



Bachelor of Education – Teaching Adolescents Self-Assessment Form

The Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) degree is a generalist program where teacher candidates learn through exposure to a variety of pedagogies and through extended practicum and field experiences. Students can apply to one or both pathways of the program: Teaching Children and Teaching Adolescents. Once enrolled, teacher candidates will be able to specialize their studies through elective courses during the Summer Institute and through their selection of an alternate field experience.

To be eligible for admission to the B.Ed. degree, all students must have completed the following admission requirements. Please review the “Guide to Completing the Bachelor of Education Self-Assessment Form” found on the [Bachelor of Education webpage](#) before completing this form.

General Admission Requirements	Completed	In Progress
<p>A four-year (minimum 120-credit) bachelor’s degree (or equivalent) Note: Degree must be granted from an accredited post-secondary institution. If your degree is in progress, indicate your expected graduation date.</p>		
<p>6 credits of English Literature and Composition Note: A minimum average of 65% is required and a minimum of 3 of the 6 credits must be English literature. The 6 credits of English literature and composition may be satisfied with coursework at the 100, 200, 300, and/or 400 level. Courses in creative writing, technical or business writing, or communication are not acceptable. Please indicate your final grade for completed courses.</p>		
<p>3 credits of Canadian Studies Note: The BC Teachers’ Council defines Canadian content as the following: “The focus of a Canadian Studies course must be on understanding the Canadian experience. The Canadian content must be central to the conceptual thesis of the course rather than existing only in exemplar supporting concepts of another academic discipline”.</p>		
<p>3 credits of Laboratory Science Note: Lab science courses are normally selected from the following: Astronomy, Biology/Human Anatomy and Physiology, Chemistry, Earth and Environmental Science, Physical Geography, and Physics. A 3-credit lab science is typically scheduled for three hours of lecture and two or three hours of lab per week.</p>		
<p>3 credits of Mathematics Note: Statistics, Business Math, and Mathematical Reasoning courses are generally not acceptable.</p>		

Teachable Subject Area:

Teaching Adolescents Requirements	Completed	In Progress
<p>24 credits of academic coursework in one of the following teachable subject areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biology • Chemistry • English • Environmental Science • French¹ • General Science² • Geography • History • Indigenous Studies • Mathematics • Music³ • Physical Education • Physics • Social Studies⁴ • Theatre³ • Visual Art³ 		
<p>¹ If your teachable subject area is French, you must also successfully complete the oral and written French Language Competency Test to the level specific for French as a second language. Please see the Teaching French admission requirements on the website.</p>		

² If your teachable subject area is **General Science**, the 24 credits of academic coursework can be from a combination of **Biology Chemistry, and/or Physics** (other science courses may be included upon approval).

³ If your teachable subject area is **Music, Theatre, or Visual Art** at least 6 of the 24 credits of academic coursework must be studies in theory (i.e., non-studio coursework).

⁴ If your teachable subject area is **Social Studies (Anthropology, Economics, Geography, History, Political Science, or Sociology)** the 24 credits of academic coursework must include the following:

- 3 credits of Canadian Studies (the course used above to meet the program’s general requirement for 3 credits of Canadian Studies, can be used again here to meet this Social Studies requirement)
- 3 credits of Geography
- 3 credits of History
- 15 credits of academic coursework in one or a combination of the social studies disciplines

It is strongly recommended that applicants to the Teaching Adolescents pathway have academic preparation in two teachable subjects.

Second Teachable Subject (if applicable):

Teaching Adolescents Requirements	Completed	In Progress
<p>24 credits of academic coursework in one of the following teachable subject areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biology • Chemistry • English • Environmental Science • French¹ • General Science² • Geography • History • Indigenous Studies • Mathematics • Music³ • Physical Education • Physics • Social Studies⁴ • Theatre³ • Visual Art³ 		

¹ If your teachable subject area is **French**, you must also successfully complete the oral and written French Language Competency Test to the level specific for French as a second language. Please see the Teaching French admission requirements on the [website](#).

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Submission Instructions

1. Log into your [UBC Student Service Centre](#) (SSC)
2. Hover over the “Admissions” tab and select either “Admission Status” or “Document Upload”
3. Upload your B.Ed. Self-Assessment Form*
 - a. If you have applied to both the Teaching Children and Teaching Adolescents pathways, please ensure that you upload the correct Self-Assessment Form to the corresponding pathway.

*Note: You must have a submitted application to the UBC Okanagan B.Ed. program in order for the document upload to be available.