POSTGRADUATE

Education
Develop your leadership and management skills.

The Master of Education (Leadership and Management) is an ideal course for professionals aspiring to become leaders in a range of educational organisations, locally and internationally.

**WHAT YOU’LL STUDY**
Units are drawn from the School of Education and the School of Business, providing professionals with comprehensive skills, knowledge and competencies to lead teaching and learning as well as lead organisations in an ever-changing business climate. A capstone unit provides students with the opportunity to apply their knowledge and skills to solve a real-world education business management problem through action-learning. Focusing on theory and practice, the course has significant application to the workplace.

More information on course structure and units is available in the online University Handbook. Visit westernsydney.edu.au/handbook

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**
Postgraduate education studies enable career development for leadership and management roles in early childhood, primary or secondary contexts within the public or private system, as well as adult and vocational education, and professional training and development. This program is not an initial teaching qualification.
**MASTER OF EDUCATION (LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT)**

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**Admission**

Applicants for admission into the Master of Education (Leadership and Management) must have successfully completed a postgraduate (Level 8) qualification or higher, in teaching/education, political science, policy studies, business studies, health, human welfare studies and services, or behavioural science.

**OR**

A bachelor qualification (Level 7) plus 3 years full-time of professional work experience in the fields of teaching/education, political science, policy studies, business studies, human welfare studies and services, or behavioural science.

Applicants seeking admission on the basis of work experience need to support their application with a Statement of Service.

A Graduate Certificate Education (Leadership and Management) is available as an exit only course.

**Special Requirements**

Students must satisfactorily complete Working with Children Check Student Declaration upon enrolment.

*The education units in this course are offered at Penrith campus and the business units are offered at the Parramatta City campus. Students will be required to travel between campuses in order to complete this course.*

*The data above is partially redacted for security reasons.*
Advancing the quality of life and learning outcomes for individuals with additional needs requires specialists who not only hold the necessary knowledge, but possess skills and dispositions to work in a manner that builds the capacity of individuals with additional needs, their families and those working with them. Our program is designed to bolster professionals’ knowledge and skills to support students with additional learning needs and disabilities across their lifespan.

**WHAT YOU’LL STUDY**

The Master of Inclusive Education considers individuals with a range of disabilities and needs across the lifespan. It qualifies teachers to work with individuals with additional needs across a range of settings (early childhood, primary, secondary, post-school). As well as studying selected units, the course includes a teaching practicum with students with additional needs, and the construction and completion of a research project.

Some of the units you may study are:

- Inclusive Environments
- Person Centred Practice
- Technology Assisting Learning
- Managing Challenging and Diverse Behaviour
- Assessing to Support Learning
- Universal Design for Learning

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**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

The Master of Inclusive Education is recognised as a post-initial teaching qualification in inclusive/special education (for example, teachers who are qualified to teach in either primary or secondary and then complete the Master of Inclusive Education are recognised as special education teachers for K-12 by the NSW Department of Education and Communities). The Inclusive Education qualification of early childhood and adult education teachers working in the disability field is subject to recognition by their employers.
MASTER OF INCLUSIVE EDUCATION

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<td>Students may be eligible for four units of advanced standing which reduces the course to one year full-time or two years part-time.</td>
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You’ve come a long way. Go further.

Located in the heart of one of Australia’s fastest growing economic regions, Western Sydney University offers unlimited potential to students with the drive, ambition and will to succeed.

Ranked amongst the top two per cent of universities on the globe, Western Sydney is a world-class university with a growing international reach and reputation for academic excellence and impact-driven research.

To take your career to the next level, you need more than classrooms, more than theory. That’s why we offer a combination of on campus learning environments, with real-life, on-the-ground, hands-on opportunities for skill development in professional and community settings. We value academic excellence, integrity and the pursuit of knowledge.

We equip our students with the means to do more than just advance their careers. We are unlocking the potential of the next generation of global citizens, leaders and change-makers.

HOW TO APPLY
International students apply direct to Western Sydney University, westernsydney.edu.au/international/apply

Applicants must meet minimum academic entry and English proficiency requirements. westernsydney.edu.au/international/entryrequirements

International students are also required to have genuine access to sufficient funds while studying in Australia. Funds should be sufficient to contribute to the cost of travel, tuition, school costs for any dependants, and living costs. westernsydney.edu.au/international/fees

FURTHER INFORMATION
For further details about courses, including course structure, unit descriptions, work placement requirements (if applicable), visit handbook.westernsydney.edu.au

For information about studying at Western Sydney University, including assessment methods, course progression and attendance requirements, accommodation options, working and living in Australia, visit westernsydney.edu.au/studyandlife

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