

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

Education 122 (OPV 122)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Education
Module credits	12.00
NQF Level	05
Programmes	BEd Foundation Phase Teaching
	BEd Intermediate Phase Teaching
	BEd Senior Phase and Further Education and Training Teaching
	BA
	BA extended programme
	BA Languages
Service modules	Faculty of Humanities
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	3 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Department	Educational Psychology
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

This module focuses on child development and learning. In addition to the underlying principles of developmental psychology and theories of development, child development is discussed in terms of physical growth and motor development; development of perception, cognition and language; emotional development; social development and moral development. Developmental psychopathology is also introduced. In terms of child learning, the principles of learning, theories of learning and barriers to learning are discussed. In addition, school learning is explained in terms of learning, reading and study skills.

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