



By obtaining a qualification at the North-West University (NWU) you will accelerate your career and improve your effectiveness and efficiency in the classroom.

The North-West University:

- is one of a few worldwide universities that has a strong contact-, as well as a distance learning mode of delivery;
- is an internationally recognised university with an international student body from 68 countries;
- is the second largest university in South Africa with more than 70 000 students;
- has some of the best academic support programmes in Africa resulting in a success rate of 86,3% by our students; and
- the International Universum research shows that 82% of NWU students will choose the university again as first choice for their studies.

Teacher Education at the North-West University has had a proud history since 1919, and the Faculty of Education is now the largest provider of contact and open distance learning in South Africa. The fact that so many teachers choose to upgrade their professional qualifications with us, and that so many prospective students apply for entry to the BEd and our other programmes says something. We think it says something about...

- The quality of the work done in our programmes (grounded, professional, critical and academic);
- The attention paid to students by our staff (dedicated, caring, professional academics and administrators);
- The quality of student life and development offered by the faculty itself (social, sport, integrated development and community engagement);
- The great reputation enjoyed by our students and graduate teachers who are commended to us by schools throughout the country.

BEd Foundation Phase (Grade R-3)

Programme code: 4BJ J01 AS: 24

Duration: 4 years

Admission Criteria:

- Home Language AND First Additional Language level 4.
- To register for English as a Home Language (HL), English as First Additional Language (FAL) on level 5 (minimum 65%) is required.
- Afrikaans/English/IsiZulu/Sepedi/Sesotho/Setswana as HL AND Afrikaans/English/Setswana as FAL.
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

BEd Intermediate Phase, Life skills and Social Sciences (Grade 4-6)

Programme code: 4BR J02 AS: 24

Duration: 4 years

Specialises in Life skills and Social Sciences, teaching.

Admission Criteria:

- Home Language AND First Additional Language level 4.
- Afrikaans/IsiZulu/Sepedi/Sesotho/Setswana as HL AND English as FAL.
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

BEd Senior and Further Education and Training Phase (Grade 7-12)

AS: 24 Duration: 4 years

The mastering of teaching and learning strategies, assessment practices and professional conduct, teaching from Grade 7 to Grade 12.

Afrikaans for Education

Programme code: 4BP J01

Admission Criteria:

- Afrikaans Home Language on level 5
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

English for Education

Programme code: 4BP J04

Admission Criteria:

- English Home Language on level 4 or English First Additional Language on level 5
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

Economics for Education

Programme code: 4BP J05

Admission Criteria:

- Home Language or First Additional Language level 4
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

History for Education

Programme code: 4BP J06

Admission Criteria:

- Home Language or First Additional Language level 4
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

Life Orientation

Programme code: 4BP J08

Admission Criteria:

- Home Language or First Additional Language level 4
- Life Orientation on level 4
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

Business Studies for Education

Programme code: 4BP J11

Admission Criteria:

- Home Language or First Additional Language level 4
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

Accounting for Education

Programme code: 4BP J12

Admission Criteria:

- Home Language or First Additional Language level 4
- Accounting on level 4
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

Mathematics for Education

Programme code: 4BP J14

Admission Criteria:

- Home Language or First Additional Language level 4
- Mathematics on level 5
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

Setswana for Education

Programme code: 4BP J15

Admission Criteria:

- Setswana Home language on level 4
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

Engineering Graphics and Design for Education

Programme code: 4BP J16

Admission Criteria:

- Home Language or First Additional Language level 4
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

Sesotho for Education

Programme code: 4BP J21

Admission Criteria:

- Sesotho Home Language on level 4
- Personal access to internet on a regular basis.
- Compulsory Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

Calculation of APS Score

APS Score: The results obtained in six 20 credit NSC subjects are used in computation of the APS score. Life Orientation is excluded. A Minimum score of 24 is required.

Duration: Minimum of 4 Years

Please note that, owing to specific capacity constraints, the University reserves the right to select candidates for admission to certain fields of study. This means that prospective students who comply with the minimum requirements may not necessarily be admitted to the courses in question. Because of the capacity limitations and the high demand from students for admission to particular fields of study, students will be selected on the basis of their scholastic achievements for admission to these fields.

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