

SECONDARY EDUCATION, MAJOR (0272)

Western Sydney University Major Code: 0272

Previous Code: M1133.1

Available to students in other Western Sydney University

Programs: Yes. Check that your program has the available credit points required to complete the subjects in this field of study. Any requisite requirements must also be met. Consult your Program Advisor for further advice.

Students in the Secondary Education Major will study subjects that deal with educational concepts such as sustainability, creativity, social justice and adolescent development. These subjects are broadly structured for students to investigate and critique contemporary education issues. Students will study the first four subjects of the Master of Teaching (Secondary). This major facilitates a transition into a Master of Teaching postgraduate qualification in Secondary Teaching.

Location

Campus	Mode	Advice
Bankstown City Campus	Internal	Jaydene Barnes (https://directory.westernsydney.edu.au/search/email/j.barnes@westernsydney.edu.au)
Parramatta Campus - Victoria Road	Internal	Jaydene Barnes (https://directory.westernsydney.edu.au/search/email/j.barnes@westernsydney.edu.au)
Penrith Campus	Internal	Jaydene Barnes (https://directory.westernsydney.edu.au/search/email/j.barnes@westernsydney.edu.au)

Major Structure

Students must successfully complete 80 credit points as per the recommended sequence below.

All subjects in this major are 10 credit points and are arranged in two pools:

- the Education Studies Learning in Context Pool Subjects (Levels 1, 2 and 3), and
- the (Level 7) Master of Teaching (Secondary) Subjects.

Students must complete 10 credit points at Level 1 and at least 30 credit points at Level 3 or higher.

Subject	Title	Credit Points
Education Studies Learning in Context Pool Subjects		
Students must complete at least four subjects: one subject at Level 1 and three subjects at Level 2 or 3 or higher (a minimum of 30 credit points at level 3 is required overall for this major).		
Level 1 subject		
Students must complete the following Level 1 subject		
HUMN 1013	Contextualising Indigenous Australia (Day Mode)	10

Level 2 subjects		
TEAC 2017	Education and Transformation	10
TEAC 2018	Education for Sustainability	10
TEAC 2037	Learning and Creativity	10
TEAC 2009	Contemporary Childhoods	10
TEAC 2065	Digital Childhoods	10
TEAC 2062	Teachers as Change Makers	10

Level 3 subjects		
TEAC 3009	Ethical Futures	10
TEAC 3006	Education in a Cosmopolitan Society	10
TEAC 3031	The Brain and Learning	10
TEAC 3051	Creativity and Cultural Wellbeing for Communities (from Spring 2023)	10

Master of Teaching (Secondary) Subjects
Students must have completed 160 credit points before enrolling in the following subjects

Level 7 subjects		
TEAC 7161	Educational Psychology for Learning and Teaching	10
TEAC 7032	Diversity, Social Justice and Schooling	10
TEAC 7160	Literacy and Numeracy for Secondary Teaching	10
TEAC 7108	Professional Practice Community Engagement	10

Equivalent Subjects

The subject listed below count towards completion of this program for students who passed these subjects in 2023 or earlier.

TEAC 7004 Adolescent Development and Teaching, replaced by TEAC 7161 (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2023-2024/search/?P=TEAC%207161>) Educational Psychology for Learning and Teaching

Replaced Subjects

The subjects listed below counts towards completion of this program for students who passed the subjects in 2023 or earlier.

TEAC 7027 Designing Teaching and Learning, replaced by TEAC 7160 (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2023-2024/search/?P=TEAC%207160>) Literacy and Numeracy for Secondary Teaching

Related Programs

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