

#### Faculty o

#### **Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Education in Language Education – English (6066)**

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## **Today's Presentation**





- Overview of the Programme
- Students' Voices

#### Admissions

### https://web.edu.hku.hk/programme/babed\_6066

## **Choice and Flexibility**



| BABEd (English) Degree<br>Components              | Credit<br>Units:<br>300 |
|---|-------------------------|
| Major in English Language and<br>Linguistics (BA) | 78                      |
| Common Core courses                               | 24                      |
| Electives   | 60                      |

- Opportunities to explore a wide range of aspects of language, linguistics and literature through BA
- Huge variety of free Electives and Common Core courses
- Opportunity to declare a Minor

### **Breadth and Depth**



| BABEd (English) Degree<br>Components        | Credit<br>Units:<br>300 |
|---|-------------------------|
| Professional Core Courses<br>(BEd)          |                         |
| Professional Practicum                      | 120                     |
| External Experiences:<br>Overseas Immersion |                         |

- In-depth exploration of a wide range of current issues and concepts related to language teaching and learning and education
- Integration of theory and classroom practice
- Opportunity to undertake a dissertation

## **BEd: Professional Practicums**







 20 weeks of teaching (increased from 18) in Years 4 & 5 in Primary and Secondary schools

 Qualified to register as a primary <u>and</u> secondary English language teacher with EDB upon graduation

# Why the Faculty of Education at HKU?









#### BEd Learning Experiences: A Learning Community







- Classes of around 30 students
- Interactive and collaborative learning
   environment
- Supportive learning environment with attention to individual students
- Learning with and from peers
- Continuity of tutors across courses and years

| Is this the right programme for you?                      | Faculty of <b>Education</b><br>The University of Hong Kong |
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| Common Core courses                                       | 24   |
| Language Enhancement courses                              | 18   |
| Faculty of Education's English Language Proficiency Tests | 0  |
| Total   | 300  |

### Two Different Routes into Becoming a Qualified English Language Teacher



 Relevant undergraduate qualification eg BA
 + Postgraduate Diploma in Education (PGDE)

• OR

2. BABEd in English Language Education

- Some Advantages of doing the BABEd at HKU
- Integration knowledge from BA and BEd courses
- 20 weeks vs 8 weeks of Professional Practicum
- Qualified to teach in both Primary and Secondary schools
- Greater depth and breadth in a 5 year double degree programme vs 1 year PGDE

Ready to enter the profession upon graduation



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# **STUDENTS' VOICES**



### Chan Nok Yin **Ronny**

# Year 3

#### Wang Yaxuan Crystal



#### Cheung Hin Ki Miracle





#### Mo Yui Chit Nicholas



Lee Wing Sum Alex



# OPPORTUNITIES BEYOND GRADUATION

#### English Language Teaching in HK Schools



| • | Teaching Career<br>Structure          |  |
|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| • | Graduated<br>Master (GM)              |  |
| • | Senior<br>Graduated -<br>Master (SGM) |  |
| • | Principal                             |  |

Source: HKPTU <u>https://www.hkptu.org/rights/salary</u> Effective date: April 1, 2019

| 不同時期入職薪級點              | 中學學位教師       | 薪級點 | 現行薪酬<br>(2019年4月1日起) |
|------------------------|--------------|-----|----------------------|
| 2000年3月31日或以前入職        |              | 49  | 135,470              |
| 2007年8月1日至2010年9月30日入職 | 一級校長         | 48  | 130,760              |
| 2000年4月1日至2007年7月31日入職 |              | 47  | 126,220              |
| 2010年10月1日或以後入職        | Pr. I        | 46  | 121,790              |
|                        |              | 45  | 117,580              |
| 小學學位教師                 | <b>†</b> .   | 44  | 110,170              |
|                        | 二級校長         | 43  | 106,340              |
|                        | Pr. II       | 42  | 101,965              |
|                        |              | 41  | 97,745               |
| *一級小學校長                | ↓ 首席學位<br>教師 | 40  | 93,710               |
| HMI ↑                  | PGM          | 39  | 89,845               |
|                        |              | 38  | 85,870               |
| "二級小學校長                | 高級學位教師       | 37  | 82,105               |
| HM II                  | SGM          | 36  | 78,385               |
| ▲ *高級小學<br>學位教師        | 0.0111       | 35  | 75,265               |
| #212.900#     SPSM     |              | 34  | 74,515               |
|                        |              | 33  | 73,775               |
| 小學學位教師                 |              | 32  | 70,465               |
| PSM                    |              | 31  | 67,295               |
|                        |              | 30  | 64,270               |
|                        |              | 29  | 61,415               |
|                        |              | 28  | 58,635               |
|                        |              | 27  | 55,995               |
|                        |              | 26  | 53,500               |
| 助理小學學位教師               | 學位教師         | 25  | 51,095               |
| APSM                   | GM           | 24  | 48,860               |
|                        | •            | 23  | 46,655               |
|                        |              | 22* | 44,555               |
|                        |              | 21  | 42,545               |
|                        |              | 20* | 40,515               |
|                        |              |     | 38,595               |
|                        |              |     | 36,765               |
|                        |              |     | 35,040               |
|                        |              |     | 33,350               |
|                        |              |     | 31,750               |
|                        |              |     | 30,235               |
|                        |              | 10  | 28,780               |
|                        |              | 12  | 27,145               |
|                        |              |     |                      |
|                        |              | 4   | 16,565               |





#### Civil Service

- Other: eg Human resources, administration, media and journalism, arts & culture, law, management etc.
- Postgraduate Study / Research



# **Decision-Making**









# Why apply for the BABEd in Language Education (English) at HKU?



#### I want to go to HKU.

I want to do an extra year so I can get a double degree.

My parents want me to do the course.

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## **Holistic Evaluation**





#### • Academic excellence

- Inquiring and critical minds
- Interest and proficiency in English Language and Linguistics
- Genuine interest in Education and English Language Teaching
- Your interests and experiences beyond school







| HIGH  |  |
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|       | 19   |











#### BA&BEd(LangEd)-English (6066) Admission Requirements



- Applicants can apply through the JUPAS or non-JUPAS schemes. Please visit the University's website for details. Selected applicants will be invited for an individual interview.
- The following applicants will have a higher chance of being admitted:
  - Applicants with good academic results, especially in English (and also in Liberal studies for applicants with HKDSE qualification)
  - > Applicants with outstanding interview performance
  - Applicants with teaching-related work experience

#### BA&BEd(LangEd)-English Special requirements for admissions



- Applicants are required to include their personal statement and to enter details about their other learning experiences or extra curricular activities, where appropriate.
- Applicants are encouraged to select the BA&BEd(LangEd)-English programme in Band A (for JUPAS) or first choice (for Non-JUPAS)

#### BA&BEd(LangEd)-English For more information



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