

# ASSOCIATE DEGREE IN EDUCATION (PRIMARY) (EXIT ONLY) (1877)

Approved Abbreviation: AssocDegEd(Primary)  
Western Sydney University Program Code: 1877  
AQF Level: 6

CRICOS Code: 103729B

This program applies to students who commenced in 2021 or later.

The Associate Degree in Education (Primary) is an exit point on completion of 160 credit point of study selected from the Bachelor of Education (Primary) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2024-2025/programs/bachelor-education-primary/>) subjects as indicated in the program structure below.

## Study Mode

Two years full-time or four years part-time.

## Program Advice

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Prospective students should visit the following websites for general enquiries about this program.

Enquire about this program (<https://enquiry.westernsydney.edu.au/courseenquiry/>) | Local Admission (<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/>) | International Admission (<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/international/home/apply/admissions/>) |

## Location

| Campus                | Attendance | Mode     | Advice    |
|-----------------------|------------|----------|-----------|
| Bankstown City Campus | Full Time  | Internal | See above |
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## Work Integrated Learning

Western Sydney University seeks to enhance student learning experiences by enabling students to engage in the culture, expectations and practices of their profession or discipline. This program includes a placement or other community-based unpaid practical experience.

There is a mandatory work component required for completion of this program. Please contact the Program Advisor listed above for information.

International students should also refer to the link below for more information and a link to the Commonwealth Register of Institutions and Courses for Overseas Students (CRICOS).

Work Integrated Learning (WIL) for international students ([https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/currentstudents/current\\_students/services\\_and\\_facilities/international\\_student\\_support/working\\_in\\_australia/work\\_integrated\\_learning/](https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/currentstudents/current_students/services_and_facilities/international_student_support/working_in_australia/work_integrated_learning/))

## Admission

This is an exit point only from Program Bachelor of Education (Primary) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2024-2025/programs/bachelor-education-primary/>).

## Recommended Sequence Current

This sequence applies to students who commenced in 2025 or later. If you commenced prior to 2025, please refer to the relevant Sequence tab for details.

Qualification for this award requires the successful completion of 160 credit points including the subjects listed below.

| Course                     | Title                                                                  | Credit Points |
|----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| <b>Year 1</b>              |                                                                        |               |
| <b>Autumn session</b>      |                                                                        |               |
| TEAC 1031                  | Sociology for Educators                                                | 10            |
| TEAC 1038                  | Literacy and Numeracy for Educators                                    | 10            |
| TEAC 2054                  | Scientific Discovery and Invention                                     | 10            |
| TEAC 1037                  | Exploring Patterns and Relationships in Mathematics                    | 10            |
| <b>Credit Points</b>       |                                                                        | <b>40</b>     |
| <b>Spring session</b>      |                                                                        |               |
| TEAC 1039                  | Scientist, Artist, Teacher                                             | 10            |
| TEAC 1011                  | Educational Psychology                                                 | 10            |
| TEAC 2024                  | Engaging with Children, Families, Colleagues and Communities           | 10            |
| TEAC 2046                  | Pedagogy and Praxis in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education | 10            |
| <b>Credit Points</b>       |                                                                        | <b>40</b>     |
| <b>Year 2</b>              |                                                                        |               |
| <b>Autumn session</b>      |                                                                        |               |
| TEAC 3016                  | Language and Literacy in the Early Years                               | 10            |
| TEAC 2043                  | Numeracy and Mathematics in the Early Years                            | 10            |
| TEAC 2004                  | Being a Teacher                                                        | 10            |
| TEAC 2062                  | Teachers as Change Makers                                              | 10            |
| <b>Credit Points</b>       |                                                                        | <b>40</b>     |
| <b>Spring session</b>      |                                                                        |               |
| TEAC 2063                  | History, Geography, Civics and Citizenship in the Primary Years        | 10            |
| TEAC 2053                  | Science and Technology in the Primary Years                            | 10            |
| TEAC 3004                  | Creative Arts in the Primary Years                                     | 10            |
| TEAC 2048                  | Professional Experience 1: Working in Classrooms                       | 10            |
| <b>Credit Points</b>       |                                                                        | <b>40</b>     |
| <b>Total Credit Points</b> |                                                                        | <b>160</b>    |

## Recommended Sequence 2021 - 2024

This sequence applies to students who commenced in 2021 - 2024. If you commenced in 2025 or later, please refer to the relevant Sequence tab for details.

Qualification for this award requires the successful completion of 160 credit points including the subjects listed below.

| Course                | Title                               | Credit Points |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| <b>Year 1</b>         |                                     |               |
| <b>Autumn session</b> |                                     |               |
| TEAC 1031             | Sociology for Educators             | 10            |
| TEAC 1038             | Literacy and Numeracy for Educators | 10            |
| TEAC 2054             | Scientific Discovery and Invention  | 10            |

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|----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| TEAC 1037                  | Exploring Patterns and Relationships in Mathematics                    | 10         |
| <b>Credit Points</b>       |                                                                        | <b>40</b>  |
| <b>Spring session</b>      |                                                                        |            |
| TEAC 1039                  | Scientist, Artist, Teacher                                             | 10         |
| TEAC 1011                  | Educational Psychology                                                 | 10         |
| TEAC 2062                  | Teachers as Change Makers                                              | 10         |
| Select one elective        |                                                                        | 10         |
| <b>Credit Points</b>       |                                                                        | <b>40</b>  |
| <b>Year 2</b>              |                                                                        |            |
| <b>Autumn session</b>      |                                                                        |            |
| TEAC 3016                  | Language and Literacy in the Early Years                               | 10         |
| TEAC 2043                  | Numeracy and Mathematics in the Early Years                            | 10         |
| TEAC 2004                  | Being a Teacher                                                        | 10         |
| TEAC 2048                  | Professional Experience 1: Working in Classrooms                       | 10         |
| <b>Credit Points</b>       |                                                                        | <b>40</b>  |
| <b>Spring session</b>      |                                                                        |            |
| TEAC 2063                  | History, Geography, Civics and Citizenship in the Primary Years        | 10         |
| TEAC 2024                  | Engaging with Children, Families, Colleagues and Communities           | 10         |
| TEAC 2046                  | Pedagogy and Praxis in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education | 10         |
| TEAC 2053                  | Science and Technology in the Primary Years                            | 10         |
| <b>Credit Points</b>       |                                                                        | <b>40</b>  |
| <b>Total Credit Points</b> |                                                                        | <b>160</b> |