

Faculty of Education

Lefapha la Thuto

Bachelor of Education in Intermediate Phase Teaching



Make today matter

The Bachelor of Education in Intermediate Phase Teaching programme consists of fundamental, core and elective modules that prepare students to teach effectively in multilingual and multicultural classrooms.

Who are the ideal candidates?



Individuals with a passion for learners and learning should apply for this degree programme. Successful candidates should be dedicated and hardworking, and passionate about teaching and learning.

Career opportunities



Teachers and training officials at primary schools.

Structure of programme



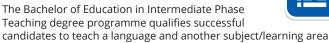
Core modules

- Education
- Learning support
- Professional studies
- Research methodology
- Teaching practice
- Conversational competence in an African language

Elective modules

- One language elective up to second-year level:
- One of four African languages/English/Afrikaans
- Mathematics (an achievement level of at least 4 in the final NSC/IEB examination is required)
- Geography/History
- Art education
- Natural sciences and design and technology
- Life orientation and human movement studies

What makes this programme unique?





Minimum admission requirements

	Minimum requirements for NSC/IEB for 2025						
	Achievement level						
Programme	English Home Language or English First Additional Language	APS					
Bachelor of Education in Intermediate Phase Teaching [Grades 4 to 6] [4 years]	4						
Careers: Teachers and training officials at primary schools							

Contact information



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Minimum requirements for applicants with a school leaving certificate not issued by Umalusi (South Africa)





Refer to the International undergraduate prospectus at www.up.ac.za/programmes > Undergraduate > Admission Information or click here for more information.

- The closing date for applications for programmes in this faculty is 30 June.
- Meeting the minimum admission requirements does not guarantee admission into a programme.

	Minimum requirements for 2025									
	Achievement level									
FACULTY OF EDUCATION Programmes	Compulsory subjects	GCSE # The qualifications in the two columns below will be considered only for conditional admission. If final AS and/or A levels have been completed, these two columns will not apply. It can also not be used for final admission and/or registration. CIE UK IGCSE England LGCSE Wales BGCSE Northern	HIGCSE NSSC HL	GCE CIE NSSC AS	GCE CIE CGCE UACE WAEC	IB SL	B IB HL	KOMBI ABITUR	KCSE	
		O Level NSSC OL CGCE UCE NECO WAEC ZIMSEC	Ireland			ZIMSEC				
Bachelor of Education in Foundation Phase Teaching [Grade R to Grade 3] Bachelor of Education in Intermediate Phase Teaching [Grades 4 to 6] Bachelor of Education in Senior Phase and Further Education and Training (FET) Teaching [Grades 7 to 12]—General	English	D	3	3	D	E	2	2	50-59%	C+
Bachelor of Education in Senior Phase and Further Education and Training (FET) Teaching [Grades 7 to 12]—Physical Sciences or Life Sciences option	English Mathematics Physics Chemistry or Biology*	D C C	3 4 4 4	3 3 3	D C C	E E E	2 4 4 4	2 3 3 3	50-59% 60-69% 60-69% 60-69%	C+ B B
Higher Certificate in Sports Sciences	English	D	3	3	D	E	2	2	50-59%	C+
Higher Certificate in Sports Sciences [part-time online]	English	D	3	3	D	E	2	2	50-59%	C+

[#] Only English with at least a C symbol on this level can be considered for final admission. * Offer both PHYSICS and CHEMISTRY or BIOLOGY and another subject on A Level or AS Level