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D30018 Handbook entry: refer to the Handbook for 2027 course and unit information (previous versions of course and unit information can be accessed by using the 'year switcher' button).

Themes	Core studies	Education studies	Integrated curriculum and discipline studies	Professional experience

Year	Sem	Units					
1	1	**EDF1058** Learn to learn, learn to teach AND **EDF1002** Preparing for the profession (0 cp)	**EDF1065** Foundational numeracy for learning	**EDF1063** Creative connections 1: Visual arts	**EDF1067** Introduction to early childhood		DCL0001 ITE: National literacy test DCL0002 ITE: National numeracy test (see LANTITE for details)
	2	**EDF1059** Fostering classroom culture	**EDF1084** English and literacies 1	**EDF1064** Creative connections 2: Music and performing arts	**EDF1068** Contemporary approaches to learning for young children: Theories and practices		**EDF1081** Early childhood professional experience 1A 10 days (0 cp)
2	1	**EDF2088*** Planning and assessing for teaching and learning	**EDF2049** English and literacies 2	**EDF2067** Health and physical education	**EDF2058** Play-based learning theories and pedagogy	**EDF2059** Childhoods in a changing world	**EDF2080** Primary professional experience 2A 10 days (0 cp)
	2	**EDF2099*** Inclusive education: Teaching learners with diverse abilities	**EDF2066** Mathematics 1	**EDF2068** Foundation science	**EDF2061** Creative arts across the curriculum	**EDF2070** Humanities and social sciences	

*For **overload** options, refer to point 2 of the course requirements on the last page.

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3	1	**EDF3065** Reconciliation, respect and recognition: Indigenous Australian education	**EDF3079** English and literacies 3	**EDF3069** Planning and teaching science	**EDF3074** Contemporary approaches to learning for infants and toddlers: Theories and practices		**EDF3080** Primary professional experience 3A 10 days AND **EDF3085** Early childhood professional experience 3A 15 days (0 cp)
	2	**EDF3064** Transition to the profession	**EDF3099** English and literacies 4	**EDF3063** Educational leadership: Policy and practice	**ELECTIVE** MIG, RED, Volunteering or approved unit at year level 2 or 3		**EDF3086** Primary professional experience 3C 10 days (0 cp)
4	1	**EDF4067** Evidence into action	**EDF4064** Mathematics 2	**EDF4062** Emerging technologies and innovative practices in education	**EDF4089** Continuity of learning: Transitions and change		**EDF4084** Early childhood professional experience 4A 20 days (0 cp)
	2	**EDF4068** Teaching performance assessment	**EDF4047** Leading literacy learning OR **EDF4078** Leading mathematics learning OR **EDF4079** Leading science learning	**EDF4065** Working in partnerships	**EDF4066** Developing technological knowledge		**EDF4080** Primary professional experience 4A 20 days (0 cp)

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Course requirements

1. **Total credit points:** 204 cp (all units are 6 cp unless otherwise specified)
2. ***Overload:** To complete the course in 4 years, students are required to overload in year 2 by two units (EDF2088, EDF2099).
   - Students who do not wish to overload in both semesters in year 2 can opt to:
     a. complete both units during the summer semester at Clayton campus, or
     b. overload by one unit in year 2 and take one unit in the summer semester at Clayton campus.
   - Students who choose not to overload or study in the summer semester, will extend the duration of their course.
3. **First-year requirement:** National Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education Students. The Faculty of Education's LANTITE page has more information on this test.

Themes	
Core studies	Seven units/42 cp
Education studies	Eleven units/66 cp ▪ Students complete a 6 cp elective unit. You can select a level 2 or 3 unit from across the university in which you are eligible to enrol. You can also select from a range of flagship rich educational experiences (FREE), including the Monash Innovation Guarantee (MIG), Research, Experimentation and Discovery (RED) or volunteering. These FREE units may be credited in place of your free elective if approved by the faculty. ▪ You must discuss your eligibility with your Education Success Adviser (ESA) prior to enrolling in FREE.
Integrated curriculum and discipline studies	Sixteen units/96 cp Students complete one of the primary specialist sequences below: ▪ English and literacy: ○ EDF1084 English and literacies 1 ○ EDF2049 English and literacies 2 ○ EDF3079 English and literacies 3 ○ EDF3099 English and literacies 4 ○ EDF4047 Leading literacy learning ▪ Mathematics and numeracy: ○ EDF2066 Mathematics 1 ○ EDF4064 Mathematics 2 ○ EDF4078 Leading mathematics learning ▪ Science: ○ EDF2068 Foundation science ○ EDF3069 Planning and teaching science ○ EDF4079 Leading science learning
Professional experience	▪ 7 professional experience units/95 days supervised professional experience in early childhood settings and primary schools. ▪ Students must complete professional experience orientation provided by the faculty prior to undertaking any professional experience.