

Position Title	Lecturer (Teacher Education - Primary English, curriculum and pedagogy)
Classification	Level B [Teaching]
School/Division	Graduate School of Education
Centre/Section	
Supervisor Title	Dean and Head of School of Education
Supervisor Position Number	303055
Position Number	FSR

Your work area

Education has been a keystone of the University of Western Australia for 100 years. Today, the Graduate School of Education maintains a tradition of excellence while taking on the challenges of developing educational practices for both global and local needs. The School attracts the highest quality academic, research and professional staff who work collaboratively with talented educators to positively impact on the lives of young people and lifelong learners. The Graduate School of Education has an ambitious strategic plan that identifies excellence in research, innovative teaching and learning practices as well as external engagement as central to its vibrancy, growth and sustainability. To achieve these goals a workforce that is future-focused, able to respond to new pedagogies, contribute to our research profile, and strengthen our reputation further is vital.

Reporting structure

Reports to: Dean and Head of School

Your role

This teaching focused position will contribute to excellence in teaching, learning design, and curriculum innovation in Teacher Education. You will undertake independent teaching, contribute to a range of teaching and curriculum innovations, support the student experience, and undertake unit and course co-ordination duties as required.

Key responsibilities will include contributing to an innovative Initial Teacher Education program, with a specific expertise in English curriculum and pedagogy (Primary). It is expected that staff contribute to internal and external University and School activities, including teaching at our Albany campus.

Your key responsibilities

Contributes to outstanding teaching and learning outcomes

Contribute to the delivery of a world-class innovative teaching at undergraduate and/or postgraduate level specialising in primary English curriculum and pedagogy.

Contribute to the development of undergraduate and/or postgraduate curricula to ensure an excellent student experience.

Contribute to the teaching of other units across the Initial Teacher Education courses.

Contribute to Unit and/or Course Co-ordination.

Co-supervise postgraduate students.

Attract and recruit quality postgraduate students.

Support the implementation of best practice assessment of student learning outcomes at unit and course level.

Contributes to outstanding teaching and learning outcomes

Enhance the reputation of the School and University by producing publications in peer reviewed journals and/or on the scholarship of learning and teaching.

Participate in externally funded research, including research on the scholarship of learning and teaching.

Service and Engagement

Act to embed UWA's core values of openness, honesty, tolerance, fairness, and responsibility in all aspects of work.

Make a positive contribution to the collegial life within the School.

Work within the legislative requirements of the University and promote the University's commitment to inclusion and diversity.

Attend School and University meetings as required and seek out opportunities to expand the School's reputation within and beyond the University.

Develop links with a range of industry stakeholders to advance teaching programs and the student experience.

Contribute to community engagement by building strong working relationships with a range of stakeholders including schools.

Undertake administrative duties as required in relation to teaching and research activities.

Perform other duties as directed by the Head of School.

Your specific work capabilities (selection criteria)

Qualification and/or certifications

Preferably, a completed doctorate and/or substantive progress towards the completion of a doctorate in the field of Education or closely related discipline.

Teaching and learning

Demonstrated commitment to delivering innovative teaching approaches, assessment and materials for units and courses in higher education.

Demonstrated record of teaching in higher education, including initial teacher education and/or recent professional practice as an educator in primary school settings.

Demonstrated knowledge of the Australia and Western Australian curriculum.

Evidence of a commitment to designing and promoting innovative use of technology in delivering teaching and assessment.

An emerging profile of teaching excellence evidenced by contributions to high quality teaching and learning activities, including the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning.

Evidence of capacity to supervise masters and /or honours students.

Demonstrated willingness to work collaboratively with others across teaching and learning activities.

Demonstrated commitment to inclusion and diversity to extend equality of opportunity for all learners.

Engagement/ Service

Commitment to embedding UWA's core values of openness, honesty, tolerance, fairness and responsibility in all aspects of work.

Demonstrated ability to relate well to staff and students at all levels and evidence of a commitment to equity and diversity principles.

Demonstrated or emerging record of engagement across the educator sector.

Ability to positively contribute to team, School and wider University activities such as team and school meetings.

Active engagement in the life of the School.

Commitment to actively supporting outreach activities for the University (school liaison, open days etc).

Special requirements (selection criteria)

Preferably experience working in a primary school setting in an Australian context.

Occasional travel to our Albany campus may be required

Current Working with Children Check

Current National Police Clearance Certificate

Compliance

Ensure you are aware of and comply with legislation and University policy relevant to the duties undertaken, including:

The University's Code of Conduct hr.uwa.edu.au/policies/policies/conduct/code/conduct

Inclusion and Diversity web.uwa.edu.au/inclusion-diversity

Safety, health and wellbeing safety.uwa.edu.au/