

### 3.1.2.1 BEdHons (Curriculum Inquiry)

#### Specific admission requirements

- For entry into one of the discipline-focused modules (with the exception of Environmental Education):
  - If you completed a BEd degree:
    - You must have completed the relevant subject discipline as a major teaching subject up to your final year of studies.
    - If you completed your BEd degree at another institution, you must show that you completed the relevant subject discipline as a major subject according to the requirements of your chosen programme.
  - If you completed another university degree followed by a Postgraduate Certificate in Education (or similar):
    - you must have the relevant subject discipline at at least second-year level  
*and*
    - you must have completed the curriculum focus for the subject during your PGCE studies (in other words as a Teaching module).
- For entry into Environmental Education or Curriculum Change:
  - The general entry requirements for the BEdHons apply.
- Prior teaching experience is recommended but not compulsory.

## Programme content

This programme aims to familiarise you with curriculum inquiry as a field of study and to develop you within that field. The programme will provide you with a broad base for developing a better understanding of curriculum debates internationally and of the way those debates impact the South African context.

### If you enrol to complete the programme in one year:

#### Anchor module

Curriculum Inquiry	778 (120)
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#### Compulsory year modules

Curriculum Studies: Key Moments, Concepts and Debates	772 (30)
Research Project (Curriculum Inquiry)	771 (35)

#### Compulsory first-semester modules

Educational Research	711(10)
Knowing, Acting and Being: Framing the Study of Education	711(15)

#### Elective year modules

You must choose and qualify for **one** of the following modules:

Critical Issues and Debates: Curriculum Change	771 (30)
Critical Issues and Debates: Economic and Business Sciences Education	771 (30)
Critical Issues and Debates: Environmental Education	771 (30)
Critical Issues and Debates: History Education	771 (30)
Critical Issues and Debates: Mathematics Education	771 (30)
Critical Issues and Debates: Physical Education (not offered in 2023)	771 (30)
Critical Issues and Debates: Science Education	771 (30)

### If you enrol to complete this programme in two years:

#### Anchor module

Curriculum Inquiry	778 (120)
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#### First year of study

##### Compulsory year modules

Curriculum Studies: Key Moments, Concepts and Debates	772 (30)
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## Second year of study

### Compulsory year module

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### Compulsory first-semester module

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Disclaimer:

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