

PRESENTERS



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WHO ARE YOU?

Please introduce yourselves in the Q&A function.

If you are a UBC student, tell us your:

- faculty and specialization/major
- year

If you are **not a UBC student**, tell us your:

- school
- faculty and specialization/major
- year





AGENDA

Presentation

Slideshow presentation



Q&A

Type your questions in the Q&A function. Questions will be answered at the end of the presentation.

Follow up

A recording of today's online info session will be posted on our website. The presentation slides will be emailed.

WHAT IS THE DUAL DEGREE?

- A pathway to complete two degrees:
 Bachelor of Education concurrently with another Bachelor degree
- A learning experience that connects students' academic studies to future careers in teaching and shaping generations to come
- An opportunity to explore the reality of teaching and gain experience earlier during university studies
- An opportunity for UBC to address teacher supply demands in shortage areas while ensuring that BC students are learning from the best teachers in those subject areas





DOES THIS PROGRAM LEAD TO JOBS?

There is currently a high need for teachers with knowledge in certain teachable subjects, and in general. The dual degree program was designed to address shortages particularly in:

- Home Economics
- Mathematics
- Music
- Physics
- Applied Sciences





WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

The dual degree option is available for UBC students whose degree and major include:

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM	PAIRS WITH:	DEGREES EARNED:
Food, Nutrition & Health	BEd Secondary: Home Economics Education	BSc (FNH) & BEd
Forest Sciences	BEd Secondary: Biological Sciences	BSFS & BEd
General Studies: Secondary Music Education	BEd Secondary: Music Education	BMus & BEd
Mathematics	BEd Secondary: Mathematics Education	BSc & BEd
Natural Resources Conservation	BEd Secondary: Biological Sciences	BSCN & BEd
Physics	BEd Secondary: Physics Education	BSc & BEd





HOW TO APPLY

- Students apply in December to January of year 2 or 3 in their home faculty program.
- Complete the application form available from the home faculty office or website.
- Complete the required personal essay (500 words).
- Arrange to meet with BEd Program Manager for the dual degree.
- See links to faculty websites: <u>teach.educ.ubc.ca/dual-degree</u>





WHAT STEPS DO I TAKE TO APPLY?

Return the signed application to the home faculty advisor for processing:

- Forestry: forestry: forestry.undergrad@ubc.ca
- Land & Food Systems: lfs.advising@ubc.ca
- Mathematics: <u>ugrad-coord@math.ubc.ca</u>
- Music: music.advisor@ubc.ca
- Physics: <u>ug-coord@phas.ubc.ca</u>

All this and more explained at teach.educ.ubc.ca/dual-degree





WHAT ARE THE ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS?

- Apply in Year 2 or Year 3 from the home faculty program.
- A minimum of a 65% academic average is required and must be maintained throughout the program.
- Availability in Summer Term 1 (late April, early May) for a school experience.
- A Criminal Record Check. Once you are admitted, you will receive a Criminal Record Check (CRC) from the UBC teacher education admissions team.





WHAT WILL THE PROGRAM LOOK LIKE?

- Dual degree studies begin in summer following Year 2 winter with your first school experience (EDUC 319). Year 3 students take a three-week school experience (EDUC 319 + 399).
- Education courses are taken in Winter Term 1 of Year 3 alongside major studies courses.
- Year 4 includes additional Education courses during Winter Term 1, then Summer
 Terms 1 & 2.
- Year 5 is made up of remaining Education courses and practicum courses.
- Refer to dual degree program described under your faculty in UBC Academic Calendar for program outlay. (Links provided at end of presentation)

A program plan is provided to you by TEO Program Coordinator Bette Shippam.





BEd PROGRAM PROGRESS SCHEDULE EXAMPLE

MATH DUAL DEGREE PROGRESS SCHEDULE

COURSE | CREDITS

Name:

Student No:

Start Date: Summer 2022 Print Date: 10/4/2022 16:14

Yr 2 W-Tm 1/2		
Yr. 2 S21-Tm 1	EDUC 319	1

Yr. 2 S21-Tm 1 EDST 401 Yr. 3 W-Tm 1

YEAR/TERM

Yr 1 W-Tm 1/2

Optional

LLED 360	3
EDUC 399	1
EDCP 442 ¹	3
EPSE 317*	3
EDUC 430	1
EDST 403	1
EDST 404	1
LLED 361	3
EPSE 317*	
EDCP 343	3
**EDUC 440	3
EDUC 450B	3
EDUC 315A	2
EPSE 308	4
EDCP 342A	3
EPSE 310B	3
EDUC 451B	3
EDUC 421D	12
	EDUC 399 EDCP 442¹ EPSE 317* EDUC 430 EDST 403 EDST 404 LLED 361 EPSE 317* EDCP 343 **EDUC 440 EDUC 450B EDUC 315A EPSE 308 EDCP 342A EPSE 310B EDUC 451B

Notes:

Note: "Greyed" Text = Courses Done Regular Text = Courses "To Do" "Yellow" Text = Courses Registered

Note: *EPSE 317 is DE in Winter or it can be taken in Y4 S on campus

> ¹EDCP 442 or 343 as 2nd required Curriculum & Pedagogy Course

² EDUC 430 may be taken prior to EDUC 421 in order to meet May convocation timeline

Note: EDUC 452 will be a special section

Credits

EDUC 452B







HOW DO I REGISTER MY COURSES?

- Students will have two eligibilities on the registration system.
- Students register for Education courses under BEDS eligibility AND register for home faculty degree courses under the appropriate eligibility (e.g. BSc)
- Where unavoidable conflicts arise a TEO program coordinator will assist in registration or modifying the schedule of Education courses.





CAN I CHANGE MY MIND?

The answer is YES.

- Students may discontinue the dual degree option by withdrawing from the BEd program and then proceed with completing requirements for Bachelor degree major in the home faculty.
- Students who do not complete the dual degree option can finish the first degree and apply to the BEd program later as a post-degree program.





WHAT KIND OF SUPPORT IS AVAILABLE?

- Students have a faculty academic advisor and a TEO program coordinator.
- Students meet with their advisors regarding course completion for each degree program.
- Students confirm graduation eligibility in the academic major during Year 5 Winter Term 2.
- The BEd program coordinator will review BEd requirements.
- Students graduate from both programs at the same time even if home faculty requirements are completed sooner.





WHY CHOOSE THE DUAL DEGREE?

TIME:

- Required to take fewer courses in Year 5 allows more flexibility
- Opportunity to reflect on meaningful learning between programs
- Credits & completion time saved due to less credits required in each program
- Earlier graduation (May) compared to the four-year plus one-year programs (November)
- Earlier teacher certification for hiring into teaching positions

TUITION:

 Reduced number of credits compared to the four-year Bachelor plus oneyear post-degree Bachelor of Education = less tuition fees





WHO ELSE CAN I TALK TO IN EDUCATION?

Science Education (Physics, Biological Sciences specializations):

Dr. Sandra Scott, <u>sandra.scott@ubc.ca</u>



Home Economics Education:

Dr. Kerry Renwick, <u>kerry.renwick@ubc.ca</u>

Music Education:

Dr. Karen Lee, kvlee@mail.ubc.ca

Mathematics Education:

Dr. Cynthia Nicol cynthia.nicol@ubc.ca

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

Dual Degree Programs in Education

Academic Calendar Links for each Dual Degree BEd + available:

Dual Degree Program in Food, Nutrition and Health and Education

http://www.calendar.ubc.ca/vancouver/index.cfm?tree=12,194,261,1503



Dual Degree Program in Mathematics and Education

http://www.calendar.ubc.ca/vancouver/index.cfm?tree=12,215,410,429

Dual Degree Program in Physics and Education

http://www.calendar.ubc.ca/vancouver/index.cfm?tree=12,215,410,434

Admission Average:

Must maintain during both programs: 65% minimum

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http://www.calendar.ubc.ca/vancouver/index.cfm?tree=12,210,381,364#19351



http://www.calendar.ubc.ca/vancouver/index.cfm?tree=12,203,330,1639

Dual Degree Program in Natural Resources Conservation and Education

http://www.calendar.ubc.ca/vancouver/index.cfm?tree=12,203,418,1648

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