

# Bachelor of Science / Bachelor of Education (Secondary) (BSc/BEd(Sec))

## 1 Definitions

**BSc major** means a prescribed combination of 16 units from the major section of the BSc course list;

**BSc minor** means a prescribed combination of 8 units from the minor section of the BSc course list;

*professional year* means the final 16 units of the BEd(Sec) component of the dual program, comprising professional year core courses and professional year curriculum studies courses;

*UQ minor* means a prescribed combination of 8 units from the UQ minor section of the BSc course list.

## 2 **Program requirements**

- (1) To complete the program, a student must complete 64 units, comprising—
  - (a) 32 units from the BSc course list, with a minimum of 10 units of courses at level 3 or higher, comprising—
    - (i) 4 units for core courses, and
    - (ii) 16 units for a BSc major, and
    - (iii) 8 units for a BSc minor, and
    - (iv) 4 units from the BSc course list (excluding courses in the UQ minors list).
  - (b) 32 units from the BEd(Sec) course list, comprising—
    - (i) 16 units for core courses, and
    - (ii) 8 units for professional year courses, and
    - (iii) 8 units from the professional year curriculum studies courses.
- (2) The major and minor undertaken in rules 2(1)(a)(ii) and (iii) must be in distinct teaching areas that correspond to two professional year curriculum studies courses in the BEd(Sec) course list.
- (3) Unless a different intention appears in these rules, a student must comply with the program rules for both constituent degrees.

## 3 Special rules

## 3.1 Course pre-enrolment approval

Course pre-enrolment approval is required for BEd(Sec) courses.

### 3.2 Progression through program

- (1) A student must complete the requirements of the BSc and core courses from the BEd(Sec) before enrolling in professional year courses from the BEd(Sec) course list.
- (2) Students must undertake the professional year on a full-time basis, commencing in Semester 1 only.

## 3.3 Blue card

At the start of the program, a student must obtain a blue card and thereafter hold a current blue card for the duration of the program.

#### 3.4 LANTITE test

Prior to graduation, a student must successfully complete the Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education Students (LANTITE).

## **3.5** Award of the Bachelor of Science and the Bachelor of Learning Studies (Secondary)

- (1) A student who meets all program requirements for the BSc/BEd(Sec) under rule 2 but does not meet the LANTITE test requirement under rule 3.4 may be awarded the Bachelor of Science and the Bachelor of Learning Studies (Secondary).
- (2) The Bachelor of Learning Studies (Secondary) is not approved for teacher registration in Australia.

## 3.6 Transitional

A student enrolled in the Bachelor of Science / Bachelor of Education (Secondary) (2110) may be permitted to enrol in this program.