

Summary Information

Module Code	5202EDSTUD
Formal Module Title	Schools and the Curriculum
Owning School	Education
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 5
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Education

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	20
Seminar	20

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
SEP-CTY	CTY	September	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	To enable students to learn about schools, the remit and role of teachers and the key issues in contemporary compulsory education.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Analyse current debates and controversies surrounding schools in the UK
MLO2	2	Reflect on the role of teachers in contemporary society
MLO3	3	Apply key theories and approaches about learning and teaching in schools

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	School systems in the UK The changing nature of the teaching profession Pedagogic theory and pedagogical approaches Identity and professionalism in primary and secondary education The training and continuing professional development of teachers School leadership and governance Changes and developments in the National Curriculum for primary and secondary schools Curriculum controversies, e.g. the role and status of religious education in schools, the inclusion of sex education in primary schools, the squeezing out of creativity in the curriculum and responses to this
Module Overview	This module enables you to learn about schools, the remit and role of the teachers, and key issues in contemporary compulsory education. Learning activities will allow you to apply your knowledge and skills in the study of education to contemporary issues in schools, including those relating to the curriculum, learning and teaching, and the controversial issues surrounding schools and society.
Additional Information	Learning activities will allow students to apply their knowledge and skills in the study of education to contemporary issues in primary and schools, including those relating to the curriculum, learning and teaching and the controversial issues surrounding schools and society. Opportunities for group and individual tutorials are embedded in this module

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Presentation	Group Presentation 20 mins	50	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3
Essay	Essay 2500 words	50	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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Peter Wood	Yes	N/A
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Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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