

DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION STUDIES

Completing the Diploma in Education Studies lets you receive guaranteed entry and up to:

70 units of credit into the Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood and Primary)

70 units of credit into the Bachelor of Education (Primary)

80 units of credit into the Bachelor of Education (Secondary)

Whether you can receive the full amount of credit will depend on which directed courses you complete in the Diploma in Education Studies and which Bachelor degree program you choose. Please refer to the information below to make sure you choose the right courses to maximise your credit into your chosen Bachelor degree program. For the full list of directed courses please see the [Diploma in Education Studies program handbook](#). Please note that program structures can vary from year to year and that the credit you are eligible for at the completion of the Diploma may vary from what is listed in this document.

Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood and Primary)

Complete the following core courses

*Course will count as an elective in the Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood and Primary)

- EDUC1103 Schooling, Identity and Society
- FNLT1006* Academic Literacies for Studies in Education
- FNMT1201* Introductory Skills in Mathematics and Statistics

Complete the following Directed A courses

- EDUC1048 Becoming a Teacher: Primary and Early Childhood Context
- EDUC1070 Foundation of Creative Arts for Early Childhood and Primary Teachers

Complete three of the following Directed B courses

- HIST1051 The Australian Experience
- LING1000 Foundations of Language - Primary and Early Childhood Contexts
- MATH1900 Elementary Mathematics
- PUBH1020 Foundations of Early Childhood Health and Well-Being
- SCIM1040 Foundations of Science and Technology

Bachelor of Education (Primary)

Complete the following core courses

*Course will count as an elective in the Bachelor of Education (Primary)

- EDUC1103 Schooling, Identity and Society
- FNLT1006* Academic Literacies for Studies in Education
- FNMT1201* Introductory Skills in Mathematics and Statistics

Complete the following Directed A courses

- EDUC1048 Becoming a Teacher: Primary and Early Childhood Context
- EDUC1070 Foundation of Creative Arts for Early Childhood and Primary Teachers

Complete three of the following Directed B courses

- HIST1051 The Australian Experience
- LING1000 Foundations of Language - Primary and Early Childhood Contexts
- MATH1900 Elementary Mathematics
- PUBH1030 Foundation Studies in K-6 PDHPE
- SCIM1040 Foundations of Science and Technology

Bachelor of Education (Secondary)

Complete the following core courses

*Course will count as an elective in the Bachelor of Education (Secondary)

- EDUC1103 Schooling, Identity and Society
- FNLT1006* Academic Literacies for Studies in Education
- FNMT1201* Introductory Skills in Mathematics and Statistics

Complete the following Directed A courses

- EDUC1038 Foundations of Secondary Education
- EDUC2102 Educational Psychology: Learners and the Learning Process

Complete three of the following Directed B courses depending on which teaching area you plan to complete as a first teaching area in the Bachelor of Education (Secondary)

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To maximise your credit, please seek enrolment advice from programadvice@newcastle.edu.au before you enrol in your Directed B courses. The amount of credit you will receive into the Bachelor of Education (Secondary) will vary depending on your choice of Directed B courses and which teaching areas you plan to complete.

Aboriginal Studies

Only two of these courses will count towards this Teaching Area

- ABOR1110 Introduction to Aboriginal Studies
- ABOR1370 Working with Aboriginal Communities
- ABOR1390 Australian Aboriginal People and Human Rights

Ancient History

- AHIS1000 Ancient Greece
- AHIS1020 Rome to Julius Caesar

Biology

Only two of these courses will count towards this Teaching Area

- BIOL1001 Molecules, Cells and Organisms
- BIOL1002 Organisms to Ecosystems
- BIOL1003 Professional Skills for Biological Sciences 1

Business Studies

ACF11001 and ACF11003 cannot both count towards this Teaching Area

- ACF11001 Accounting for Decision Makers
- ACF11003 Introduction to Finance
- MNGT1001 Introduction to Management

Chemistry

Only two of these courses will count towards this Teaching Area

- CHEM1010 Introductory Chemistry I
- CHEM1020 Introductory Chemistry II
- CHEM1110 Chemistry for the Life Sciences I
- CHEM1120 Chemistry for the Life Sciences II

Computing Information Systems and Software Design

- COMP1140 Database and Information Management
- INFT1004 Introduction to Programming
- SENG1110 Object Oriented Programming

Design and Technology

COMP1140 and CMNS1240 may count as an elective or a compulsory course, depending on which second teaching area you complete

- DESN1031 Digital Practices in Visual Communication
- COMP1140 Database and Information Management
- CMNS1240 Commercial Social Media Production

Drama

CAPA1001	Creative and Performing Arts 1
CIND1301	Stagecraft

Earth and Environmental Science

Only two of these courses will count towards this Teaching Area (one course must be BIOL1001, BIOL1002, or BIOL1003; and one course must be ENVS1001, ENVS1003, GEOS1040, or MARI1000)

BIOL1001	Molecules, Cells and Organisms
BIOL1002	Organisms to Ecosystems
BIOL1003	Professional Skills for Biological Sciences 1
ENVS1001	Environmental Science Concepts and Methods
ENVS1003	Environmental Values and Ethics
GEOS1040	Earth: Our Dynamic Planet
MARI1000	Our Oceans

Economics

ECON1001	Microeconomics for Business Decisions
ECON1002	Macroeconomics in the Global Economy

English

Only two of these courses will count towards this Teaching Area

ENGL1000	Reading English Literature
ENGL1101	Classics of World Literature
ENGL1201	Creative Writing: Introduction
ENGL1650	Stories in Context: Fiction, Drama, Film

Geography

Only two of these courses will count towards this Teaching Area

ENVS1001	Environmental Science Concepts and Methods
ENVS1003	Environmental Values and Ethics
GEOG1020	Introduction to Human Geography

Health and Physical Education

EDUC1014	PE Studies 1: Motor Development and Skill Acquisition
EDUC1016	PE Studies 2: Court and Striking Games
EDUC1058	Lifetime Physical Activities

Mathematics

MATH1002*	Foundational Studies in Mathematics
STAT1070	Statistics for the Sciences

Modern History

Only two of these courses will count towards this Teaching Area

AHIS1000	Ancient Greece
AHIS1020	Rome to Julius Caesar
HIST1001	Europe and the World
HIST1051	The Australian Experience
HIST1052	Origin of Controversies

Questions?

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