

SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

Bachelor of Education (Teaching Islamic Studies in Primary School) (Hons) (N/141/6/0018) 11/17

The AeU Bachelor of Education (Teaching Islamic Studies in Primary School) with Honours is a one-of-a-kind programme in education that allows professional working adults and in-service teachers to attain on-the-job training while working towards a degree. The aim of this programme is to strengthen and enrich knowledge in Islamic Studies at a primary school level. The use of technology through online learning and blended learning as the main medium in the teaching and learning process of this programme will help stimulate the teachers intellect and increase their professionalism in school.



Programme Objectives

- Meet the learning needs of a rapidly-developing country both spiritually and holistically.
- Adapt and be receptive to educational and pedagogical developments of the world and apply them to the local context.
- Utilise the innovative methods, strategies, and techniques learnt in this programme by applying them in the classroom.
- Provide a dimension of critical-thinking and creative learning in the everyday acquisition of knowledge, both within and without the classroom.

Entry Requirements

NORMAL ENTRY

For Malaysian Students:

- STPM or its equivalent with at least C Grade in 2 subjects; OR
- Matriculation/Foundation with at least CGPA 2.00; OR
- International Baccalaureate (IB) with at least 24 points; OR
- 'A' Level with at least C grade in 3 subjects; OR
- Diploma with at least CGPA 2.00; OR
- SPM or its equivalent with 3 years related working experience in the relevant fields

For International Students:

- English Language Proficiency equivalent to IELTS of 5.5 or TOEFL score of 550 or passed the AeU Placement Test or other equivalent approved by the Senate of AeU. Those who have their tertiary education in English shall normally be exempted from the requirement.

ALTERNATIVE ENTRY

Accreditation of Prior Experiential Learning (APEL) Entry Requirements:

- 21 years of age as of 1st January in the year of application
- Other equivalent qualifications recognised by the Senate of AeU; and
- Possess relevant work experience
- Passed an aptitude test and APEL assessment.

Core Courses

1. Educational Psychology
2. Philosophy of Islamic Studies
3. Co-curricular Activities
4. Developing the Curriculum
5. Enhancing Teacher Professionalism
6. Children with Special Needs
7. Instructional Technology and Learning Resources
8. Evaluation and Testing in the Classroom
9. Pedagogical Models and Strategies
10. Schools and Society
11. Child Growth and Development
12. Counselling in Education
13. Action Research
14. Learning Disabilities in Children

Major Courses

1. Aqidah
2. Fundamentals of Fiqh
3. Usul Fiqh
4. Sirah
5. Akhlak
6. Al-Hadith
7. Tafsir Al-Quran
8. Jawi
9. Basic Arabic
10. Primary School Curriculum for Islamic Studies
11. Teaching Methodology for Islamic Studies
12. Teaching the Al-Quran

Elective Courses

1. Communication Skills
2. Technology in Early Childhood
3. Hafazan Al-Quran
4. Socio-Emotional Development of Children
5. Children's Health, Nutrition and Safety

University Courses

1. Information Literacy and Research Skills
2. Entrepreneurship & Ethics in Malaysia
3. Asian Studies

General Studies

Applicable to Malaysian Students only

1. Islamic and Asian Civilisations
2. Ethic Relations
3. Academic Writing
4. Comparative Ethics
5. Social Responsibility Project

Applicable to International Students only

1. Malay Language (Bahasa Melayu) and Communication
2. Malaysian Studies
3. Academic Writing
4. Comparative Ethics
5. Social Responsibility Project

Project

1. Practicum

English Language Requirements For International Students

- Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) overall score of 550; OR
- International English Language Testing System (IELTS) score of 5.5; OR
- The AeU Certificate of Intensive English; OR
- Any other equivalent proficiency test as approved by the Senate of the University

PROGRAMME FACTS

Part-Time	✓	Blended Learning (Online and tutorial)	✓
Fully online	✓		
Duration	4 years, 4 months		
Number of Semesters	13 (one semester is four months long)		
Frequency of Tutorials	Once a month (on weekends)		
Assessment	Coursework	60%	
	Final Exam	40%	

FINANCIAL INCENTIVES AND AIDS*

- For Malaysian and International students:**
- Merit Scholarship available for top-performing students
 - 10% discount on tuition fee available through student loyalty scheme
- For Malaysian students only:**
- 10% discount on tuition fee for full payment of semester fees
 - 50% discount on tuition fee for senior citizens who are 55 years of age & above
 - 75% discount on tuition fee for the disabled
 - EPF withdrawal assistance
 - PTPTN loan assistance
 - RM7,000 personal income tax relief
- *Terms and conditions apply*

