

# Bachelor of Education - Secondary

The Bachelor of Education - Secondary program is a highly sought after professional program. Applicants should ensure that they meet and wherever possible surpass the basic pre-requisites or co-requisites for this program.

## Admission requirements

<b>Undergraduate degree</b>	Bachelor's degree
<b>Grades</b>	Normally, the grade standard for the B.Ed. Program is a "B". However, the Mount does not simply select the students with the highest undergraduate marks; rather, marks are one indicator of academic success in post-graduate professional study.
<b>Undergraduate Course Work</b>	<p>The Mount offers curriculum methods courses in eight teachable fields: Business Education, English, Family Studies, French, Math, Science, Social Studies and Visual Arts. Teachable fields are made up of specific disciplines. Applicants will need to identify a first and second teachable field and complete a minimum number of undergraduate credit course hours in a <b>single</b> discipline within each field. Applicants may not choose the same teachable field for both requirements.</p> <p>First Teachable Field: minimum of 5.0 units (30 credit hours) in a single discipline.</p> <p>Second Teachable Field: minimum of 3.0 units (18 credit hours) in a single discipline.</p> <p>See Reverse for Complete List of Teachable Fields and Disciplines</p>
<b>Undergraduate Requirement</b>	Applicants completing the final year of an undergraduate degree may apply. If accepted, the undergraduate degree must be completed before beginning the Bachelor of Education Program.
<b>Conditional Acceptance</b>	Applicants who are missing some of the required undergraduate course work may be considered for conditional acceptance providing the course work is completed by a deadline(s) determined by the Faculty of Education.
<b>Experience</b>	Applicants should have experience working/volunteering with adolescents in schools or other public, institutional or group settings.
<b>Required Records Checks</b>	Applicants who are admitted to the program will be required to submit completed criminal records, with the vulnerable sector, and child abuse registry checks by a deadline date that will be provided by the Faculty of Education.

See reverse for other important information.

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**Teachable Fields and Disciplines**

- **Business Education:** course work must be a combination from among Business Administration, Commerce, Marketing, Accounting, Finance, Organizational Behaviour and Secretarial Arts.
- **English:** Discipline - English
- **Family Studies:** course work must be a combination of any two of the following three key theme areas: Family Studies, Nutrition and Consumer Studies (**Applicants should contact the Faculty of Education before applying to this teachable field**).
- **French:** Discipline - French  
(Applicants are expected to be competent in reading, writing, listening and speaking. Students will complete a practicum in a French Immersion class setting in year 1 and/or 2 of the program)
- **Mathematics:** Discipline - Mathematics
- **Science:** Disciplines - Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Studies, Geology/Earth Sciences, Oceanography, Physics
- **Social Studies:** Disciplines - Acadian Studies, African Canadian Studies, Classics, Economics, Geography, History, Law, Mi'kmaq Studies, Political Science, Sociology
- **Visual Arts:** Course work should include painting, ceramics, drawing, pottery, and/or sculpture, printmaking and photography.

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**B.Ed. Application Process**

Submit the initial on-line university B.Ed. application; download and print the B.Ed. Supplementary Information Package. Follow the instructions provided and submit the required documents to the University Admissions Office.

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**Academic Advising on Admissions Requirements**

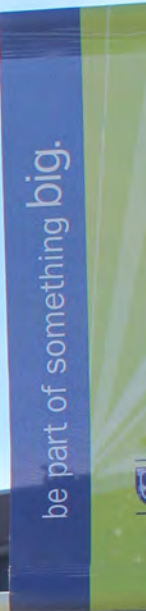
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