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These qualifications are:

Bachelors of Education Honours (BEd Hons)

NQF level: 8

Masters in Education (MEd)

NQF level: 9

Doctor of Philosophy in Education (PhD)

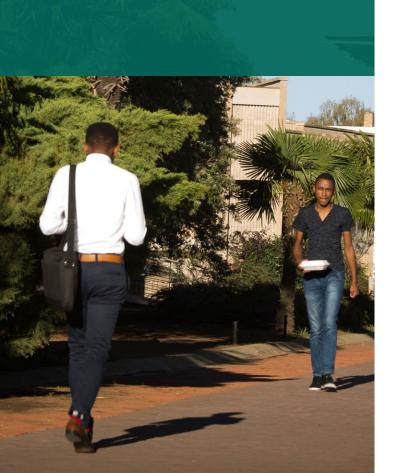
NQF level: 10

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Postgraduate Prospectus 2025

Bachelor of Education Honours (BEd Hons)



BEd Hons

Fields of specialisation

- Education Management and Governance**
- Curriculum Studies**
- Psychology of Education**
 - Admission to the Psychology of Education
 programme requires Psychology up to second-year level
- Early Childhood Development and Learning*
 - Admission to this programme requires Foundation Phase Teaching qualification
- Offered on BFN Campus
 ** Offered on BFN and Qwaqwa Campuses

Admission requirements:

To be admitted to this degree, a student must have:

- a relevant qualification on NQF level 7
- a minimum of 60% average in a
 preceding degree or 65% in an advanced
 diploma

All candidates go through a selection process.

 This qualification will only be offered if, in the discretion of the Faculty, a sufficient number of enrolments can be secured.

BEd Hons

Duration:

- One year full-time
- Two years part-time
- HOWEVER, the full-time programme will run at the discretion of the Faculty depending on the number of applications.

Class time:

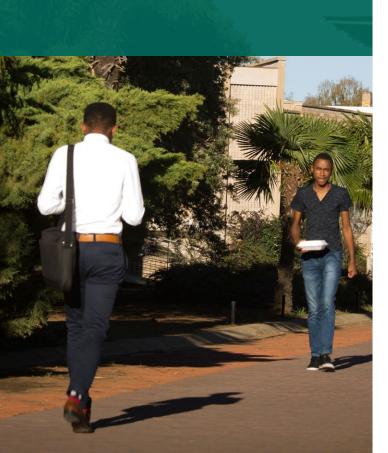
- Every Friday for full-time studies
- Every second Friday for part-time studies
- Please note that the research project is separate from the rest of the timetable
- The BEd hons classes will be face-face for the foreseeable future, as we do not offer any distance learning BEd hons programmes.

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Masters in Education (MEd)

Doctor of Philosophy in Education (PhD)



MEd/MA

Fields of specialisation

- Community Psychology of Education
- **Comparative Education and International Studies**
- Curriculum Studies
- Early Childhood Development and Learning
- Education Law
- Education Management and Leadership
- Philosophy of Education •
- Policy Studies in Education
- Psychology of Education •
- Subject Education in Languages
- Subject Education in Mathematics
- Subject Education in Natural Sciences
- Subject Education in Science and Technology
- Subject Education in Social Sciences
- Higher Education Studies

Admission requirements

To be admitted to this degree, a student must have:

- a relevant qualification on NQF level 8
- a minimum of 60% average in preceding degree

All candidates go through a selection process.

Duration of study

Minimum study period: 1 year

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PhD

Fields of specialisation

- Community Psychology of Education
- Comparative Education and International Studies
- Curriculum Studies
- Early Childhood Development and Learning
- Education Law
- **Education Management and Leadership**
- Philosophy of Education
- Policy Studies in Education
- Psychology of Education
- Subject Education in Languages
- Subject Education in Mathematics
- Subject Education in Natural Sciences
- Subject Education in Science and Technology
- Subject Education in Social Sciences
- Higher Education Studies

Admission requirements

To be admitted to this degree, a student must have:

- a relevant gualification on NQF level 9
- a minimum of 65% average in preceding degree

All candidates go through a selection process.

Duration of study

Minimum study period: 2 years

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