CAREER PATHS FOR THE DEGREE

Students who have successfully completed the Bachelor of Education programme are qualified to either work as or pursue:

- Educators at all levels of the education system.
- Education Officers with the Ministry of Education
- Training Specialists in Corporate Jamaica
- School Administrators
- School Librarians

WE ARE IN THE BUSINESS OF DEVELOPMENT OF THE TEACHER-RESEARCHER

The University of the West Indies School of Education has extensive experience in teacher training. We pride ourselves on producing high quality teachers who are equipped to meet the needs of every learner. Our programmes equip our graduates with new methodologies that are supported by cutting-edge local and international research. Our academic staff are also experienced researchers in their subject areas.

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ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Scheme A  Two-Year Programme – 66 credits
5 CSEC subjects inclusive of English A or equivalent.
Diploma from a Teacher’s College.

and

Scheme B  Three-Year Programme- 90 credits
5 CSEC subjects inclusive of Mathematics and English A or equivalent.
2 CAPE subjects at least one of which must be in a professional option area.

Special Requirements
Students who are interested in doing Educational Administration must be a Senior Teacher or School Administrator.

Students who are interested in doing Special Education and Managing Learning Difficulties must have a teacher’s Diploma in Special Education.

Students who are interested in doing Primary Education and Early Childhood Education must have a teacher’s Diploma in that area.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY TEST (ELPT)
All applicants who have not achieved a Grade 1 in English A in CSEC, a Grade A in GCE O-Level English Language, a Grade 1 or 2 in CAPE Communication Studies or a Grade A in GCE General Paper, are required to take the English Language Proficiency Test (ELPT).

PROGRAMME OVERVIEW
The Bachelor of Education is a professional degree which is normally intended for practitioners in the field of education. This degree will be awarded to persons who, having satisfactorily completed the programme of study and have satisfied the examiners as set out under one of the following schemes:

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The programme prepares students to take on the challenges that are associated with educating young Jamaicans. We use current, internationally accepted methodologies and strategies to transform our students into effective classroom teachers and education systems. Over the years we have produced graduates who are leading educational change in Jamaica, the Caribbean, and the rest of the world.

PROFESSIONAL OPTIONS
A Bachelor in education degree programme is normally offered in one professional option. The professional options include:

Secondary Education (Both Scheme A and B):
- Language Education: English Education
- Mathematics Education
- Science Education
- Language Education: Modern Foreign Languages*
- Language Education: Literacy Studies
- History Education
- Social Studies/Geography Education
- Information Technology and Computer Science

Professional Specialization (Only by Scheme B):
- Educational Administration
- Special Education*
- Managing Learning Difficulties*
- Primary Education*
- School Librarianship*

*Not currently being offered

Programmes with Affiliated Institutions
Literacy Studies– Moneague

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Part-Time is not indicative that classes will be scheduled in the evenings.