Diploma of Education Studies

COURSE CODE: EDES

CAMPUS	Footscray Nicholson (FN) and Online Real Time (ORT)
COLLEGE	College of Arts, Business, Law, Education and IT
STUDY MODE	Full Time
DURATION	1 year Full Time equivalent
FEE TYPE	For information on course fees, refer to http://vu.edu.au/fees
APPLICATION METHOD	VTAC - https://vtac.edu.au Direct Application - https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing
TIMETABLE	vu.edu.au/timetables
COURSE REQUIREMENTS	To attain the Diploma of Education Studies students will be required to complete:
	96 credit points (equivalent to 8 units) of Core studies
FURTHER INFORMATION	Unit and course information is available from the University course search site at http://vu.edu.au/course-search or go to https://askvu.vu.edu.au or Phone VUHQ on 03 9919 6100
COURSE CHAIR	Shiona Long
COURSE ADVICE	AskVU https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua

Note: Students are required to enrol in all units for semester 1 and 2, and are not permitted to enrol in more than 48 credit points per semester as a full-time load.

Core/Elective Core (a unit that must be completed) & Elective (you have some choice in what you select).

Prerequisites A number of units within the degree have 'prerequisites'. These prerequisites must be met before enrolment in the unit is permitted. Generally these prerequisites require the successful completion of a unit or units taken at an earlier stage in the course. Students should pay particular attention to these prerequisite requirements as failure to meet these can seriously hinder progression through the course.

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YEAR 1

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
EDC1000	Academic and Professional Learning	Core	1B1, 2B1	12	FN	
			1B1		ORT	
EDC1001	Sociological Orientation to Education	Core	1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B4	12	FN	
			2B3		ORT	
EDC1004	C1004 Investigating STEM Education		1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B3, 2B4	12	FN	
			1B3		ORT	
EDC1005	Health, Physical Activity and Wellbeing Education	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3	12	FN	
			2B4		ORT	
AEK1006	Investigating Australian Humanities	Core	1B3, 1B4, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	FN	
			2B1		ORT	
EDC1007	ICT in Education and Learning	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	FN	
			1B2		ORT	
EDC1008	Learning Through Literacy	Core	1B1, 1B2, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3	12	FN	
			2B2		ORT	
EDC1010	Learning in and through the Arts	Core	1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	FN	
			1B4		ORT	

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2026 Timetable

Commencing Group Feb 2026 Nicholson Street											
	Bloc k	181	1B2	1B3	184	2B1	2B2	2B3	2B4		
For a consistent timetable choose one Group Pattern	Bloc k Start	16/2 start 13/3 finish	16/3 start 17/4 finish (include s Easter)	27/4 start 25/5 finish	25/5 start 19/6 finish	27/7 start 21/8 finish	24/8 start 18/9 finish	28/9 start 23/10 finish	2/11 start 27/11 finish		
	Start Time	Unit Sequence									
Group Pattern 1	Mon, Tues, Thur s 8 am start	Academic and Profession al Learning	EDC1008 Learning Through Literacy	AEK1006 Investigati ng Australian Humanities	EDC1001 Sociological Orientation to Education	EDC1010 Learning through the arts	EDC1005 Health, Physical Education and Wellbeing	EDC1007 ICT in Education and Learning	EDC1004 Investigating STEM Education		
Group Pattern 7	Mon, Tues, Thur s 12 pm start	Academic and Profession al Learning	EDC1008 Learning Through Literacy	EDC1001 Sociological Orientation to Education	AEK1006 Investigatin g Australian Humanities	EDC1005 Health, Physical Education and Wellbeing	EDC1010 Learning through the arts	EDC1007 ICT in Education and Learning	EDC1004 Investigating STEM Education		
Group Pattern 3	Mon, Wed, Thur s 8 am start	Academic and Profession al Learning	EDC1005 Health, Physical Education and Wellbeing	EDC1007 ICT in Education and Learning	EDC1004 Investigatin g STEM Education	EDC1008 Learning Through Literacy	AEK1006 Investigatin g Australian Humanities	EDC1010 Learning through the arts	EDC1001 Sociological Orientation to Education		

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Group Pattern 9	Mon, Wed, Thur s 12 pm start	EDC1000 Academic and Profession al Learning	EDC1007 ICT in Education and Learning	EDC1010 Learning through the arts	EDC1004 Investigatin g STEM Education	EDC1008 Learning Through Literacy	AEK1006 Investigatin g Australian Humanities	EDC1005 Health, Physical Education and Wellbeing	EDC1001 Sociological Orientation to Education	
	ORT Commencing Group 1B1 2026									
		16/2 start 13/3 finish	16/3 start 17/4 finish (include s Easter)	27/4 start 25/5 finish	25/5 start 19/6 finish	27/7 start 21/8 finish	24/8 start 18/9 finish	28/9 start 23/10 finish	2/11 start 27/11 finish	
Group Pattern 5 ORT	ORT Tues, Wed, Frid 9 am start	Academic and Profession al Learning	EDC1007 ICT in Education and Learning	EDC1004 Investigati ng STEM Education	EDC1010 Learning through the arts	AEK1006 Investigatin g Australian Humanities	EDC1008 Learning Through Literacy	EDC1001 Sociologic al Orientatio n to Education	EDC1005 Health, Physical Education and Wellbeing	

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