Studies (3385) after successfully completing 40 credit points of major courses as approved by the Program Director.

Students who complete 40 credit points of core educational research courses may exit with the Graduate Certificate in Educational Research (3366).

To exit, a student should apply for a program transfer.

Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) Level and Type

The Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) is the national policy for regulated qualifications in Australian education and training. This qualification is accredited as an AQF Level 9 - Masters Degree (Coursework).

Program learning outcomes

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Program Learning Outcomes communicate to the community the value of the Griffith educational experience as benchmarked against national qualification standards.

<u>Program Learning Outcomes for this award</u> describe the knowledge, skills and the application of knowledge and skills you will acquire through studying the Griffith program of your choice.

Course list: Students starting Trimester 1 - 2023

Course offering information in program structures is a guide only. Please check the actual offering information in the Course Catalogue.

Program options

Students must complete one of the following pathways:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			Standard pathway	160
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Research pathway	160

Students admitted with advanced standing must complete one of the following pathways:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			Standard pathway with advanced standing	120
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Research pathway with advanced standing	120

Standard pathway

You must complete the following core courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 2	7019EDN		Practitioner researchers and the teaching and learning cycle	10
Tri 1	7016EDN		Understanding Research	10
Tri 1	7018EDN		Learning and Teaching in Global Communities	10
Tri 1	7008EDN		Leading Learning and Change	10

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Education (3369). To exit (after successfully completing the above 40 credit points of core courses), you should apply for a program transfer.

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			One major	40
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Courses across the majors	40

Exit point: Graduate Diploma of Educational Studies (4205). To exit (after successfully completing the above 40 credit points of core courses and a listed 40 credit point major), you should apply for a program transfer.

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			Second major	40
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Postgraduate free-choice elective/s (with Program Director approval)	40
Tri 1,2			Postgraduate free-choice elective/s (with Program Director approval)	20
Tri 1,2	8905EDN		Qualitative Research in Education	10
Tri 1,2	8907EDN		Quantitative Research in Education	10

Standard pathway with advanced standing

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			One major	40
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Courses across the majors	40
Tri 1,2			Second major	40
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Postgraduate free-choice elective/s (with Program Director approval)	40
Tri 1,2			Postgraduate free-choice elective/s (with Program Director approval)	20
Tri 1,2	8905EDN		Qualitative Research in Education	10
Tri 1,2	8907EDN		Quantitative Research in Education	10

Research pathway

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 2	7019EDN		Practitioner researchers and the teaching and learning cycle	10
Tri 1	7018EDN		Learning and Teaching in Global Communities	10
Tri 1	7008EDN		Leading Learning and Change	10
Tri 1			Postgraduate free-choice elective/s (with Program Director approval)	10

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Education (3369). To exit (after successfully completing the above 40 credit points of courses), you should apply for a program transfer.

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			One major	40
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Courses across the majors	40

Exit point: Graduate Diploma of Educational Studies (4205). To exit (after successfully completing the above 40 credit points of courses and a listed 40 credit point major), you should apply for a program transfer.

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2	8901EDN		Foundations of Education Research	10
Tri 1,2	8903EDN		Designing Educational Research	10
Tri 1,2	8905EDN		Qualitative Research in Education	10
Tri 1,2	8907EDN		Quantitative Research in Education	10

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Educational Research (3366). Students can exit by applying for a program transfer after successfully completing 40 credit points of core educational research courses [8901EDN; 8903EDN; 8905EDN; 8907EDN].

To be eligible to undertake the **Research courses**, a student must have met the following criteria:

- attained a minimum GPA of 5 across the core and major courses;
- have successfully completed or are currently enrolled in 8901EDN, 8903EDN, 8905EDN and 8907EDN;
- lodged a completed Nomination of Dissertation Topic and Supervisor form;
- the suitability of the proposed dissertation topic; and
- the resources available to support the candidature including availability of appropriate supervision.

Students who do not meet this criteria will undertake 40 credit points of postgraduate free-choice elective (with Program Director approval).

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2	7323EDN_P1		Research Dissertation 1	20
			AND	
Tri 1,2	7323EDN_P2		Research Dissertation 2	20
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Postgraduate free-choice elective/s (with Program Director approval)	40

Research pathway with advanced standing

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			One major	40
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Courses across the majors	40
Tri 1,2	8901EDN		Foundations of Education Research	10
Tri 1,2	8903EDN		Designing Educational Research	10
Tri 1,2	8905EDN		Qualitative Research in Education	10
Tri 1,2	8907EDN		Quantitative Research in Education	10

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- the resources available to support the candidature including availability of appropriate supervision.

Students who do not meet this criteria will undertake 40 credit points of postgraduate free-choice elective (with Program Director approval).

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2	7323EDN_P1		Research Dissertation 1	20
			AND	
Tri 1,2	7323EDN_P2		Research Dissertation 2	20
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Postgraduate free-choice elective/s (with Program Director approval)	40

Majors (9 available) Autism Studies

This major is offered online.

Note: For those students undertaking this major in part-time mode, courses must be completed sequentially. Courses can be completed one per trimester over two years.

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2	7175EDN		Understanding Autism (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2	7176EDN		Evaluating the evidence: What counts?	10
Tri 1,2	7177EDN		Autism, Education and Learning	10
Tri 1,2	7178EDN		Managing Behaviours that challenge	10

Note 1: This course is foundational and part-time students must complete this course first.

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Autism Studies (3270). Students with 40 credit points of advanced standing can exit by applying for a program transfer after successfully completing the 40 credit point Autism Studies major.

Early Childhood Studies

(This major is not accredited with ACECQA)

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	7206EDN	Core to Major	Child Development, Families and Communities (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1	7194EDN	Core to Major	History and Philosophy of Early Childhood (see Note 1)	10
Tri 2	7191EDN	Core to Major	Curriculum and Pedagogy in the Early Years	10
Tri 1,2,3	7510LFC	Core to Major	Community Internship and Partnerships for SDGs (see Note 2)	10

Note 1: Students must successfully complete 7206EDN and 7194EDN before enrolling in 7191EDN.

Note 2: If you have completed this course successfully in another major you should choose a course from the elective list

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Early Childhood Studies (3375). Students with 40 credit points of advanced standing can exit by applying for a program transfer after successfully completing the 40 credit point Early Childhood Studies major.

Educational Leadership

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	7248EDN		Navigating Educational Leadership (MG & OL)	10
Tri 1	7991EDN		Leadership for Wellbeing (MG & OL)	10
Tri 1,2,3			Listed Business elective (postgraduate level with Program Director approval)	10
Tri 1,2,3	7510LFC		Community Internship and Partnerships for SDGs (see Note 1)	10

Note 1: If you have completed this course successfully in another major you should choose a course from the elective list.

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Educational Leadership (3230). Students with 40 credit points of advanced standing can exit by applying for a program transfer after successfully completing the 40 credit point Educational Leadership major.

Educational Studies

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			Master of Education major courses (with Program Director approval)	40

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Educational Studies (3385). Students with 40 credit points of advanced standing can exit by applying for a program transfer after successfully completing 40 credit points of Master of Education major courses (with Program Director approval).

Educational Technology

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 2	7134EDN		Designing Digital Learning and Teaching	10
Tri 1	7131EDN		Education and Digital Culture	10
Tri 2	7170EDN		Digital Evolution in Education	10
Tri 1,2,3	7510LFC		Community Internship and Partnerships for SDGs (see Note 1)	10

Note 1: If you have completed this course successfully in another major you should choose a course from the elective list

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Educational Technology (3367). Students with 40 credit points of advanced standing can

exit by applying for a program transfer after successfully completing the 40 credit point Educational Technology major.

Learning and Professional Development

This major is offered online.

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement Course title	CP
Tri 1	7352EDN	Strategic Learning Design (Tri 1 2024 final offering. Not offered from 2025)	10
Tri 1	7350EDN	Workplace Learning Strategies (Tri 1 2024 final offering. Not offered from 2025)	10
Tri 2	7354EDN	Assessment and Evaluation (Tri 2 2024 final offering. Not offered from 2025)	10
Tri 2	7356EDN	Learning and Performance in Work (Tri 2 2024 final offering. Not offered from 2025)	10

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Learning and Professional Development (3362). Students with 40 credit points of advanced standing can exit by applying for a program transfer after successfully completing the 40 credit point Learning and Professional Development major.

Special Needs Education

This major is offered online.

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	7231EDN		Adjustments and Differentiation	10
Tri 1	7178EDN		Managing Behaviours that challenge	10
Tri 2	7209EDN		Reading Intervention	10
Tri 2	7226EDN		Consultation and Collaboration	10

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Special Needs Education (3020). Students with 40 credit points of advanced standing can exit by applying for a program transfer after successfully completing the 40 credit point Special Needs Education major.

Teaching of English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)

This major is offered at Nathan and Online.

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,3	7901LHS		Language awareness for second language teachers	10
Tri 1,3	7902LHS		Understanding the Language Learner	10
Tri 2,3	7903LHS		Second Language Teaching in Practice (Internship)	10
Tri 2,3	7904LHS		Second Language Curriculum Development	10

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (3016). Students with 40 credit points of advanced standing can exit by applying for a program transfer after successfully completing the 40 credit point Teaching of English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) major.

Wellbeing in Education

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1			Listed Health Elective	10
Tri 1	7991EDN		Leadership for Wellbeing (MG & OL)	10
Tri 1	7993EDN		Positive Psychology and Education (MG & OL)	10
Tri 1,2,3	7510LFC		Community Internship and Partnerships for SDGs (see Note 1)	10

Note 1: If you have completed this course successfully in another major you should choose a course from the elective list.

Exit point: Graduate Certificate in Wellbeing in Education (3368). Students with 40 credit points of advanced standing can exit by applying for a program transfer after successfully completing the 40 credit point Wellbeing in Education major.

Electives (2 available) Listed Business electives

Note: Students may choose electives from other parts of the university that are relevant to their program of study. This option requires prior consultation with (and approval from) the Program Director.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	7115IBA		Managing Complex Projects	10
Tri 1,3	7211AFE		Corporate Finance	10
Tri 1	7921IBA		International Business Dynamics	10
Tri 1,2	7004MKT		Marketing for Social Change	10
Tri 1,2	7012EHR		Leading Policy and Organisational Change	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	7004GBS		PG Business Internship I	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	7005GBS		PG Business Internship II	20
Tri 1	7124IBA		The Digital Economy	10
Tri 1,2,3	7510LFC		Community Internship and Partnerships for SDGs	10
Tri 2	7106IBA		Managerial Problem Solving	10
Tri 2	7924IBA		Negotiation Strategy and Skill	10
Tri 2	7228THS		Business Event Management	10
Tri 3	7007GBS		PG Global Mobility Internship II	20

Listed Health electives

Note: Students may choose electives from other parts of the university that are relevant to their program of study. This option requires prior consultation with (and approval from) the Program Director.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement Course title	CP
Tri 1	7231MED	Health Promotion Community Engagement	10
Tri 2,3	7311MED	Social Determinants of Health	10
Tri 1	7314MED	Digital Health	10
Tri 1	7415MED	Global Health, Equity and Human Rights	10
Tri 1,2	7324MED	Financing Health and Social Care	10
Tri 1	7422MED	Disaster Management and Resilience Building	10
Tri 1	7231MED	Health Promotion Community Engagement	10
Tri 1,2	7032HSV	Human Service : Knowledge and Practice	10
Tri 1	7035HSV	Understanding Mental Health : Theories and Practice	10
Tri 1	7053HSV	Introduction to Working with First Peoples Communities	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	7417MED	International Public Health Practice	20
Tri 2	7307MED	Health Economics (Offered in T2 only from 2023)	10
Tri 1,3	7411MED	Leadership in Management for Health Services	10
Tri 1,3	7117MED	Climate Change and Public Health	10
Tri 1,2	7047HSV	First Peoples and Social Justice (Advanced)	10
Tri 2	7012HSV	Human Services : Law and Social Policy	10
Tri 2	7041HSV	Advocacy and Leadership	10
Tri 2	7042HSV	Contemporary Issues for Children and Families	10
Tri 2	7049HSV	Trauma Integrated Practice with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples	10
Tri 2	7305MED	Health Workforce	10
Tri 2	7412MED	International Nutrition	10
Tri 2	7414MED	Project Planning and Design in Global Health (not offered 2023)	10
Tri 2	7211MED	Physical Activity Promotion	10
Tri 2	7301MED	Health Policy and Planning	10
Tri 2	7232MED	Global Health: Priorities and Interventions	10
Tri 2,3	7881MED	Health Program Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation	10
Tri 2	7210MED	First Peoples Health and Practice	10
Tri 3	7419MED	Applied Public Health Field Trip	10
Tri 3	7418MED	Asia-Pacific Public Health Field Tour (not offered in 2021)	10
Tri 3	7424MED	Applied Risk Assessment in Public Health (not offered from 2022)	10
Tri 3	7030HSV	Working with Diverse Populations	10
Tri 3	7040HSV	Reconceptualising Practice with Children and Youth	10