
FACULTY OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Master of Education

Programme leaflet for entry in 2026/27

Programme code MED

The Education University of Hong Kong

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At a glance

Programme	Master of Education
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Faculty	Education and Human Development
Intended for	Serving teachers and education professionals; Local applicants; Non-local applicants
Entry	September 2026
Medium of instruction	English, with selected courses offered in Chinese
Campus	Tai Po campus, The Education University of Hong Kong

The Master of Education is a taught postgraduate programme for serving teachers and other education professionals who wish to broaden their understanding of education and to pursue a specialisation of their choice. It suits teachers at kindergarten, primary or secondary level, as well as curriculum developers, school administrators and other practitioners in the education sector.

Structure and Duration

The programme is offered part-time over two years, with an accelerated part-time mode available to students who can take a higher course load. Classes are held in the evenings and on Saturdays to accommodate serving teachers. The programme carries a total of 30 credit points, comprising core courses in education studies, a choice of specialisation courses, and a capstone project or dissertation.

What You Will Study

- Curriculum theory and design
- Educational psychology and student learning
- Assessment and evaluation in education
- Education policy and school leadership
- A chosen area of specialisation, such as language education, mathematics education or special educational needs
- Research methods in education
- A capstone project or dissertation on a topic of the student's choice

Entry Requirements

- A recognised bachelor's degree, or an equivalent qualification accepted by the University
- A recognised teaching qualification or relevant teaching experience is normally expected, though applicants without a teaching background may be considered individually
- A satisfactory standard of English, as specified in the general admission requirements of the University

- Applicants may be asked to attend an interview

Career Prospects

Graduates typically continue their careers as teachers, subject panel heads or curriculum coordinators, with the qualification often supporting promotion to more senior teaching or school leadership positions. Some graduates move into curriculum development, teacher education or educational research.

Remarks: Programme details, including the range of specialisation courses offered in a given year, are subject to approval by the University's academic bodies and may be revised from time to time. The University reserves the right to amend, suspend or discontinue the programme.

How to apply

- Applications open in the autumn preceding entry and are made online through the University admissions system.
- Applicants supply academic transcripts, evidence of language proficiency where required, and the names of two referees.
- Shortlisted applicants are invited to an interview, held on campus or online, between January and April.
- Offers are issued on a rolling basis. Applicants are advised to apply early, as places in popular specialisations fill before the closing date.

Apply online at <https://www.eduhk.hk/med>.

Fees, scholarships and support

Tuition fees for 2026/27 are published by the Registry and are confirmed in the offer letter. Entrance scholarships are awarded on academic merit and do not require a separate application. Need-based financial assistance, including government schemes for local students, is administered by the University Student Affairs Office.

Contact

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This leaflet is a summary prepared for prospective applicants. Programme structure, course lists and fees are reviewed annually; the programme document and the admissions pages carry the authoritative version for the year of entry.