

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION & COGNITIVE SCIENCE

Master of Education (MEd)

MEd programme is aimed at individuals who are interested in enhancing their professional competency in specialised areas of education.



Learning Objectives

- Able to analyse current trends and issues in education.
- Able to promote the effective use of technology in a learner-centred environment.
- Able to engage in critical and reflective analysis leading to the integration and application of a variety of research-based methods and processes in the classrooms.
- Able to conduct and report research that contribute to the solution and development of a positive intellectual climate in various educational settings.
- Able to assume instructional and curriculum leadership roles in their respective educational institutions.
- Able to adopt multiple approaches in assessing and evaluating diverse student learning.

Entry Requirements

- Bachelor's Degree in Education recognised by AeU Senate, OR
- Possess a degree and teaching experience or related experience for a period of 2 years, OR
- Open entry qualifications recognised by the Ministry of Higher Education, Malaysia:
 - Be at least 35 years old
 - Possess STPM/diploma or its equivalent
 - Provide evidence of prior learning experience and/or knowledge relevant to the programme, OR
- Other qualifications recognised by AeU Senate.

SUBJECTS

Core

1. Research Methods in Education
2. Statistics in Education
3. Qualitative Research Methods in Education
4. Philosophical Ideas in Education
5. Sociology of Education
6. Learning and Cognition
7. Educational Assessment
8. Curriculum Design and Development
9. Models of Instruction
10. Fundamentals of Instructional Technology

Specialisations (Choose 1)

A) TEACHING ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

1. Teaching Literature in English as a Second Method
2. Issues and Methods in Teaching English as a Second Language
3. Research in Teaching English as a Second Method
4. Project Paper in Teaching English as Second Method

B) NURSING EDUCATION

1. Issues and Trends in Nursing Education
2. Clinical Teaching in Nursing
3. Research in Nursing Education
4. Project Paper in Nursing Education

C) EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

1. Introduction to Early Childhood Education
2. Curriculum & Instruction in the Early Years
3. Research in Early Childhood Education
4. Project Paper in Early Childhood Education

D) EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

1. Brain, Cognition and Education
2. Lifespan Development
3. Research in Educational Psychology
4. Project Paper in Educational Psychology

E) INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY

1. Web-Based Learning
2. Principles of Instructional Design
3. Research in Instructional Technology
4. Project Paper in Instructional Technology

F) EDUCATIONAL MANAGEMENT

1. Concepts and Theories in Educational Management
2. Emerging Perspectives in Educational Leadership
3. Research in Educational Management
4. Project Paper in Educational Management

G) SCIENCE EDUCATION

1. Trends in the Teaching and Learning of Science
2. Science, Technology and Society
3. Research in Science Education
4. Project Paper in Science Education

H) EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENT & EVALUATION

1. Testing and Measurement
2. Programme Evaluation in Education
3. Research in Educational Assessment
4. Project Paper in Educational Assessment

I) CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

1. School Curriculum
2. Curriculum of the Future
3. Research in Curriculum & Instruction
4. Project Paper in Curriculum & Instruction

J) HIGHER EDUCATION TEACHING

1. Academic Leadership & Research Supervision
2. Counselling in Higher Education
3. Research in Higher Education Teaching
4. Project Paper in Higher Education Teaching

PROGRAMME FACTS

Full Time		Part Time	✓
Fully Online	✓	Blended Learning	✓
Duration	5 semesters (20 months)		
No of Subjects	13 + 1 Project Paper		
Frequency of Tutorials (Optional)	Once a month - Saturday & Sunday with 1 tutorial per subject (3 hrs 20 min each)		
Assessment	Coursework	60%	
	Final Exam	40%	
MQA Accreditation	KPT/JPS (KN 9151) 8/13, A 9151		
EPF & HRDF Claimable (For Malaysians)	YES		

All learning materials are provided, no need to purchase textbooks.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. When are the intakes?

- January, May and September.

2. How do you apply?

- Go to our website: www.aeu.edu.my
- Click on “Apply Online”
- Submit the form

3. How many subjects per semester?

- Upon enrolment, you are given 3 subjects per semester. Should you be too busy, you can opt for 1 or 2 subjects per semester. However, very good performance entitles one to apply for more subjects in the coming semester - just be prepared for extra work!

4. Is there any financial assistance?*

- If you pay the full semester fee before Week 3 of that semester, you are entitled for a 10% discount
- If you perform very well in one semester, you may be eligible for the AeU Merit Scholarship which entitles you to a waiver of the tuition fee for the next semester

5. Where is the venue of the tutorials?

- Any centres located throughout Malaysia.

* Terms and conditions apply