

Master of Educational Leadership 8963

96 UOC - Option 1: Project Pathway



Term 1 2025 Commencing Students – 96uoc program 2-year duration Choose from available proposed courses in each year

| | Term 1 | Term 2 | Term 3 | | Term 1 | Term 2 | Term 3 |
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| Year 1 | 6 UOC Foundation Course: EDST5099 Foundation 1: University Study Skills in Education | 6 UOC Foundation Course: EDST5133 Creating Engaging Learning Environments | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective* | Year 2 | Educational Leadership Core EDST5438 Leadership Theory, Research and Practice | EDST5448 Educational Research | EDST5888 Capstone Professional Inquiry Project |
| | 6 UOC Foundation Course: EDST5100 Foundation 2: Fields of Practice in Education | 6 UOC Foundation Course: EDST5112 Learning: Psychological and Social Perspectives | Educational Leadership Core EDST5433 Organisation Theory in Education | | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective* OR 6 UOC Education Elective | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective* | 6 UOC Education Elective |
| | 6 UOC Education Elective | 6 UOC Education Elective | | | 6 UOC Education Elective | 6 UOC Education Elective | |

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- **24 UOC Foundation Courses:**
 - EDST5099 Foundation 1: University Study Skills in Education (T3)
 - EDST5100 Foundation 2: Fields of Practice in Education (T3)
 - EDST5133 Creating Engaging Learning Environments (T1)
 - EDST5112 Learning: Psychological and Social Perspectives (T1)
- **12 UOC Educational Leadership Electives - *Choose 2 x courses from:**
 - EDST5127 Coaching and Mentoring in Educational Leadership (T1)
 - EDST5308 Teacher Learning (T2)
 - EDST5608 Instructional Leadership (T2)
 - EDST5142 Education in Context (T3)
 - EDST5462 Teacher Leadership
- **12 UOC Educational Leadership Core Courses:**
 - EDST5433 Organisation Theory in Education (T2, T3)
 - EDST5438 Leadership Theory, Research and Practice (T1, T3)
- **6 UOC Research Methodology Course:** EDST5448 Educational Research (Yr 2, T1)
- **6 UOC Project:** EDST5888 Capstone Professional Inquiry Project (Final term)
- **36 UOC Education Electives: Please refer to Handbook for details and term offerings from the following list of courses**
 EDST5101, EDST5106, EDST5107, EDST5111, EDST5113, EDST5114, EDST5118, EDST5120, EDST5123, EDST5127, EDST5129, EDST5131, EDST5138, EDST5140, EDST5141, EDST5142, EDST5147, EDST5150, EDST5303, EDST5308, EDST5314, EDST5320, EDST5321, EDST5433, EDST5436, EDST5438, EDST5440, EDST5441, EDST5443, EDST5451, EDST5454, EDST5457, EDST5460, EDST5462, EDST5608, EDST5802, EDST5803, EDST5805, EDST5806, EDST5807, EDST5808

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96 UOC - Option 2: Minor Thesis



Term 1 2025 Commencing Students – 96uoc program 2-year duration Choose from available proposed courses in each year

| | Term 1 | Term 2 | Term 3 |
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| Year 1 | 6 UOC Foundation Course: EDST5099 Foundation 1: University Study Skills in Education | 6 UOC Foundation Course: EDST5133 Creating Engaging Learning Environments | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective* |
| | 6 UOC Foundation Course: EDST5100 Foundation 2: Fields of Practice in Education | 6 UOC Foundation Course: EDST5112 Learning: Psychological and Social Perspectives | Educational Leadership Core EDST5433 Organisation Theory in Education |
| | 6 UOC Education Elective | | 6 UOC Education Elective |

| | Term 1 | Term 2 | Term 3 |
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| Year 2 | EDST5448 Educational Research | EDST5889 Minor Thesis | EDST5889 Minor Thesis |
| | Educational Leadership Core EDST5438 Leadership Theory, Research and Practice | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective* | 6 UOC Education Elective |
| | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective* OR 6 UOC Education Elective | 6 UOC Education Elective | |

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- **24 UOC Foundation Courses:**
 - EDST5099 Foundation 1: University Study Skills in Education (T3)
 - EDST5100 Foundation 2: Fields of Practice in Education (T3)
 - EDST5133 Creating Engaging Learning Environments (T1)
 - EDST5112 Learning: Psychological and Social Perspectives (T1)
- **12 UOC Educational Leadership Electives - *Choose 2 x courses from:**
 - EDST5127 Coaching and Mentoring in Educational Leadership (T1)
 - EDST5308 Teacher Learning (T2)
 - EDST5608 Instructional Leadership (T2)
 - EDST5142 Education in Context (T3)
 - EDST5462 Teacher Leadership
- **12 UOC Educational Leadership Core Courses:**
 - EDST5433 Organisation Theory in Education (T2, T3)
 - EDST5438 Leadership Theory, Research and Practice (T1, T3)
- **6 UOC Research Methodology Course:** EDST5448 Educational Research (Yr 1, T3)
- **12 UOC Project:** EDST5889 Minor Thesis (course completed over final two consecutive terms - 2 x 6 UOC)
- **30 UOC Education Electives: Please refer to Handbook for details and term offerings from the following list of courses**
EDST5101, EDST5106, EDST5107, EDST5111, EDST5113, EDST5114, EDST5118, EDST5120, EDST5123, EDST5127, EDST5129, EDST5131, EDST5138, EDST5140, EDST5141, EDST5142, EDST5147, EDST5150, EDST5303, EDST5308, EDST5314, EDST5320, EDST5321, EDST5433, EDST5436, EDST5438, EDST5440, EDST5441, EDST5443, EDST5451, EDST5454, EDST5457, EDST5460, EDST5462, EDST5608, EDST5802, EDST5803, EDST5805, EDST5806, EDST5807, EDST5808

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72 UoC - Option 1: Project Pathway



Term 1 2025 Commencing Students – 72uoc program 1.7-year duration Choose from available proposed courses in each year

| | Term 1 | Term 2 | Term 3 | | Term 1 | Term 2 |
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| Year 1 | Educational Leadership Core EDST5438 Leadership Theory, Research and Practice | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective* | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective* OR 6 UOC Education Elective | Year 2 | EDST5448 Educational Research | EDST5888 Capstone Professional Inquiry Project |
| | 6 UOC Foundation Course: EDST5099 Foundation 1: University Study Skills in Education | 6 UOC Education Elective | Educational Leadership Core EDST5433 Organisation Theory in Education | | 6 UOC Education Elective | 6 UOC Education Elective |
| | 6 UOC Foundation Course: EDST5100 Foundation 2: Fields of Practice in Education | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective* | | | | |

| NOTES | Students in the 72 UOC program must complete the following course requirements. Please see Handbook for more information : https://www.handbook.unsw.edu.au/postgraduate/programs/2025/8963 |
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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12 UOC Foundation Courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EDST5099 Foundation 1: University Study Skills in Education (T3) EDST5100 Foundation 2: Fields of Practice in Education (T3) 12 UOC Educational Leadership Electives - *Choose 2 x courses from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EDST5127 Coaching and Mentoring in Educational Leadership (T1) EDST5308 Teacher Learning (T2) EDST5608 Instructional Leadership (T2) EDST5142 Education in Context (T3) EDST5462 Teacher Leadership 12 UOC Educational Leadership Core Courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EDST5433 Organisation Theory in Education (T2, T3) EDST5438 Leadership Theory, Research and Practice (T1, T3) 6 UOC Research Methodology Course: EDST5448 Educational Research (Yr 1, T3) 6 UOC Project: EDST5888 Capstone Professional Inquiry Project (Final term) 24 UOC Education Electives: Please refer to Handbook for details and term offerings from the following list of courses EDST5101, EDST5106, EDST5107, EDST5111, EDST5113, EDST5114, EDST5118, EDST5120, EDST5123, EDST5127, EDST5129, EDST5131, EDST5138, EDST5140, EDST5141, EDST5142, EDST5147, EDST5150, EDST5303, EDST5308, EDST5314, EDST5320, EDST5321, EDST5433, EDST5436, EDST5438, EDST5440, EDST5441, EDST5443, EDST5451, EDST5454, EDST5457, EDST5460, EDST5462, EDST5608, EDST5802, EDST5803, EDST5805, EDST5806, EDST5807, EDST5808 |

Information is correct as of 18.11.24 and is based on proposed prerequisites and course availability. This is to be used as a guide only and does not replace individual advice. Refer to the Handbook and Class Timetable for the relevant term to check availability for these courses. Contact The Nucleus: Student Hub for further assistance. CRICOS Provider Code 00098G

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72 UoC - Option 2: Minor Thesis



Term 1 2025 Commencing Students –72uoc program 1.7-year duration Choose from available proposed courses in each year

| | Term 1 | Term 2 | Term 3 |
|--------|---|---|--|
| Year 1 | Educational Leadership Core EDST5438 Leadership Theory, Research and Practice | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective* | EDST5448 Educational Research |
| | EDST5099 Foundation 1: University Study Skills in Education | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective* | Educational Leadership Core EDST5433 Organisation Theory in Education |
| | EDST5100 Foundation 2: Fields of Practice in Education | 6 UOC Education Elective | |

| | Term 1 | Term 2 |
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| Year 2 | EDST5889 Minor Thesis | EDST5889 Minor Thesis |
| | 6 UOC Education Elective | 6 UOC Education Elective |
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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12 UOC Foundation Courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EDST5099 Foundation 1: University Study Skills in Education (T3) EDST5100 Foundation 2: Fields of Practice in Education (T3) 12 UOC Educational Leadership Electives - *Choose 2 x courses from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EDST5127 Coaching and Mentoring in Educational Leadership (T1) EDST5308 Teacher Learning (T2) EDST5608 Instructional Leadership (T2) EDST5142 Education in Context (T3) EDST5462 Teacher Leadership 12 UOC Educational Leadership Core Courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EDST5433 Organisation Theory in Education (T2, T3) EDST5438 Leadership Theory, Research and Practice (T1, T3) 6 UOC Research Methodology Course: EDST5448 Educational Research (Yr 2, T3) 12 UOC Project: EDST5889 Minor Thesis (course completed over final two consecutive terms - 2 x 6 UOC) 18 UOC Education Electives: Please refer to Handbook for details and term offerings from the following list of courses EDST5101, EDST5106, EDST5107, EDST5111, EDST5113, EDST5114, EDST5118, EDST5120, EDST5123, EDST5127, EDST5129, EDST5131, EDST5138, EDST5140, EDST5141, EDST5142, EDST5147, EDST5150, EDST5303, EDST5308, EDST5314, EDST5320, EDST5321, EDST5433, EDST5436, EDST5438, EDST5440, EDST5441, EDST5443, EDST5451, EDST5454, EDST5457, EDST5460, EDST5462, EDST5608, EDST5802, EDST5803, EDST5805, EDST5806, EDST5807, EDST5808 |

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48 UoC - Project Pathway



Term 1 2025 Commencing Students – 48uoc program 1-year duration Choose from available proposed courses in each year

| | Term 1 | Term 2 | Term 3 |
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| Year 1 | EDST5438 Leadership Theory, Research and Practice | **EDST5448 Educational Research | **EDST5888 Capstone Professional Inquiry Project |
| | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective EDST5127* Coaching and Mentoring in Educational Leadership | 6 UOC Educational Leadership Elective EDST5308* Or EDST5608* | EDST5433 Organisation Theory in Education |
| | 6 UOC Education Elective | Educational Leadership Elective EDST5142* (T3) Or 6 UOC Education Elective (T2 or T3) | |

Students in the 48 UOC program must complete the following course requirements. Please see Handbook for more information : <https://www.handbook.unsw.edu.au/postgraduate/programs/2025/8963>

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- **12 UOC Educational Leadership Electives - *Choose 2 x courses from:**
 - EDST5127 Coaching and Mentoring in Educational Leadership (T1)
 - EDST5308 Teacher Learning (T2)
 - EDST5608 Instructional Leadership (T2)
 - EDST5142 Education in Context (T3)
 - EDST5462 Teacher Leadership
- **12 UOC Educational Leadership Core Courses:**
 - EDST5433 Organisation Theory in Education (T2, T3)
 - EDST5438 Leadership Theory, Research and Practice (T1, T3)
- **6 UOC Research Methodology Course:** EDST5448 Educational Research (Yr 2, T1)
- **6 UOC Project:** EDST5888 Capstone Professional Inquiry Project (Final term)
- **12 UOC Education Electives: Please refer to Handbook for details and term offerings from the following list of courses**
 EDST5101, EDST5106, EDST5107, EDST5111, EDST5113, EDST5114, EDST5118, EDST5120, EDST5123, EDST5127, EDST5129, EDST5131, EDST5138, EDST5140, EDST5141, EDST5142, EDST5147, EDST5150, EDST5303, EDST5308, EDST5314, EDST5320, EDST5321, EDST5433, EDST5436, EDST5438, EDST5440, EDST5441, EDST5443, EDST5451, EDST5454, EDST5457, EDST5460, EDST5462, EDST5608, EDST5802, EDST5803, EDST5805, EDST5806, EDST5807, EDST5808

****Note:** 48uoc pathway students have an option to undertake EDST5889 Minor Thesis 12uoc (2 x 6uoc over 2 terms) with Program Authority approval. Contact School education@unsw.edu.au