PROGRAM RULES

Bachelor of Education (Primary) (Honours)

1 Definitions
In these rules—

*minor* means a combination of 6 units in courses listed in the BEd (Primary)(Honours) list;

*part A; part B; part C* means the relevant part of the BEd(Primary)(Honours) course list;

*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-2018 student* means a student who enrolled in the program before 1 January 2018.

2 Enrolment requirements
To enrol in the program, a student must—

(a) have completed 48 units from parts A and B of the BEd(Primary) course list; and

(b) have a GPA of 5.5 across the courses that can be credited towards the BEd(Primary)(Hons); and

(c) satisfy the executive dean that, based on the student’s academic record, the student is qualified to undertake the honours program.

3 Program requirements
To complete the program, a student must complete 64 units from the BEd(Primary)(Hons) course list, comprising—

(a) 56 units from part A; and

(b) 6 units from Part B for a minor; and

(c) 2 units from part B or part C.

4 Class of honours
The class of honours is calculated on the basis of the grade point average of the results obtained by a student in the first attempt across 20 units of graded core courses from year 3 semester 2, year 4 semester 1, and year 4 semester 2 of the BEd(Primary)(Hons) course list.

5 Special rules
5.1 Award of the Bachelor of Education (Primary)
A student who withdraws from the program having completed the requirements for the bachelor pass degree may be awarded a Bachelor of Education (Primary).

5.2 Concurrent study
Unless approved by the executive dean, a student must not undertake any other program outside the BEd(Primary)(Hons).

5.3 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.

5.4 Credit cancellation period
The credit cancellation period for the Bachelor of Education (Primary) (Honours) program is 7 years.
5.5 Complete final semester full-time
(1) Unless approved by the executive dean, a student must complete the final semester (8 units) as a full-time student.
(2) Unless approved by the executive dean, EDUC4706 and EDUC4750 must be undertaken concurrently.

5.6 Progression through program
(1) A student who fails to pass a practicum course will be required to show cause to the associate dean (academic) why enrolment should not be cancelled.
(2) A student who is required to show cause under rule 5.6(1) must do so no later than 20 business days after being required to show cause.
(3) A student who is required to show cause may be required to attend a meeting with the head of school of education.
(4) Show cause applications will be determined in accordance with criteria set by the associate dean (academic).
(5) A student who has been required to show cause may have conditions set on their re-enrolment by the associate dean (academic).
(6) A student will not be permitted to remain enrolled in the program if—
   (a) the student fails to show cause by the due date; or
   (b) the student’s show cause application is refused; or
   (c) the student fails to meet the conditions set on their enrolment by the associate dean (academic).
(7) Withdrawal without academic penalty does not count as failure to pass a course.
(8) A student who is not permitted to remain enrolled in the program under rule 5.6(6)—
   (a) may apply for readmission into the program no less than 12 months after their enrolment has been cancelled. The executive dean may set conditions on re-enrolment.

5.7 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).

5.8 Award of the Bachelor of Learning Studies (Primary) (Honours)
(1) A student who meets all program requirements under rule 3 but does not meet the LANTITE test requirement under rule 5.7 may be awarded the Bachelor of Learning Studies (Primary) (Honours).
(2) The Bachelor of Learning Studies (Primary) (Honours) is not approved for teacher registration in Australia.

5.9 Transitional
A pre-2018 student must comply with the requirements of rules 5.7 and 5.8.