

# **Bachelor of Education (Middle Years of Schooling)**

#### 1. Definitions:

In these rules—

**BEd** (MidYsSch) list means the course list for the program.

*core course* means the courses mentioned in the BEd (MidYsSch) list under the heading 'Core'.

*curriculum areas* means the areas of English, mathematics, history, geography, science, technology, the arts (drama, media, music), and health and physical education, languages other than English.

*honours student* means a student who enrols, under rule 4.1, to complete the program with honours.

*minor* means a combination of 8 units in courses listed in the BEd (MidYsSch) list that is approved by the executive dean.

*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.

program means the Bachelor of Education (Middle Years of Schooling) program.

## 2 Program requirements

To complete the program, a student must complete 64 units from the BEd(MidYsSch) course list including –

- (a) all core courses; and
- (b) either
  - (i) a minor; or
  - (ii) 8 units of elective courses of which 4 units must be approved by the executive dean as directly related to one of the curriculum areas.

### 3. Special rules:

- 3.1 **No concurrent study:** Unless approved by the executive dean, a student must not undertake any other program outside the BEd(MidYsSch).
- 3.2 **Blue card:** At the start of semester 2 year 1 of the program, the student must obtain a blue card and thereafter hold a current blue card for the duration of the program.
- 3.3 **Continuous enrolment:** Unless approved by the executive dean, a student must undertake the program without interruption.
- 3.4 **Progression through the program:** A student must not enrol for a subsequent year of the program before gaining credit for all courses in the preceding year, unless permitted by the executive dean.
- 3.5 **Practicum:** A student who commences, but does not successfully complete, a practicum course may re-enrol in that course in a following semester only if approved by the executive dean.

- 3.6 **Mode of study:** A student must enrol in the program full-time, except
  - (a) where required to complete specific courses in accordance with rule 3.4; or
  - (b) in special circumstances approved by the executive dean.
- 3.7 **Complete final semester full-time:** A student must complete the final semester (8 units) as a full-time student.

### 4. Honours:

- 4.1 Enrolment: A student who is enrolled in the program may enrol to complete the program with honours only if the student—
  - (a) gains a GPA of 5.7 in 12 units undertaken for the program that are approved by the executive dean for the purpose of undertaking honours; and
  - (b) satisfies the executive dean and the head of school that the student is qualified to undertake honours.
- 4.2 Honours requirements: To complete the program with honours, an honours student must gain credit for the work set by the executive dean and the head of school.
- 4.3 Award of pass degree: If an honours student satisfies the requirements set out in rules 2 and 3, but does not satisfy the requirements set out in rule 4.2, the student remains eligible for the award of the Bachelor of Education (Middle Years of Schooling) degree.'.