

Post Graduate Certificate in Education (PCGE)



1 Intro

The PGCE Senior Phase (SP) and Further Education and Training Teaching (FET) accredits a professional teaching programme that 'caps' an undergraduate degree or an approved diploma. It offers entry-level initial professional preparation for undergraduate degree or diploma holders who wish to develop focused knowledge and skills as classroom teachers in one chosen subject in the SP and one chosen subject in the FET phase.

The programme will build on subject knowledge content, together with the principles, practices and methods of teaching, and workplace experience, to enable successful beginner teachers to implement the National Curriculum Statements.

2 Programme facts

This distance based learning programme offer students excellent, quality education, without the need to attend venue-based classes. On registration, distance-learning students receive access to our partners state-of-the-art virtual learning environment. On this platform, the student has access to all learning materials, including a detailed plan for the semester/year, indicating all the learning and assessment activities. Throughout the learning journey, academic support is only a click away.

3 How to apply

Fill out the Academy online Jotform by clicking: bit.ly/pgce-programme-application. This will take you to our application portal.



4 Funding and Finance

There are 4 options for funding and finances:

1. Self Funding

Payment or part-payment to be effected by yourself. The Academy requires some self-payment for all programmes run.

2. Interest Free loans

South Africa has two Jewish interest-free loan providers - the Rambam Trust and JFLA (Jewish Free Loans Association). Both organisations have earmarked funds for Higher Education but are limited in nature.

3. Employer support

Your employer may be sponsoring some portion of your study fees.

4. Future Fund

If you wish to apply to the Future Fund, please fill in the additional Future Fund Application Form. Please note this is a bursary fund and disbursement is not guaranteed. Contact accounts@theacademy.org.za for the form.

5 Support

We offer:

- Access to digital and print texts
- Access to mentors and our professional staff for guidance
- Symposia and workshops
- Skills programming specific to the needs of students - e.g. Academic Writing Courses and time management.
- South Africa-centric educational knowledge/literacy (legal, pedagogic, historic and others)



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