

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2022

Orientation and mobility for learners with visual impairment 333 (VIS 333)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Education
Module credits	18.00
NQF Level	07
Programmes	AdvDipl (Visual Impairment Studies) (Distance Education)
Prerequisites	No prequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Educational Psychology
Period of presentation	Semester 1 and/or 2

Module content

This module will provide students (teachers) with a basic understanding of the field of orientation and mobility. The module will introduce students to the invaluable role of orientation and mobility skills in the life of a learner with visual impairment as well as the function of different role-players in this context. The focus of the module is on key concepts and skills in the field of orientation and mobility that are needed for safe travelling and independence. Students will be equipped to reinforce and infuse these concepts and skills in their teaching practice.

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