

Academic Year 2021/2022

Postgraduate Certificate in Educational Leadership

Code: 3073P (September start)
3077P (January start)

Notes

- (i) *These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Taught Programme Regulations.*
- (ii) *A core module is a module which a student must pass.*
- (iii) *A compulsory module is a module which a student is required to study.*
- (iv) *All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning or distance learning.*

1. Programme Structure

- (a) The programme is available for part-time study and it is specifically designed to be undertaken by students who work in an educational context.
- (b) The period of study for part-time mode shall normally be 9 months starting in September or January.
- (c) The programme comprises taught modules to a credit value of 60 credits.
- (d) Candidates shall follow one of the three modular routes as described below. Candidates on route 1 shall engage with modules described in (g) and (h). The School of Education, Communication and Language Sciences is one of ten partners of the North East Teaching Schools Partnership (NETSP) and therefore, the licence holder of the National Leadership Curriculum for Middle Leadership (NPQML), Senior Leadership (NPQSL) and Headship (NPQH) programmes. Candidates who have successfully completed the NPQML will follow the route described in (h) and those who have successfully completed the NPQSL will follow the route described in (i). Candidates who have successfully completed the NPQH will follow the route described in (j).
- (e) To be eligible for modules EDU8900, EDU8901 and EDU8902, all students must satisfy the recruitment criteria with the North East Teaching Schools Partnership.
- (f) Modules EDU8900, EDU8901 and EDU8902 can be used towards the PG Certificate in Educational Leadership. Alternatively, students already registered for a Postgraduate Certificate in Educational Leadership, MEd (Practitioner Enquiry) or MEd (Practitioner Enquiry) Leadership can apply for these modules.
- (g) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules totalling 60 credits:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
EDU8230	Investigating Leadership and Technology for Learning and Teaching	40		40		7	Core	

EDU8172	Leadership and Strategic Management	20	20			7	Core	
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- (h) All candidates who have successfully completed the National Professional Qualification for Middle Leadership (NPQML) or the new (Sept 2018) National Professional Qualification for Senior Leadership (NPSML) shall take the following modules to a value of 60 credits from the following:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
EDU8230	Investigating Leadership and Technology for Learning and Teaching	40		40		7	core	
EDU8900	NPQML Reflection on Professional Practice (September starters)	20	10	5	5	7	core	block
EDU8901	NPQSL Reflection on Professional Practice (September starters)	20	10	5	5	7	core	block
EDU8904	NPQML Reflection on Professional Practice (January starters)	20		10	10	7	core	block
EDU8905	NPQSL Reflection on Professional Practice (January starters)	20		10	10	7	core	block
EDU8110	NPQML Accreditation	20	20			7	core	block
EDU8139	NPQML Accreditation	20		20		7	core	block

- (i) All candidates who have successfully completed the old (post Sept 2018) National Professional Qualification for Senior Leadership (NPQSL) shall take the following modules to a value of 60 credits from the following:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
EDU8172	Leadership and Strategic Management	20	20			7	core	
And 40 credits from the following:								
EDU8111	NPQSL Accreditation	40	40			7	core	block
EDU8143	NPQSL Accreditation	40		40		7	core	block

- (j) All candidates who have successfully completed the new National Professional Qualification for Headship (NPQH) from September 2017 shall take the following modules to a value of 60 credits:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
EDU8172	Leadership and Strategic Management	20	20			7	core	

EDU8902	NPQH Reflection on Professional Practice (September starters)	40	20	10	10	7	core	block
EDU8906	NPQH Reflection on Professional Practice (January starters)	40		20	20	7	core	block

2. Assessment methods

Details of the assessment pattern for each module are explained in the module outline.

3. Classification

The award shall be classified as either Pass, Pass with Merit or Pass with Distinction in accordance with the Postgraduate Taught Examination Conventions.