

How to become a Secondary Teacher...

OPTION 1: FOUR YEAR UNDERGRADUATE HONOURS DEGREE.

Take a direct path into secondary teaching with a four year undergraduate Honours degree. Complete a major and sub-major in the Learning Areas of your choice, both teachable from years 7 – 12.

OPTION 2: PACKAGED BACHELOR AND MASTER PROGRAM*.

Consider a packaged program to guarantee your place into the Master of Teaching (Secondary). You'll only need to apply via SATAC once with this option. Apply directly to SATAC using the unique code listed.

**subject to meeting GPA requirements and subject selection.*

**This option can be completed in 4.5 or 5 years, depending on the timing of your placements.*

OPTION 3: BACHELOR DEGREE WITH THE MASTER OF TEACHING (SECONDARY) OPTION*.

Enjoy the flexibility of completing a bachelor degree with the option to continue with postgraduate studies in teaching and graduate in five years.

**This option can be completed in 4.5 or 5 years, depending on the timing of your placements.*

Please note that you will need to apply via SATAC for entry into the Master of Teaching once you have successfully completed your undergraduate degree.

Teachers Registration

On successful completion of the Master of Teaching (Secondary) or the Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours), you will meet the criteria to apply for registration as a teacher in South Australia and interstate. Other criteria may apply.

SCIENCE TEACHER	MATHEMATICS TEACHER	ENGLISH TEACHER	LANGUAGE TEACHER	HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION (HPE) TEACHER	DRAMA TEACHER	MUSIC TEACHER	MEDIA ARTS TEACHER	VISUAL ARTS TEACHER	CREATIVE ARTS TEACHER	HUMANITIES, HISTORY OR SOCIAL SCIENCES TEACHER	DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY TEACHER	FOOD AND TEXTILE TECHNOLOGIES TEACHER	DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES TEACHER	CATHOLIC EDUCATION TEACHER
Science teachers provide students with the opportunity to develop and communicate an understanding of scientific inquiry methods, a foundation of knowledge across the disciplines of science, and use evidence to solve problems and make evidence-based decisions.	Mathematics teachers support students to quantify and understand data to help solve contemporary social and economic challenges.	English teachers stimulate learning through the creation of texts, literature, poetry, prose, dramatic literatures, children's literature, postcolonial literatures, diaspora, and literary theory.	Language teachers develop students' awareness of the diversity of languages, cultures and forms of intercultural communication. They engage students in a range of interaction contexts to develop their multilingual capability.	Health and PE teachers engage students in challenging experiences to develop health and physical literacies, foster success and joy in learning and promote healthy lifestyles and wellbeing.	Drama teachers engage students in developing their physical, vocal and intellectual skills to generate challenging and diverse theatrical works. Drama teachers also guide students in analysis and evaluation of both classical and contemporary theory and practices.	Music teachers inspire performance in various styles such as classical, electronic, experimental, rock, jazz and world music. Music teachers also educate students in composition using contemporary technologies.	Media Arts teachers provide students with opportunities to explore traditional and new media technologies such as film, television, video, digital graphics, and 2D and 3D visual effects.	Visual Arts teachers engage students in various styles of artistic expression and help students develop practical and theoretical skills across various artistic traditions and forms.	Creative Arts teachers guide students in specialised studies across multiple arts subjects, such as film, dance and music. They educate students on leading artists and how to analyse and evaluate their art works.	Humanities and Social Sciences teachers support students to develop their historical, geographical, social and economical understanding of societies to produce knowledgeable, critical and engaged citizens.	Design and Technology teachers support students to develop their design and production knowledge and skills in a range of areas such as wood, metal, CADD/ CAM, electronics and advanced manufacturing such as 3D printing and laser cutting.	Food and Textile Technologies teachers support students to develop their understanding of sustainable food and textile production and use. Food and textile teachers also educate students in child and community studies.	Digital Technologies teachers support students in becoming digitally literate, to use a range of hardware and software to create and communicate information online, and to interact safely with technologies using appropriate technical and social protocols.	Catholic Education teachers encourage students to explore the deepest of life questions and yearnings: stories, beliefs and spiritualities relating to God, humanity and the entire creation.
Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • Biology • Chemistry or • Physics as either your major or sub-major Learning Area	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • Mathematics as either your major or sub-major Learning Area	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • English as either your major or sub-major Learning Area	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • French • Italian or • Japanese as either your major or sub-major Learning Area	<i>This option is not available for students looking to become a Secondary Health and Physical Education (PE) teacher. Refer to options 2 & 3.</i>	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • Drama and Creative Arts as either your major or sub-major Learning Area	<i>This option is not available for students looking to become a Music teacher. Refer to option 3.</i>	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • Drama and Creative Arts as either your major or sub-major Learning Area	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • Visual Arts as either your major or sub-major Learning Area	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • Drama and Creative Arts as either your major or sub-major Learning Area	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • History and Geography as either your major or sub-major Learning Area	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • Design and Technology as either your major or sub-major Learning Area	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • Food and Textile Technologies as either your major or sub-major Learning Area	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • Digital Technologies as your sub-major Learning Area	Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) SATAC CODE: 434003 Choose • Catholic Studies as your sub-major Learning Area. <i>Note: Catholic Studies is not available as a major.</i>
Choose the Bachelor of Science/ Master of Teaching (Secondary) SATAC CODE: 434101	Choose the Bachelor of Mathematics (Data Science)/Master of Teaching (Secondary) SATAC CODE: 434221 or the Bachelor of Mathematics (Industrial and Applied Mathematics)/Master of Teaching SATAC CODE: 434181	Choose the Bachelor of Arts*/ Master of Teaching (Secondary) SATAC CODE: 444521 <i>*You will need to select Creative Writing and Literature as one of your Arts majors</i>	Choose the Bachelor of Arts*/ Master of Teaching (Secondary) SATAC CODE: 444521 <i>*You will need to select Languages as one of your Arts majors</i>	Choose the Bachelor of Human Movement / Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Health and Physical Education* SATAC CODE: 414401 <i>*You will need to select the Health and Physical Education stream. Not available for midyear entry</i>	Choose the Bachelor of Arts*/ Master of Teaching (Secondary) SATAC CODE: 444521 <i>*You will need to select Performing Arts as one of your Arts majors</i>		Choose the Bachelor of Media Arts/ Master of Teaching (Secondary) SATAC CODE: 444531	Choose the Bachelor of Contemporary Art/Master of Teaching (Secondary) SATAC CODE: 424811	Choose the Bachelor of Arts/ Master of Teaching (Secondary) SATAC CODE: 444521	Choose the Bachelor of Arts/ Master of Teaching (Secondary) SATAC CODE: 444521 Or the Bachelor of Arts (Aboriginal Cultures and Australian Society)/ Master of Teaching (Secondary) SATAC CODE: 444571 <i>*You will need to select History and Global Politics as your one of your Arts majors</i>	<i>This option is not available for students looking to become a Secondary Design and Technology teacher. Refer to options 1 and 3.</i>	<i>This option is not available for students looking to become a Secondary Food and Textile Technologies teacher. Refer to options 1 and 3.</i>	<i>This option is not available for students looking to become a Secondary Digital Technologies teacher. Refer to options 1 and 3.</i>	<i>This option is not available for students looking to become a Secondary Catholic Education teacher. Refer to options 1 and 3.</i>
Choose the Bachelor of Science SATAC CODE: 434201 On successful completion of your undergraduate degree, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Science Education SATAC CODE: 4CM121	Choose the Bachelor of Mathematics (Data Science), SATAC CODE: 434171 Or the Bachelor of Mathematics (Industrial and Applied Mathematics), SATAC CODE: 434161 On successful completion of your undergraduate degree, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Mathematics Education SATAC CODE: 4CM120	Choose the Bachelor of Arts (Creative Writing and Literature) SATAC CODE: 444351 On successful completion of your undergraduate degree, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – English Education SATAC CODE: 4CM116	Choose the Bachelor of Arts (Languages), SATAC CODE: 444381 OR any undergraduate UniSA program combined with the Diploma in Languages OR any undergraduate program that allows a major in languages. On successful completion of your undergraduate degree, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Languages Education SATAC CODE: 4CM119	Choose the Bachelor of Human Movement SATAC CODE: 414231 (3 years) or pair it with a Bachelor of Psychological Science (Counselling and Interpersonal Skills) (SATAC CODE: 414421) or a Bachelor of Nutrition and Food Sciences (SATAC CODE: 414431) (both 4 years). On successful completion of your undergraduate degree, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Health and Physical Education SATAC CODE: 4CM117	Choose the Bachelor of Arts (Performing Arts) SATAC CODE: 444401 On successful completion of your undergraduate degree, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Arts Education SATAC CODE: 4CM114	Students who have completed the Bachelor of Arts or the Bachelor of Arts (Performing Arts) and undertaken additional learning may be eligible to enter the Music learning area in Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Arts Education. Alternatively, this program is available to applicants who have completed relevant studies from other institutions. On successful completion of your undergraduate degree, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Arts Education SATAC CODE: 4CM114	Choose the Bachelor of Media Arts SATAC CODE: 444471 On successful completion of your undergraduate degree, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Arts Education SATAC CODE: 4CM114	Choose the Bachelor of Contemporary Art SATAC CODE: 424801 On successful completion of your undergraduate degree, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Arts Education SATAC CODE: 4CM114	Choose the Bachelor of Arts (Performing Arts) SATAC CODE: 444401 On successful completion of your undergraduate degree, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Arts Education SATAC CODE: 4CM114	Choose the Bachelor of Arts (History and Global Politics) SATAC CODE: 444592 or the Bachelor of Arts (Aboriginal Cultures and Australian Society) SATAC CODE: 444561 On successful completion of your undergraduate degree, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Humanities and Social Sciences SATAC CODE: 4CM118	On successful completion of an undergraduate degree that meets the learning area requirements, you will need to apply via SATAC and enrol in the following postgraduate program in teaching with UniSA: Master of Teaching (Secondary) – Design and Technology SATAC CODE: 4CM115 Please contact Future Student Enquiries for more information.	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Teaching Capabilities Statement

All SATAC applications for the Bachelor of Education and Master of Teaching degrees must include a 400-600 word Teaching Capabilities Statement (TCS). This statement must address why you want to become a teacher and the relevant skills, attributes and experience you possess to pursue a career in education.

More Information

Visit unisa.edu.au/eds-requirements for more information on any of the entry or placement requirements.



Learning Areas – Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours)

Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours) students will complete a major and sub-major as part of their degree in which they intend to teach and that aligns with the Australian National Curriculum.

Students can select their major and sub-major from the following areas:

- Arts – *Drama and Creative Arts or Visual Arts*
- Catholic Studies (sub-major only)
- English
- English as an Additional Language or Dialect (EALD) (sub-major only)
- Humanities and Social Sciences – *Geography and History* (sub-major only)
- Languages – *French, Italian, Japanese or Languages Education (for proficient speakers only)*
- Mathematics
- Science – *Physics, Chemistry or Biology*
- Technologies – *Design and Technology, Digital Technologies, or Food and Textile Technologies*

Learning Areas – Master of Teaching (Secondary)

Graduates wishing to gain entry to the Master of Teaching (Secondary) must have completed a degree with a major aligned to one of the key learning areas in the Australian curriculum.

- Arts – Media Arts, Visual Arts, Dance, Drama or Music
- Design and Technology
- English
- Humanities and Social Sciences – Geography and History
- Health and Physical Education
- Languages – French, Italian, Japanese or Applied Linguistics (for proficient speakers only)
- Mathematics
- Science

Applicants may have a minor in one of the above learning areas (except HPE), or they can choose one of the following focus study areas:

- TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages)
- Islamic Studies
- Integrated Teaching & Vocational Education; or
- Lutheran Studies

Placement requirements for Bachelor of Education and Master of Teaching programs

In the lead-up to each professional experience placement you need to ensure that several important prerequisites and requirements are completed or satisfied, including:

- Working with children check (WWCC) from the Department of Human Services
- Responding to Abuse and Neglect Training (RAN); and
- Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE) standards.

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ALREADY HAVE AN UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE AND WOULD LIKE TO BECOME A TEACHER?

Master of Teaching (Secondary)

- The Master of Teaching (Secondary) will prepare you for a career as a teacher in your area of choice and develop your expertise through professional experience in the classroom.
- Focus on the learning and planning needs of adolescent students from Year 7 to Year 12.
- Benefit from highly practical learning, completing supervised placements totalling 60 days and starting in your first year.
- You will also study core courses covering curriculum studies, education studies and pedagogy (the theory and practice of teaching).
- Choose to study Australia's only minor in Islamic pedagogy, providing the knowledge and inclusive practice required for teaching Muslim students.

Entry Requirements

Applicants to the Master of Teaching must have completed a three-year Bachelor degree or equivalent from a recognised higher education institution with a competitive Grade Point Average (GPA).

Applicants must have completed a major and preferably a minor in the learning area in which they intend to teach, which aligns with the Australian National Curriculum. Applicants must also submit a Teaching Capabilities Statement with their SATAC application.

LANTITE

All Education students are required to meet the required standard in the national Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE) prior to graduation.

Students will undertake the national literacy and numeracy tests during the first year of their program. Students will be required to meet the standard of each test as a prerequisite for their final Professional Experience Placement course.

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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

SCIENCE TEACHER

Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours):

Assumed knowledge for the Physics major or sub-major in the Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours): SACE Stage 2 Physics
Assumed knowledge for the Chemistry major or sub-major in the Bachelor of Education (Secondary): SACE Stage 2 Chemistry.

Master of Teaching (Secondary) pathway options:

Students enrolled in the Bachelor of Science need to select a Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Environmental Geoscience, Applied Physics or Geospatial Information Systems specialisation.

Prerequisites for the Bachelor of Science: At least two of the following: SACE Stage 2 Physics, SACE Stage 2 Specialist Math, SACE Stage 2 Biology, SACE Stage 2 Chemistry, SACE Stage 2 Math Methods, SACE Stage 2 Earth and Environmental Science.

MATHEMATICS TEACHER

Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours):

Assumed knowledge for the mathematics major or sub-major in the Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours): SACE Stage 2 Mathematical Methods.

Master of Teaching (Secondary) pathway options:

Prerequisites for the Bachelor of Mathematics (Data Science) or Bachelor of Mathematics (Industrial and Applied Mathematics): SACE Stage 2 Mathematical Methods.

ENGLISH TEACHER

Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours):

Assumed knowledge for the English major or sub-major in the Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours): SACE Stage 2 English or SACE Stage 2 Literary Studies.

Master of Teaching (Secondary) pathway options: Students enrolled in the Bachelor of Arts (Creative Writing and Literature) need to select the Education pathway courses.

LANGUAGE TEACHER

Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours):

Assumed knowledge for the French, Italian or Japanese major or sub-major in the Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours): SACE Stage 2 Language.

HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION (PE) TEACHER

Master of Teaching (Secondary) pathway options:

Students enrolled in the Bachelor of Human movement need to select the Health and Physical Education specialisation. A double degree + Master of Teaching will take 5.5 or 6 years to complete depending on your placements.

DRAMA TEACHER

Master of Teaching (Secondary) pathway options:

Students enrolled in the Bachelor of Arts need to select courses listed as Drama options in the Performing Arts major.

MUSIC TEACHER

Master of Teaching (Secondary) pathway options:

Students enrolled in the Bachelor of Arts need to select courses listed as Music options in the Performing Arts major.

VISUAL ARTS TEACHER

To maximise your opportunities for placement as a Visual Arts teacher, it is recommended that courses in painting, drawing, sculpture, photography or printmaking are undertaken. At least one course in painting or drawing is highly recommended.

HUMANITIES, HISTORY OR SOCIAL SCIENCES TEACHER

Master of Teaching (Secondary) pathway options:

Students enrolled in the Bachelor of Arts (History and Cultural Studies) need to complete courses in both History and Geography, as well as civics, citizenship, business and politics. Students enrolled in the Bachelor of Arts (Aboriginal Cultures and Australian Society) need to complete courses in both History and Geography, as well as education, civics and citizenship.



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