Post Graduate Diploma in Education (PGDE)
eLearning Programme
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
1. Introduction

Maseno University’s PGDE programme is a professional programme that targets practising untrained graduate teachers in secondary schools who wish to professionalise their practise through a flexible online programme that allows them to train on-the-job, and only take sit-in on-campus examinations for the modules taken during a particular semester. To obtain the PGDE, a participant will take a total of 17 core modules and 2 electives. However, a participant will apply and pay for individual modules depending on their needs. This will allow for self-pacing.

2. Admission Requirements

The minimum qualifications for this programme shall be a first degree relevant to teaching subjects, or its equivalent obtained from a recognised university and an appointment to teach in a secondary level school.

3. Duration

The programme takes at least one academic year divided into three residential sessions and three schools based practicum. A candidate who may not fulfil all requirements in one year may request the Academic Board to allow him/her to complete the units missed the following year.

Note
1. The minimum number of modules required to graduate with a Post Diploma Graduate is 19.
2. Some second semester modules have prerequisite modules that must be taken in first semester
3. Students enrolled for ECT 513 Education Technology module are expected to attend a scheduled face-to-face session for Micro-teaching.
4. The student will be expected to select 2 modules in Special Methods depending on their 2 teaching subjects.

4. Examinations and Continuous Assessment

The undergraduate examination regulations of the University shall apply and in addition;
Each course shall have continuous assessment and end of session components each accounting for 50% of the total marks.

Continuous assessment consist of test during sessions and assignments to be undertaken in the field.
To Qualify for the postgraduate diploma a candidate must pass in the following:
modules/practicum

teaching practice

Mark obtained shall be translated into literal grades as follows:

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<th>Marks Obtained</th>
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<td>70% and above</td>
<td>Distinction</td>
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<td>60% - 69%</td>
<td>Credit</td>
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<td>50% - 59%</td>
<td>Pass</td>
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<td>49% and below</td>
<td>Fail</td>
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6. Unit Courses Offered-PGDE

Selection of Courses:
Students are required to register for all the core courses in each of the following sessions:

Session 1

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<th>Code Course</th>
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<td>Educational Media and Resources</td>
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Session II

EDF 511  History of Education
ECT 513  Educational Technology
EPY 512  Human Behaviour & Learning
EPY 513  Educational Test, Measurement & Evaluation
EMA 514  Planning & Economics of Education
EDF 210  Philosophy of Education
EMA 513  Environmental Education
EDU 521  Research Project

In addition, choose any TWO of the following

ECT 514  Special Methods of Teaching Mathematics
ECT 515  Special Methods in History & Government
ECT 516  Special Methods in Geography
ECT 517  Special Methods in English
ECT 518  Special Methods in Literature
ECT 519  Special Methods in Kiswahili
ECT 520  Special Methods in Economics
ECT 521  Special Methods in Religious Education
ECT 522  Special Methods in Home Science
ECT 523  Special Methods in French
ECT 524  Special Methods in Music
ECT 525  Special Methods in Biology
ECT 526  Special Methods in Chemistry
ECT 527  Special Methods in Physics
ECT 528  Special Methods in Business Studies
ECT 529  Special Methods in Secretarial Studies
ECT 530  Special Methods in Fine Art
ECT 531  Special Methods in German
ECT 532  Special Methods in Agriculture
ECT 533  Special Methods in Computer Science

Session III

ECT 533  Teaching Practice