

# *why study* **EDUCATION** *at acu?*



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"I decided to return to study because it has always been my dream to become a teacher. I was nervous about going to uni... I really didn't know what to expect. I enrolled as a mature age student, and even though it was difficult at first, I have now settled in, made new friends and adjusted to the workload. I am now the Treasurer of the Student Association, which I really enjoy!"

## ACU|education

### INTERNATIONAL REACH:

Our courses align with national and international standards in teacher education so you can work around the world. Our global partnerships provide opportunities to undertake part of your degree, including professional experience, in an international setting.

### CHOICE:

We provide a range of specialised course options in early childhood education, primary and secondary teaching, Indigenous education and religious education. We prepare you to teach in Catholic and other faith-based schools, and in government and independent schools.

### CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE:

As a contemporary Catholic university, we proudly value diversity and welcome people from different cultures and religions. We provide distinctive teacher education with an emphasis on community engagement and service to others.

### DEDICATION TO QUALITY:

We encourage our students to engage in real situations which stimulate intellectual engagement to form the basis of excellence in education. Key areas include literacy and numeracy, information and communication technology, disability studies and inclusive schooling.

### WE CARE:

We care about the disadvantaged and the environment. Our commitment to social justice and environmental sustainability help you to explore your potential – professionally and personally – to become the best educator you can be and to make a positive difference.

## EDUCATION

Course	Duration	Campus	Eligibility	Delivery
Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood and Primary)	4 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Ballarat, Brisbane, Canberra, Melbourne, Strathfield	<p><b>Australian Capital Territory</b> Recommended studies: A minimum of major in English (T) and mathematics applications or equivalent. A minor in a science 'T' course is desirable.</p> <p><b>New South Wales</b> Assumed knowledge: any two units of English (Band 4) and any two units of mathematics Band 4.</p> <p><b>Queensland</b> Prerequisites: English (4, SA).</p> <p><b>Victoria</b> Prerequisites: Units 1 and 2 – two units (any study combination) of general mathematics or mathematical methods or Units 3 and 4 – mathematics (any). Units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 30 in English (ESL) or 25 in any other English.</p>	On campus
Bachelor of Education (Primary)	4 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Ballarat, Brisbane, Canberra, Melbourne, Strathfield	<p><b>Australian Capital Territory</b> Recommended studies: A minimum of major in English (T) and mathematics applications or equivalent. A minor in a science 'T' course is desirable.</p> <p><b>New South Wales</b> Assumed knowledge: Any two units of English (Band 4) and any two units of mathematics Band 4.</p> <p><b>Queensland</b> Prerequisites: English (4, SA).</p> <p><b>Victoria</b> Prerequisites: Units 1 and 2 – two units (any study combination) of general mathematics or mathematical methods or Units 3 and 4 – mathematics (any). Units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 30 in English (ESL) or 25 in any other English.</p>	On campus
Bachelor of Education (Primary) (Fourth Year Upgrade)	1 yr to 1.5 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Online, Strathfield	Applicant must have completed a pre-service course of teacher education of at least two years duration and have demonstrated teaching experience.	On campus, Online
Bachelor of Education (Primary) (Indigenous Studies)	4 yr program, normally offered over 5 yrs FT, max 9 yrs	Brisbane, Strathfield	Indigenous Australian applicant must have successfully completed the Associate Degree in Indigenous Education, which covers the first two years of the course.	Multi mode
Bachelor of Education (Secondary) (Fourth Year Upgrade)	1 yr to 1.5 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Nationally (online), Strathfield	Applicant must have completed a pre-service course of teacher education of at least two years duration and have demonstrated teaching experience.	Multi mode, Online
Bachelor of Inclusive Education and Disability Studies	3 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Strathfield	<p>Assumed knowledge: Completion of HSC.</p> <p>Additional selection criteria: Applicants with experience working in community-based organisations which provide a service to people with a disability are also encouraged to apply.</p>	On campus
Bachelor of Teaching (Early Childhood)	3 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Canberra, Strathfield	<p><b>New South Wales</b> Assumed knowledge: Two units of English Band 4 and two units of Mathematics Band 4.</p>	On campus



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Associate Degree in Early Childhood Education	2 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Canberra	<p>Completion of Year 12 or appropriate VET Certificate III or IV.</p> <p><b>New South Wales</b> Assumed knowledge: Two units of English Band 4 and two units of Mathematics Band 4.</p> <p><b>Australian Capital Territory</b> Recommended studies: English advanced and at least a major in Mathematical applications with grades of C or higher.</p>	On campus
Associate Degree in Inclusive Education and Disability Studies	2 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Strathfield	<p>Higher School Certificate; applicants with experience working in community-based organisations which provide a service to people with a disability are also encouraged to apply.</p>	On campus
Associate Degree in Indigenous Education	2 yr program, normally offered over 2.5 yrs FT	Brisbane, North Sydney	<p>Only available to Indigenous Australian applicants. Must have completed the following prerequisites: interview; a minimum of three years' work experience; or completion of Year 12 or equivalent; and demonstrated relevant tertiary study skills or successful completion of a Tertiary Communication Skills program.</p>	Multi mode

# Dual degrees

## EDUCATION: DUAL DEGREES

Course	Duration	Campus	Eligibility	Delivery
Bachelor of Teaching/Bachelor of Arts (Humanities)	4 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Brisbane, Melbourne, Strathfield	<p><b>New South Wales</b> Assumed knowledge: Completion of Year 12 – HSC.</p> <p><b>Queensland</b> Prerequisites: English (4, SA). Recommended study: Mathematics A.</p> <p><b>Victoria</b> Prerequisites: Units 1 and 2 – two units (any combination) from general mathematics or mathematical methods or Units 3 and 4 (any). A study score of at least 30 in English (ESL) or 25 in any other English. Students wishing to undertake mathematics as a second major require Units 3 and 4 – mathematical methods or specialist mathematics.</p>	On campus
Bachelor of Teaching/Bachelor of Arts (Indigenous Studies)	4 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Strathfield	A minimum of three years' work experience and satisfactory completion of any work related to certificate or diploma requiring the application of tertiary study skills.	Multi mode
Bachelor of Teaching/Bachelor of Arts (Mathematics)	4 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Melbourne, Strathfield	<p><b>New South Wales</b> Assumed knowledge: Completion of Year 12 – HSC. Recommended Studies: Mathematics (other than general mathematics) for studies in mathematics minor or mathematics specialisation.</p> <p><b>Victoria</b> Prerequisites: Units 3 and 4 – mathematical methods or specialist mathematics. A study score of at least 30 in English (ESL) or 25 in any other English.</p>	On campus
Bachelor of Teaching/Bachelor of Arts (Technology)	4 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Strathfield	<p><b>New South Wales</b> Assumed knowledge: Completion of Year 12 – HSC.</p>	On campus
Bachelor of Teaching/Bachelor of Arts (Visual Arts)	4 yrs FT or equivalent PT	Strathfield	<p><b>New South Wales</b> Assumed knowledge: Completion of Year 12 – HSC.</p>	On campus