

Turn your passion for learning into a rewarding career.

Become a teacher who can lead and inspire, mastering the digital tools needed to thrive in a changing educational landscape. Understand different approaches to learning and gain the ability to connect with any student. With growth for early childhood educators and primary and secondary teachers, passionate educators are in demand. La Trobe offers a wide range of education courses and diverse approaches to learning, ensuring you gain the confidence to succeed in your new career, regardless of your passion.

Our custom education degrees allow you to tailor your learning to your interests. Graduate with a unique set of skills that employers will recognise, ready to inspire the minds of the next generation. Gain valuable industry insights with courses designed in partnership with schools and communities around Victoria. Learn in our world-class facilities that offer unique opportunities to simulate the environments you'll be moving into. Receive mentoring and professional development as you gain first-hand experience in a range of institutions, including schools, childcare facilities, early learning centres and community organisations.



TOP 200 GLOBALLY

We're ranked in the world's top 200 for education and training.1



HIGH EMPLOYABILITY

84.8% of our domestic teacher education postgraduates found full-time employment within four months of graduation.2



AWARD-WINNING PROGRAMS

Our School of Education has been recognised by the AFR Higher Education Awards.3

- Quacquarelli Symonds (QS), 2025, QS World University Rankings by Subject 2025: Education & Training.
 Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT), 2024, ComparED: Teacher Education (Postgraduate).
 Australian Financial Review (AFR), 2022, AFR Higher Education Awards show universities at their creative best.
 Average percentage calculated based on Master of Teaching students graduated between 2020-2022.



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POSTGRADUATE EDUCATION AND TEACHING

MASTER DEGREES

Master of Education* MEL ONL

Master of Teaching (Primary) MEL BEN SHP A-W MIL SYD

Master of Teaching (Secondary) MEL BEN SHP A-W MIL SYD

Master of Teaching Nexus (Primary) ONL

Master of Teaching Nexus (Secondary) ONL

GRADUATE CERTIFICATES AND DIPLOMAS

Graduate Certificate in Education MEL

Graduate Certificate in Education (Language and Literacy) ONL

Graduate Certificate in Mental Health for Education ONL

Graduate Diploma in Early Childhood Education MEL ONL

Graduate Diploma in Education MEL

NEXUS TEACHING PROGRAM

If you're looking to make a career switch to teaching and have a lasting impact, La Trobe's Nexus supported degrees enable you to obtain your teaching qualification while learning the latest in best practice, building your professional network and gaining real-world experience. With the Nexus program, you'll get practical classroom experience in a diverse range of metropolitan, regional, rural and remote schools. Plus, you'll receive a paid salary, additional financial assistance and the reassurance of significant support and mentoring. As a Nexus participant, you'll graduate from the program ready for the classroom – with 94% of graduates continuing to teach after graduating.⁴

Why choose Nexus?

- Benefit from academic, financial and personal support
- Get paid to teach and study in Victoria or NSW
- Be part of a close community of practicing teachers
- Gain practical experience in economically, culturally diverse and hard-to-staff schools
- Be the catalyst for positive change and impact students that need it most

Check your eligibility

- Passion for social justice
- Undergraduate degree in a non-teaching discipline with a WAM or GPA above 65% (mandatory)**
- Knowledge in high-need areas: science, technology, engineering, mathematics, or other relevant disciplines
- Strong interpersonal skills, resilience, and commitment to becoming a high-quality teacher
- Permanent residency or Australian citizenship (mandatory)

Encouraged to apply

We encourage all eligible students to apply, particularly Indigenous applicants, those from non-English speaking backgrounds, individuals with disabilities and those from rural communities.

*The Master of Education is not an initial teacher education (ITE) course and does not lead to a Victorian Institute of Teaching (VIT) registration. If you're looking to start your career as a teacher, see our Master of Teaching (Primary) or Master of Teaching (Secondary).

**Only applicable to Nexus postgraduate degrees: Master of Teaching Primary (Nexus) and Master of Teaching Secondary (Nexus). For more information on the Bachelor of Education (Nexus), please visit the La Trobe University website.



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