

# **Graduate Diploma in Education**

#### 1 Definitions

In these rules—

GDipEd list means the course list for the program.

*practicum course* means a course whose course code includes 'EDUC' that contains a practical component where students gain supervised teaching experience in a workplace setting.

*pre-2013* student means a student who enrolled in the program before 1 January 2013. *pre-2018 student* means a student who enrolled in the program before 1 January 2018. *program* means the Graduate Diploma in Education.

## 2 Enrolment requirements

To enrol in the program, a person must hold an approved degree.

## 3 Field of Study

A student must undertake the program in a field approved by the executive dean.

## 4 Program requirements

- (1) To complete the program in the secondary field of study, a student must complete 16 units from the GDipEd course list comprising—
  - (a) 8 units from part A; and
  - (b) at least 2 units, but not more than 4 units, from part C; and
  - (c) at least 2 units, but not more than 4 units, from part D; and
  - (d) the remainder from courses in part B.
- (2) A student must complete educational media and aids courses set by the head of school.
- (3) A student who commences, but does not gain credit for, a practicum course in a semester may re-enrol in the course in a subsequent semester only if the associate dean (academic) gives the student approval to do so.

### 5 Special rules

### 5.1 Mode of study

Unless approved by the executive dean, a student must—

- (a) undertake the program without interruption;
- (b) enrol in the program full-time;
- (c) not undertake concurrent study in a program or course outside the GDipEd course list.

#### 5.2 Blue card

At the start of the program, a student must obtain a blue card and thereafter hold a current blue card for the duration of the program.

#### **5.3** LANTITE test

Prior to graduation, a student must successfully complete the Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education Students (LANTITE) as set by the Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership (AITSL).

### 5.4 Award of the Graduate Diploma in Learning Studies

- (1) A student who meets all program requirements under rule 4 but does not meet the LANTITE test requirement under rule 5.3 may be awarded the Graduate Diploma in Learning Studies.
- (2) The Graduate Diploma in Learning Studies is not approved for teacher registration in Australia.

### 6 Transitional rule

- (1) A pre-2013 student must complete the program under the rules in force on 31 December 2012.
- (2) A pre-2017 student must complete the program under the rules in force on 31 December 2016.
- (3) A pre-2018 student must comply with the requirements of rules 5.3 and 5.4.