BA (Hons) EDUCATION STUDIES (ONLINE LEARNING)

Course overview

START DATE
September 2020

SUBJECT AREA
Teaching and Education

Course Summary

Do you want to help shape and change young lives through education? Do you have a passion for teaching? Do you want to change communities from the inside?

This BA (Hons) Education is offered online so you can study this exciting field when and where it suits you. The course is innovative and exciting, incorporating the very latest developments in the field of education studies. Whether you want to become a primary or secondary school teacher or influence and shape education policy, it will provide you with a fantastic foundation.

You’ll use our Virtual Learning Environment (VLE). Moodle to access materials and complete weekly topics. You’ll follow slides, audio recordings and interactive online materials.

Online discussion forms will allow you to communicate with your fellow students to resolve issues related to your studies.

You’ll learn from practising teachers and take an active role in important current debates on children’s education. Our course is strongly rooted in the real world, with plenty of opportunities to experience education in action in our community.

This will ease your transition into a teaching environment when you leave us.

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COURSE OPTIONS
Degree

UCAS CODE
N/A
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HELP THOSE WITHOUT FORMAL QUALIFICATIONS

FURTHER ADVICE AND GUIDANCE

YEAR 1

YEAR 2

YEAR 3

EXPLORE APPLY TO UEL

Tuition fees

- Disabled Students' Allowance
- Adult Dependants' Grant

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dedicated careers workshops and events.
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How you'll be assessed

- Critical Pedagogies (core)
- Language, Pedagogy and Cultural Diversity (core)
- Dissertation (core)
- Researching Issues in Education (core)

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Please pay this fee up front

£9,250

Feasible grants

- Access Agreements
- Entry requirements

and many

Vikki Silvers

Education Studies, BA (Hons)

I've been able to gain a new perspective looking through a child's eyes and I've learned more about children's rights. I've especially

loved exploring the enchantment of child literature. The intimate lectures of about 30 people are great. You can have some

interesting debates and almost everyone has a chance to speak.

FEES AND FUNDING

GOVERNMENT FUNDING
Tuition Fee Loan
You can apply for a loan to cover the cost of your tuition fees, which will be paid directly to UEL. There are no up-front fees required. Repayment only starts after you finish your course and are earning over £25,000. If you haven’t finished repaying your loan after 30 years it will be automatically cancelled.
To apply visit gov.uk/student-finance

Maintenance Loan
You can apply for a loan to help with living costs such as food, travel and accommodation. How much you can borrow depends on where you live and study, and whether you are currently on welfare benefits. The maximum loan you can apply for is £12,729.
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Supplementary Grants
The government also offer the following additional support:
- Parents’ Learning Allowance
- Adult Dependents’ Grant
- Childcare Grant
- Disabled Students’ Allowance
- All nursing and many allied health students on courses from September 2020 will receive a payment of at least £5,000 a year from the government.
For further information visit gov.uk/student-finance or contact Student Finance England.

**UEL FUNDING**

We appreciate that finance is one of the key considerations when you are applying to university. That's why alongside your Government loan, you can apply for scholarships to help towards your finances. We have invested over £2 million worth of scholarships to financially assist new students, starting in September 2019. If you are awarded a scholarship you don't need to pay it back.

All students will receive:
**Ebooks:**

Bursaries Schemes for which you can apply
- Care Leaver and Foyer Bursary - up to £1,500
- Progression Bursary - up to £2,000
- Engagement Bursary - up to £2,000
- Hardship Bursary - up to £2,000
- Helena Kennedy Foundation - £1,500
- Going Global - awards range from £300 - £700

Scholarships Schemes for which you can apply
- Vice Chancellor Scholarship - up to £27,750 over three years
- Dean Scholarship - up to £13,500 over three years
- Civic Engagement Scholarship - £1,000
- EU Scholarship (EU Only) - £1,000
- ELSEF Scholarship - £1,000
- UTC Scholarship - £1,500
- Sports Scholarships - up to £6,000

**EXTERNAL FUNDING**

There are a number of external organisations that offer financial help to students. Please see the list below list to view additional support options. Alternatively, you can visit the Scholarship Search website.

Please note that the University of East London is not responsible for the content of these external sites and is not associated in any way with the funding schemes and their application processes.
- Bank Of England Scholarship Programme
- European Funding Guide
- The Student Disability Association Fund
- Sir John Cass’s Foundation
Tuition fees

UK
£9,250

You don't need to pay this up front
Tuition fees are subject to annual change. Fees for future years will be published in due course.

Access Agreements

Fees Policy

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
The skills you gain are transferable to a wide range of working environments. Some of our graduates have gone on to teach.

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A LEVEL
Must include passes at A2 in at least two subjects.

BTEC
Extended Diploma or Diploma

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE
Diploma with 24 points including a minimum of 15 points at Higher Level

INTERNATIONAL
(Including European Union)

SEE YOUR COUNTRY

OTHER ENTRY ROUTES

Access to HE Diploma (QAA approved) with 60 credits overall and 45 credits at Level 3
We will also consider the UEL New Beginnings pre-entry course

ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS
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You’ll explore how individuals develop and learn, how the education system has evolved and how it continues to evolve. You’ll learn to critique the purpose of educational interventions and to evaluate arguments on educational issues.

We’ll give you an understanding of how political ideologies influence education policy. You’ll examine faith schools, special needs education and multiculturalism along with the sociology, psychology and philosophy of education.

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ALTERNATIVE GCSE QUALIFICATIONS

Level 2 equivalences such as Level 2 Functional Skills in English / Maths, Level 2 Key Skills in Communication / Application of Number and Level 2 Adult Literacy / Adult Numeracy

MATURE APPLICANTS AND THOSE WITHOUT FORMAL QUALIFICATIONS

As an inclusive university, we recognise that applicants who have been out of education for some time may not have the formal qualifications usually required for entry to a course. We welcome applications from those who can demonstrate their enthusiasm and commitment to study and have the relevant life/work experience that equips them to succeed on the course. We will assess this from the information provided in your application – in particular your personal statement - to help us decide on your eligibility for the course.

Please note that some courses require applicants to meet the entry requirements outlined on the course page. Our pre-entry Information Advice and Guidance Team are able to provide further advice on entry requirements and suitability for study.

FURTHER ADVICE AND GUIDANCE

You can speak to a member of our Applicant Enquiries team on +44 (0)20 8223 3333, Monday to Friday from 9am to 5pm. Alternatively, you can visit our Information, Advice and Guidance centre.

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WHAT YOU’LL STUDY AND WHEN

Overall IELTS score of 5.5 with a minimum of 5.5 in Reading, Writing, Listening and Speaking (or recognised equivalent).

If you do not meet the academic English language requirements for your course, you may be eligible to enrol onto a pre-sessional English programme. The length of the course will depend on your current level of English and the requirements for your degree programme. We offer a 5-week and an 11-week pre-sessional course. Find out more here.

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**YEAR 1**

- Sociology of Education (core)
- Philosophy of Education (core)
- Education and Psychology (core)
- The Language of multilingual communities (core)

**YEAR 2**

- Education, Identity and Social Justice (core)
- Families, Children and Education (core)
- Comparative Educational Ideology and Policy (core)
- Researching Issues in Education (core)

**YEAR 3**

- Dissertation (core)
- Debates in Educational Ideology and Policy (core)
- Language, Pedagogy and Cultural Diversity (core)
- Critical Pedagogies (core)

**How you'll be assessed**

We use a variety of methods to assess you, including assignments, presentations, group activities, reports and a small number of written examinations.

**HOW YOU’LL LEARN**

Distance learning on this course is supported by our virtual learning environment (VLE), Moodle.

You’ll be given a full introduction to the use, nuances and scope of the VLE. This will help you to feel comfortable and confident with your online classroom, while your module leader/tutor will contact you at the beginning of each module to provide basic information and check for questions.

Each module has a site in Moodle structured around a sequence of weekly topics. These topics contain a lecture – typically, a series of slides and accompanied audio recordings or interactive on-line material – supported by guidance on key learning outcomes, self-assessment questions and links to core and additional readings. Modules run concurrently so you would need to balance your time across a number of modules at the same time rather than just one.

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We also encourage you to help others to learn via Moodle and the online discussion forums which form an important interactive element of the course.

During your studies, you’ll be supported by our team of module leaders and tutors who will offer academic support, guidance and encouragement. You may not be physically present on campus, but we’ll treat you as if you were.
YOUR FUTURE CAREER

This course provides you with an excellent foundation for a career in education.

It’s the perfect springboard if you want to become a teacher, particularly in primary education, or if you want to influence policy in the education field.

Once you’ve graduated successfully, you’ll have the option to train as a teacher, for example through a Postgraduate Certificate of Education (PGCE) programme. At UEL, we offer PGCEs in Primary Education and a wide range of secondary subjects.

With a teaching qualification, you’ll have the choice of teaching in a mainstream school, a special school or a different kind of educational setting such as an environmental education centres.

The Education Studies course also equips you for a career in educational administration or a support role in education.

During the course you’ll have frequent opportunities to meet practitioners and potential employers, and we also arrange dedicated careers workshops and events.

The skills you gain are transferable to a wide range of working environments. Some of our graduates have gone on to teach English as a foreign language abroad. Others have move into fields outside education such as journalism.

You could also choose to embark upon postgraduate research at UEL in areas such as educational psychology or the philosophy of education.

Explore the different career options you can pursue with this degree and see the median salaries of the sector on our Career Coach portal.
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Education Studies

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Tuition fees

Degree

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Debates in Educational Ideology and Policy (core)
Comparative Educational Ideology and Policy (core)

We will assess this from the information provided in your application – in particular your personal statement - to help us make the right decision for you.

As an inclusive university, we recognise that applicants who have been out of education for some time may not have the skills and knowledge required for certain courses. The UEL New Beginnings pre-entry course is designed to provide you with the necessary level of support to succeed in your studies. If you are considering applying for a course which requires a teaching qualification, you may be eligible to undertake this course.

Alternatively, you can visit our UEL website to read more about the New Beginnings pre-entry course.

Online discussion forms will allow you to communicate with your fellow students to resolve issues related to your studies. You'll use our Virtual Learning Environment (VLE), Moodle to access materials and complete weekly topics. You'll follow slides, a series of slides and accompanied audio recordings or interactive online materials. You'll also have access to your reading materials, assessments, outcomes, self-assessment questions and links to core and additional readings. Modules run concurrently so you would need to be able to balance your time across a number of modules at the same time rather than just one.

YOUR FUTURE CAREER

This course investigates contemporary education in a lively and stimulating way, from primary and secondary through to higher education. It will provide you with a fantastic foundation for those who want to teach in a primary or secondary school, or influence and shape education policy, it will provide you with a fantastic foundation.

By the end of this course you will have developed a range of transferable skills which will help you succeed in the world of work. You'll learn from practising teachers and take an active role in important current debates on children's education.

We also encourage you to help others to learn via Moodle and the online discussion forums which form an important interactive element of the course.

You'll explore how individuals develop and learn, how the education system has evolved and how it continues to evolve. You'll study current issues and debates within the field of education, and critically examine the impact of policy on education and multiculturalism along with the sociology, psychology and philosophy of education.

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During your studies, you'll be supported by our team of module leaders and tutors who will offer academic support, guidance and feedback. You'll learn from practising teachers and take an active role in important current debates on children's education.

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If you do not meet the academic English language requirements for your course, you may be eligible to enrol onto a pre-sessional course. You don't need to pay this up front.

Supplementary Grants
To apply visit the government.

COUNTRY

or contact Student Finance England.

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International Baccalaureate
From

All students will receive:
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explore careers in education or related fields? Then the BA (Hons) Education Studies course at UEL is for you.

YEAR 1
You'll explore how individuals develop and learn, how the education system has evolved and how it continues to evolve. You'll
learn about the sociology of education, the psychology of educational processes, and the philosophy of education.

YEAR 2
You'll delve deeper into the sociology of education, examining issues such as special education, the role of technology in
learning, and the impact of globalisation on education. You'll also have the opportunity to take a dissertation module,
which will allow you to pursue a topic of your choice.

YEAR 3
You'll complete your studies with a dissertation in an area of your choice. You'll also have the opportunity to take a
work placement module, which will give you real-world experience in the education sector.

EXPLORE APPLY TO UEL
Tuition fees
-          All
-          Disabled Students' Allowance

International students are not eligible for Disabled Students' Allowance.

English as a foreign language abroad. Others have move into fields outside education such as journalism.

Dedicated careers workshops and events.

During the course you'll have frequent opportunities to meet practitioners and potential employers, and we also arrange
visits to a variety of schools and other educational settings.

The Education Studies course also equips you for a career in educational administration or a support role in education.

During your studies, you'll be supported by our team of module leaders and tutors who will offer academic support, guidance and
feedback. You'll also have the opportunity to participate in study groups and other informal learning activities.

Completion of assessed course work.

You'll be expected to take responsibility for the way you learn as you will need to motivate yourself throughout the
programme. You'll also have the opportunity to undertake independent learning and research, including individual reading,
preparation of assignments and written examinations.

Requirements from our graduates. As a result, our modules are subject to change.

You'll learn how to evaluate research, enriching your studies and giving you the know-how and confidence to embark on your own
research projects.

It's very much a sociology-based course, looking at sociological factors affecting the family, social policy for young people,
and the impact of globalization on education. You'll explore debates in educational ideology and policy, and the role of
cultural diversity in education. You'll also have the opportunity to take a dissertation module, which will allow you to
pursue a topic of your choice.

Language, Pedagogy and Cultural Diversity (core)
Debates in Educational Ideology and Policy (core)
Families, Children and Education (core)
Education, Identity and Social Justice (core)
The Language of multilingual communities (core)

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formal qualifications usually required for entry to a course. We welcome applications from those who can demonstrate their
ability to meet the course requirements. We also consider applications from mature applicants and those without formal qualifications.

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We will also consider the

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-          Helena Kennedy Foundation
-          Students Support Fund
-          The Newby Trust
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We recommend that you visit our website for more detailed information on the courses and for the most up-to-date
information on fees and funding.

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BA (Hons)

Special Education (Online)

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This course investigates contemporary education in a lively and stimulating way, from primary and secondary through to higher education and further education. We focus on the social, political and ethical issues that are shaping education today, and the debates surrounding it.

You'll learn how to evaluate research, enriching your studies and giving you the know-how and confidence to embark on your own research.

We will consider those who do not hold standard UK qualifications. We also consider those with a foreign educational background, providing you meet the general English language and academic requirements of the University.

If you have taught children and are interested in studying Montessori, we can consider your qualifications.

In this course, you'll learn from practising teachers and take an active role in important current debates on children's education.

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We use blogs, wiki pages, personal walls and forums on Moodle to create an online community where you can interact with your fellow students and your tutors.

You can post messages and start discussions, read and reply to others' messages and posts, and even create your own blog or wiki page if you wish. It's also a great place to brainstorm ideas, share resources, and explore interesting debates and almost everyone has a chance to speak.

You'll be assessed through a range of methods, including essays, short answers, reports, and presentations. The main methods of assessment are written examinations.

We will consider the best combination of performance across your course to ensure you are receiving your full funding.

You can apply for a loan to cover the cost of your tuition fees, which will be paid directly to UEL. There are no up-front fees. If you have received a Government loan, you can apply for scholarships to help towards your finances. We have invested over £2 million worth of scholarships available to you. For further information visit Scholarships Search or contact Student Finance England.

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