

Curriculum Planning: HFA01 B Ed (Intermediate Phase)

First Year of Study

1. REGISTER FOR THESE COMPULSORY COURSES:

COURSE CODE	COURSE NAME	Timetable SLOT
EDUC1248A and EDUC1249A	Education IA and Education IB	A
EDUC1269A and EDUC1270A	Becoming a Teacher A and Becoming a Teacher B	D2 (GEN)
EDUC1250A	Mathematics for Primary School Teachers I	E2 (GEN)
EDUC1251A	Literacy For Primary School Teachers I	F2 (GEN)
EDUC1275A	Social Sciences I	B
EDUC1276A	English I	C

2. REGISTER FOR TEACHING EXPERIENCE

For new B Ed first years: EDUC 1261A and EDUC1262A	Teaching Experience IA and Teaching Experience IB	GEN Semester 2
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3. COMPETENCE AND ENRICHMENT ELECTIVES

You will need to do have an endorsement on your certificate that you are ICT literate. In addition, you need one elective course during the four years of your B Ed degree. Use these questions as a guide to help you find what you should do during your first year:

3.1. Are you able to hold a conversation in one of the following languages: Sesotho, IsiZulu or South African Sign Language?

- **IF YES:** Bring documentary evidence or participate in an interview to verify your language competence and obtain an exemption certificate. Proceed to 3.2.
- **If NOT YET:** You will need to register for one of the following courses in your FIRST year of study:
 - EDUC1265A isiZulu (Conversational Competence) - Timetable Slot: D1 (GEN)
 - EDUC1266A Sesotho (Conversational Competence) - Timetable Slot: D1 (GEN)
 - EDUC1272A South African Sign Language (Conversational Competence) - Timetable Slot: D1 (GEN)
- If you have conversational competence in another official South African language, you may apply to have it acknowledged as a language you can speak. However, you are still required to study one of Sesotho, SA Sign language or isiZulu as part of your B Ed.

3.2. Do you think you have a good knowledge of how to use a computer (Internet, emails, Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint)?

- **IF YES:** Bring documentary evidence of your ICT competence or take the ICT Literacy test to verify your computer competence and obtain an exemption certificate. Proceed to 3.3.
- **IF NOT YET:** You must register for EDUC1260A ICT Literacy to get this compulsory endorsement - Timetable slot: F1 (GEN)

3.3. IF you do NOT need to register for ICT Literacy NOR a Language (Conversational competence) this year, then you may choose to do one of the following Enrichment Electives at some point in your B Ed:

- EDUC1257A Fun with Choir - Timetable Slot: D1 (GEN)
- EDUC1256A Physical Activity and Sports in School - Timetable Slot: D1 (GEN)
- EDUC1316A Learning in and through Art - on Timetable Slot: D1 (GEN)
- EDUC1317A Learning in and through Drama - Timetable Slot: D1 (GEN)

4. BEFORE YOU REGISTER ONLINE, PLAN YOUR TIMETABLE USING THIS GRID:

Timetable Slot	Course name
A1 & A2	Education IA and IB
B1 & B2	Social Science I
C1 & C2	English I
D2	Becoming a Teacher A and B
E2	Mathematics for Primary School Teachers I
F2	Literacy for Primary School Teachers I

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