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Programme Area: Education, Health and Lifelong  
learning (EDHaLL)

BA (Hons)  
Education Studies and Sport

## Joint Programme Specification

This document provides a concise summary of the main features of the course(s) & associated award(s) offered through this Programme Specification and includes the learning outcomes that a typical student might reasonably be expected to achieve and demonstrate if s/he takes full advantage of the learning opportunities provided. More detailed information on the learning outcomes, curriculum content, teaching/learning, assessment methods for each module and on the Programme's relationship to QAA Subject Benchmark Statements may be found in the dedicated student handbook for the Programme. The accuracy of the information in this document is reviewed periodically by the University and may be subject to review by the Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education or by other national bodies.

## Versioning of Programme Specification

*This programme specification is valid for the period of approval confirmed at the time of the approval/last review event and relates to provision approved at that point. Programme specifications may be updated during the period of approval to include modifications approved through the University's quality assurance processes.*

*This version provides a description of the programme as approved for the academic session(s) indicated in section 3 of the following table.*

<b>1</b>	<b>BGU approval – date and outcome of last approval</b>	<b>28 March 2022</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Next Scheduled Review Date: [Month/Year]</b>	March 2028 <b>Foundation Year &amp; Combined Honours</b> Curriculum specifically attached to this programme specification will be reviewed at the same time.
<b>3</b>	<b>Programme Specification - Effective date: [Day/Month/Year]</b>	BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sport: 01 September 2023
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## Modifications to Programme Specification

*Modifications to the programme specification since approval/ last review, and the cohort(s) of students affected by the change, are listed in Section H (Log of Modifications) at the back of the document.*

## Cross Referencing of Programme/Module Specifications

*Modifications to any elements of Module Specifications attached to this Programme will be updated and then changes made to this document to reflect that. On each Module Spec the Programmes it relates to are clearly indicated for cross referencing.*



# Programme Specification

*The information in this document is organised into the following sections:*

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## SECTION A – ADMINISTRATIVE AND REGULATORY INFORMATION

<b>1</b>	<b>Programme Specification Title</b>
BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sport	
<b>1a</b>	<b>Programme Code</b>
BAEDSP01F22	
<b>2</b>	<b>Brief Summary of Joint Programme</b>
<p>The BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sport joint programme provides students the opportunity to engage in study that offers a balanced range of modules from both disciplines. In undertaking a joint programme, students can develop in-depth knowledge and understanding which reflects your passion and interests in the chosen subjects. The joint honours degree may expand career options and lead to a broader range of transferable skills.</p> <p>The Education Studies degree enables students to develop a critical understanding of Education, in its widest sense. The programme combines the study of policy, pedagogy and practice to provide students with a flexible set of transferable skills appropriate to careers in teaching, training, social work and education in alternative settings such as museums and outdoor learning centres. The programme enables students to explore international, contemporary and historical thinking about education, its purpose, organisation and delivery. Students develop independent research skills and research-informed perspectives on learning and teaching in a wide range of contexts. Opportunities for placement in a range of education related settings are available across all three years of the degree. The Education Studies and Sport degree can be further personalised through optional modules in Years Two and Three of the programme.</p> <p>The Sport joint programme provides a thorough grounding in physical education, sports development, health and fitness, and coaching. It will develop a deep and broad academic, critical and reflective knowledge and understanding of the physiological, psychological, sociological features of sport and physical education. Students will receive the chance to work with a wide variety of organisations through our links with industry and the opportunity to develop projects and expertise in areas that you are interested in. You will acquire and be able to apply a range of generic and transferable intellectual, research, practical and professional skills appropriate to an undergraduate programme and applicable to a wide range of career choices. Modules are contemporary in nature and tackle key issues facing sport, coaching and physical education. Modules are taught and assessed using a variety of active learning techniques where you are encouraged to take charge of your own learning through engaging with academic knowledge and research,</p>	

tutors, external organisations, and your peers. You will have the opportunity to undertake a work placement in the second year of the programme.

The distinctiveness of the programme is grounded in the following:

- A focus on sport and physical education in the community;
- Extensive links with local partners;
- A consistent applied approach;
- A strong community facing, cross-cultural 'real world' focus;
- A practitioner/researcher identity for students.

3	Awarding institution	Bishop Grosseteste University		
3a	Programme Length	Full-Time 3 years	Part-Time n/a	
3b	Mode(s) of Study	Full-time		
4	Home Academic School/s	Education, Health and Lifelong learning (EDHaLL)		
5	HECoS/UTT/UCAS code(s)	HECoS/CAH3 100461 CAH22-01-01 (Education)  100433 CAH03-02-01 (Sport)	UTT/ITT N/A	UCAS code CX63
6	Framework for HE Qualifications position of final award(s)	Certificate (Level 4) Diploma (Level 5) Honours (Level 6)		
7	Alignment with University Credit Framework	Undergraduate		
8	Compliance with University Assessment Regulations	Regulations for Undergraduate Awards		
9	Progression routes with Foundation Degree (FdA) or Top-up	N/A		

## Awards

<b>10</b>	<b>Final Award title(s)</b>	BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sport
<b>10a</b>	<b>Exit or Fall back Award title(s)</b>	Certificate of Higher Education (CertHE): Education Studies and Sport

		Diploma of Higher Education (DipHE): Education Studies and Sport Ordinary Degree in Education Studies and Sport
10b	Pathway	N/A
11	(i) Combined Honours Awards available e.g.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BSc/BA (Hons) XX</li> <li>BSc/BA (Hons) XX and YY</li> <li>BSc/BA (Hons) XX with YY</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BA (Hons) Education Studies and English / with Foundation Year</li> <li>BA (Hons) Education Studies and History / with Foundation Year</li> <li>BA (Hons) Psychology and Education Studies / with Foundation Year</li> <li>BA (Hons) Education Studies and SENDI / with Foundation Year</li> <li>BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sociology / with Foundation Year</li> <li>BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sport / with Foundation Year</li> <li>BA (Hons) Education Studies and Theology and Ethics / with Foundation Year</li> </ul>

## Arrangements with Partners

12	Approved Collaborative partner(s)	Partner Name	Type of Collaborative Partnership
		N/A	
13	Articulation Arrangements with Partners	Partner Name	Details of Arrangements
		N/A	

## Professional, Statutory and Regulatory Bodies

14	PSRB(s) associated with final award of any route within the programme specification	N/A
15	Date and outcome of last PSRB approval/accreditation	N/A
16	Expiry Date of PSRB approval	N/A

## SECTION B - OUTCOMES

17	QAA Benchmark Statement(s)
	<p>The QAA Benchmark statements that are applicable to both joint honours subjects are outlined as:</p> <p>Education Studies and its possible awards meet the QAA benchmark statements for Education Studies (2019). The subject knowledge of the course relating to the nature and processes of learning, key paradigms and their impact on practice and the diversity of learners in classroom-based environments enables students to understand the complex nature of contemporary education policy and practice in the UK and beyond.</p> <p>This Education Studies degree programme also provides the knowledge, understanding and critical analysis to inform current and future professionals. One significant way by which this is achieved is through students learning in the workplace. Work based placement in schools and other education related settings is an integral component of specific modules within the course. This enables students to extend and develop their knowledge and understanding of professional values and practice and to understand the range of roles and responsibilities of participants in the teaching and learning process.</p> <p>For Sport, the award is designed to meet the requirements of the generic Event, Hospitality, Leisure, Sport and Tourism benchmark statement (QAA, 2019). As the QAA benchmark document suggests degrees incorporating the term sport will normally be expected to embrace one or more of the five study areas below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The study of human responses to sport and exercise;</li> <li>• The study of the performance of sport and its enhancement, monitoring and analysis;</li> <li>• The study of health-related and disease management aspects of exercise and physical activity;</li> <li>• The study of the historical, social, political, economic and cultural diffusion, distribution and impact of sport;</li> <li>• The study of policy, planning, management and delivery of sporting opportunities.</li> </ul> <p>The subject knowledge of the programme relating to human responses to sport and exercise enables students to make effective use of the understanding of the disciplines underpinning human structure and function. The development of practical skills and procedures in both laboratory and field settings and critical reflection of these processes are central to the course. Students' knowledge, skills and critical understanding of the study of sport and/or exercise will be assessed and supported by a variety of teaching, learning and assessment practices. Typically, students will achieve at the modal level being able to demonstrate comprehension of the nature and values of sport and exercise. They will be able to synthesise a systematic and coherent body of knowledge related to the historical, social, political, economic and cultural diffusion, distribution and impact of sport and develop sustained and reasoned focused arguments. Students working near to the threshold level will be able to demonstrate the minimum requirements for honours graduates, being able to describe and exemplify relevant aspects of sport and/or exercise performance and delivery and be able to identify issues for enquiry.</p>
18	Programme Aim/s
	<p>The aims of the BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sport are listed as:</p> <p>Education Studies aims to provide students with a deep, academic, critical and reflective understanding of education in a broad range of contexts. Possible exit route for students studying either a single or joint honours degree in Education Studies will be to further study and education related careers. These include Primary or Secondary teaching and an increasingly wide range of career options within education and related settings such as industry training, international teaching, teaching in Further Education, school careers advice, youth work, social work, Non-Governmental Organisations and the voluntary sector, higher level teaching assistants, pupil mentors, support assistants, museum education and outdoor-learning leaders.</p>

- The Education Studies programme will enable students to gain a critical understanding of psychological, philosophical, sociological and political perspectives on learning and teaching.
- This will include consideration of research about the range of influences on outcomes for children and young people, barriers to learning and debates around the transformative potential of education.
- The programme aims to provide students with a comprehensive and critical understanding of education through active learning experiences that allow them to analyse pedagogy and understand the ways that educational theory and concepts are applied in practice.
- Students will develop skills to critically analyse a range of national, international, contemporary and historical policy, theory and ideas about education, its purpose, organisation and delivery.
- Students will be prepared personally and professionally for further study and careers within the field of education and related sectors; with the expectation that students will acquire and be able to apply a wide range of generic and transferable intellectual, practical and professional skills.
- The programme will provide flexible opportunities to study and experience education in practice (including online and digital contexts)
- Students will be prepared to become reflective, research informed practitioners who question taken for granted assumptions about education.
- They will be supported to develop a personal, research and practice- informed philosophy of education and a sense of social responsibility that enables them to make a positive contribution in the community.
- They will be equipped with research skills, academic and digital literacies and an understanding of their potential impact as global citizens in line with the BGU Graduate attributes.

For the Sport joint degree, there will be four main themes running through the programme: physical education; sports development, health and fitness and coaching. These aims of the are to:

1. Develop intellectual knowledge, understanding and application of the academic disciplines that underpin physical education, sports development, health and fitness and coaching;
2. Critically evaluate the needs of participants relevant to their age, ability, and levels of physical attainment in sport, exercise, and physical activity;
3. Investigate the concepts, issues and research that inform physical education, sports development, health, and fitness and coaching in the UK;
4. Prepare students for effective employment or future study by developing graduate attributes including problem solving, research skills, inter-personal skills, global citizenship (diversity & sustainability), flexibility and adaptability (life-long learning), effective communication and creativity & innovation.

<b>19</b>	<b>Joint Programme Specific Outcomes</b>
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<b>(a)</b>	<b>Final Award Learning Outcomes</b>
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On successful completion of BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sport, students will be able to:

**Knowledge and Understanding [K&U] Education Studies**

- K&U 1: Demonstrate a systematic, coherent, detailed and confident conceptual understanding of the different contexts in which teaching, and learning take place and the effects of social, political, economic and cultural factors on learning;
- K&U 2: Critically review, consolidate and extend an extensive, systematic and coherent body of knowledge related to contemporary practice in a wide range of education including formal and informal organisational structures for teaching and learning and different education systems;

- K&U 3: Demonstrate a confident, balanced and in-depth understanding of the nature and processes of learning, key paradigms and their impact on practice, and the diversity of learners in different contexts.

### **Knowledge and Understanding [K&U] Sport**

- K&U 1: Demonstrate a systematic, coherent, detailed and confident conceptual understanding of the different contexts in which Sport, Physical Education and Coaching take place and the effects they have on social, economic and cultural factors;
- K&U 2: Critically review, consolidate and extend an extensive, systematic and coherent body of knowledge related to contemporary practice in a wide range of sport, physical education and coaching settings;
- K&U 3: Demonstrate a confident, balanced and in-depth understanding of the nature and processes of learning in sport, physical education, and coaching exploring key paradigms and their impact on participation, practice and performance in diverse populations.

### **Subject-Specific and Professional Skills [SPS] Education Studies**

- SPS 1: Work with initiative and personal responsibility both independently and collaboratively as part of a team;
- SPS 2: Communicate with and present articulately and appropriately to a range of audiences in a variety of ways;
- SPS 3: Exercise decision making in complex and unpredictable contexts;
- SPS 4: Demonstrate a perceptive and critical awareness of personal responsibility and professional codes of conduct and demonstrate the learning ability needed to undertake appropriate further training of a professional or equivalent nature.

### **Subject-Specific and Professional Skills [SPS] Sport**

- SPS 1: Demonstrate initiative and personal responsibility both independently and collaboratively as part of a team;
- SPS 2: Communicate with and present articulately and appropriately to a range of audiences in a variety of ways;
- SPS 3: Exercise decision making in complex and unpredictable contexts;
- SPS 4: Demonstrate a perceptive and critical awareness of personal responsibility and professional codes of conduct and demonstrate the learning ability needed to undertake appropriate further training of a professional or equivalent nature.

### **Intellectual Skills [IS] Education Studies**



- IS 1: Critically evaluate arguments, assumptions, abstract concepts and data (that may be incomplete), on specialist and complex subject matter, reflecting upon this diversity to adopt and defend an evidence-based personal position;
- IS 2: Demonstrate the ability to manage their own learning, and to make use of scholarly reviews and primary sources (for example, refereed research articles and/or original materials appropriate to the discipline);
- IS 3: Apply the methods and techniques that they have learned to review, consolidate, extend and apply their knowledge and understanding, and to initiate and carry out projects with the incorporation of an appropriate ethical dimension;
- IS 4: Comprehend the contested and pluralistic nature of their specialist areas of study.

#### **Intellectual Skills [IS] Sport**

- IS 1: Critically evaluate arguments, assumptions, abstract concepts and data (that may be incomplete), on specialist and complex subject matter, adopting and defending an evidence-based personal position;
- IS 2: Demonstrate the ability to manage their own learning, and to make use of scholarly reviews and primary sources (for example, refereed research articles and/or original materials appropriate to the discipline);
- IS 3: Apply the methods and techniques that they have learned to review, consolidate, extend and apply their knowledge and understanding, and to initiate and carry out projects with the incorporation of an appropriate ethical dimension
- IS 4: Comprehend the contested and pluralistic nature of their specialist areas of study.

#### **Transferable skills [TS] Education Studies**

- TS 1: Develop a range of employability skills appropriate to the subject area;
- TS 2: Demonstrate a wide range of effective oral, written and presentation skills for a number of audiences;
- TS 3: Be able to collect, use and present a wide range of data (both quantitative and qualitative) effectively using a wide range of information and communications technology and other learning and communications resources;
- TS 4: Plan and manage their own learning effectively in order to achieve objectives and meet deadlines, either independently or as part of a team in which teaching, and learning take place.

#### **Transferable skills [TS] Sport**

- TS 1: Develop a range of employability skills appropriate to the subject areas

- TS 2: Demonstrate a wide range of effective oral, written and presentation skills for a number of audiences;
- TS 3: Be able to use and apply a wide range of information and communications technology and other learning and communications resources;
- TS 4: Plan and manage their own learning effectively in order to achieve objectives and meet deadlines, either independently or as part of a team

<b>20</b>	<b>Exit Award Learning Outcomes</b>
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**Learning outcomes for Cert.HE (Level 4):**

Students awarded the **Certificate of Higher Education in Education and Sport** will be able to:

**Knowledge and Understanding [K&Ua] Education Studies**

- K&U 1a: Demonstrate knowledge and critical understanding of the different contexts in which teaching, and learning take place and the effects of social, political, economic and cultural factors on learning;
- K&U 2a: Critically review contemporary practice in education in school contexts;
- K&U 3a: Demonstrate understanding of the nature and processes of learning, key paradigms and their impact on practice, and the diversity of learners in classroom-based environments.

**Knowledge and Understanding [K&Ua] Sport**

- K&U 1a: Develop a coherent, detailed and conceptual understanding of the different contexts in which Sport, Physical Education and Coaching take place and the effects they have on social, economic and cultural factors;
- K&U 2a: Review and extend a systematic and coherent body of knowledge related to contemporary practice in a range of sport, physical education and coaching settings;
- K&U 3a: Develop a balanced understanding of the nature and processes of learning in sport, physical education, and coaching exploring key paradigms and their impact on participation, practice and performance in diverse populations.

**Subject-Specific and Professional Skills [SPSa] Education Studies**

- SPS 1a: Work with initiative and personal responsibility both independently and collaboratively as part of a team;
- SPS 2a: Communicate with and present appropriately to a range of audiences in a variety of ways.

**Subject-Specific and Professional Skills [SPSa] Sport**

- SPS 1a: Develop initiative and personal responsibility both independently and collaboratively as part of a team;
- SPS 2a: Communicate with and present appropriately to a range of audiences in a variety of ways;
- SPS 3a: Exercise decision making in complex and unpredictable contexts;
- SPS 4a: Develop a perceptive awareness of personal responsibility and professional codes of conduct.

#### **Intellectual Skills [ISa] Education Studies**

- IS 1a: Present, evaluate and interpret qualitative and quantitative data, in order to develop lines of argument and make sound judgements in accordance with basic theories and concepts of the subject(s) of study;
- IS 2a: Demonstrate the ability to manage their own learning, and to make use of scholarly reviews and primary sources (for example, refereed research articles and/or original materials appropriate to the discipline).

#### **Intellectual Skills [ISa] Sport**

- IS 1a: Select and integrate ideas and evidence to develop arguments.
- IS 2a: Demonstrate the ability to manage their own learning, and to make use of scholarly reviews and primary sources (for example, refereed research articles and/or original materials appropriate to the discipline);
- IS 3a: Apply the methods and techniques that they have learned to review, consolidate, and apply their knowledge and understanding, and to initiate and carry out projects with the incorporation of an appropriate ethical dimension;
- IS 4a: Comprehend the contested and pluralistic nature of their specialist areas of study.

#### **Transferable skills [TSa] Education Studies**

- TS 1a: Demonstrate a range of sound oral, written and presentation skills for a number of audiences;
- TS 2a: Be able to present data using a range of communications technology and other learning and communications resources;
- TS 3a: Plan and manage their own learning in order to achieve objectives and meet deadlines, either independently or as part of a team.

#### **Transferable skills [TSa] Sport**

- TS 1a: Develop a range of employability skills appropriate to the subject area;

- TS 2a: Develop a wide range of effective oral, written and presentation skills for a number of audiences;
- TS 3a: Be able to use a wide range of information and communications technology and other learning and communications resources;
- TS 4a: Plan and manage their own learning effectively in order to achieve objectives and meet deadlines, either independently or as part of a team.

### **Learning outcomes for Dip.HE (Level 5):**

Students awarded the **Diploma of Higher Education in Education and Sport** will be able to:

#### **Knowledge and Understanding [K&Ub] Education Studies**

- K&U 1b: Demonstrate confident conceptual understanding of the different contexts in which teaching, and learning take place and the effects of social, political, economic and cultural factors on learning;
- K&U 2b: Critically review knowledge related to contemporary practice in a wide range of education including formal and informal organisational structures for teaching and learning and different education systems;
- K&U 3b: Demonstrate a confident, balanced, understanding of the nature and processes of learning, key paradigms and their impact on practice, and the diversity of learners in classroom-based environments.

#### **Knowledge and Understanding [K&Ub] Sport**

- K&U 1b: Develop an understanding of the different contexts in which Sport, Physical Education and Coaching take place and the effects they have on social and cultural factors;
- K&U 2b: Review a body of knowledge related to contemporary practice in a range of sport, physical education and coaching settings;
- K&U 3b: Develop a balanced understanding of the nature and processes of learning in sport, physical education, and coaching.

#### **Subject-Specific and Professional Skills [SPSb] Education Studies**

- SPS 1b: Work with initiative and personal responsibility both independently and collaboratively as part of a team;
- SPS 2b: Communicate with and present articulately and appropriately to a range of audiences in a variety of ways;
- SPS 3b: Exercise decision making in complex and unpredictable contexts;
- SPS 4b: Demonstrate a perceptive and critical awareness of personal responsibility and professional codes of conduct.

**Subject-Specific and Professional Skills [SPSb Sport]**

- SPS 1b: Develop initiative and personal responsibility both independently and collaboratively as part of a team;
- SPS 2b: Communicate with and present appropriately in a variety of ways
- SPS 3b: Exercise decision making in unpredictable contexts
- SPS 4b: Develop an awareness of personal responsibility and professional codes of conduct.

**Intellectual Skills [ISb] Education Studies**

- IS 1b: Critically evaluate arguments, assumptions, abstract concepts and data (that may be incomplete), on specialist and complex subject matter;
- IS 2b: Demonstrate the ability to manage their own learning, and to make use of scholarly reviews and primary sources (for example, refereed research articles and/or original materials appropriate to the discipline);
- IS 3b: Apply the methods and techniques that they have learned to review, consolidate, extend and apply their knowledge and understanding.

**Intellectual Skills [ISb] Sport**

- IS 1b: Integrate ideas and evidence to present arguments;
- IS 2b: Develop the ability to manage their own learning, and to make use of scholarly reviews and primary sources (for example, refereed research articles and/or original materials appropriate to the discipline);
- IS 3b: Make use of the methods and techniques that they have learned to carry out projects with the incorporation of an appropriate ethical dimension;
- IS 4b: Comprehend the contested and pluralistic nature of their specialist areas of study.

**Transferable skills [TSb] Education Studies**

- TS 1b: Develop a range of employability skills appropriate to the subject area;
- TS 2b: Demonstrate a wide range of effective oral, written and presentation skills for a number of audiences;
- TS 3b: Be able to use and present a wide range of data using a range of communications technology and other learning and communications resources;

- TS 4b: Plan and manage their own learning effectively in order to achieve objectives and meet deadlines, either independently or as part of a team in which teaching, and learning take place.

#### **Transferable skills [TSb] Sport**

- TS 1b: Develop employability skills appropriate to the subject area;
- TS 2b: Develop a range of effective oral, written and presentation skills for a number of audiences;
- TS 3b: Be able to use a range of information and communications technology and other learning and communications resources;
- TS 4b: Plan and manage their own learning effectively in order to achieve objectives and meet deadlines, either independently or as part of a team

#### **In order to qualify for an Ordinary Degree (Level 6):**

- The student must meet the requirements as laid down in *Regulations for Undergraduate Awards*.

## SECTION C – STRUCTURE

<b>21a</b>	<b>Structures, modes of delivery (e.g., FT/PT etc), levels, credits, awards, curriculum map of all modules (identifying core/option status, credits, pre or co-requisites) potential entry/exit points and progression/award requirements.</b>
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### Level 4 – 120 credits

Level 4	Semester 1	EDU40122 Perspectives on Learning 30c	SPO40122 Introduction to Sport and Physical Education 30c
	Semester 2	EDU40222 Understanding Education Inequality 30c	SPO40322 Young People and Physical Activity 30c

### Level 5 – 120 credits

Level 5	Semester 1	EDU50122 Social Justice: Diversity and Inclusion 30c		SPO50122 Physical Education and Coaching Pedagogy 15c	SPO50222 Research Methods in Sport and Exercise 15 Credits
	Semester 2	EDU50422 Interpreting Education Research 15c	EDU50622 Becoming a Professional OR GA Enhancement Module 15c	SPO50422 Sport Development, Promotion and Leadership 15c	SPO50622 Methods of Analysis in Sport and Physical Education OR GA Enhancement Module 15c

### Level 6 – 120 credits

Capstone in Education Studies

Level 6	Semester 1	EDU60222 Global Perspectives on Education 30c	EDU60322 Dissertation 45c	SPO60522 Emotion in Sport and Physical Education Roles 15c	SPO60122 Measurement and Evaluation in Sport and Exercise 15c
	Semester 2				SPO60422 Contemporary Issues in Sport and Exercise 15c

## Capstone in Sport

Level 6	Semester 1	SPO60122 Measurement and Evaluation in Sport and Exercise 15c	SPO60322 Dissertation  45c	EDU60122 Curriculum Debates and Future(s) OR EDU60522 Contexts for Learning 15c	EDU60222 Global Perspectives on Education 30c
	Semester 2	SPO60422 Contemporary Issues in Sport and Exercise 15c			

## 21b Module Structure

Level 4

Core Modules				
Code	Status	Module Title	Period (number)	No of credits
EDU40122	Mandatory Placement	Perspectives on Learning	1	30
EDU40222	Mandatory Placement	Understanding Education Inequality	2	30
SPO40122	Mandatory	Introduction to Sport and Physical Education	1	30
SPO40322	Mandatory	Young People and Physical Activity	2	30

Level 5

Core Modules				
Code	Status	Module Title	Period (number)	No of credits
EDU50122	Mandatory	Social Justice: Diversity and Inclusion	1	30
EDU50422	Mandatory	Interpreting Education Research	2	15
SPO50122	Mandatory	Physical Education and Coaching Pedagogy	1	15
SPO50422	Mandatory	Sport Development, Promotion and Leadership	2	15
Option Modules				
Code	Type	Module Title	Period (number)	No of credits



EDU50622	Subject Enhancement Placement	Becoming a Professional	2	15
SPO50622	Subject Enhancement	Methods of Analysis in Sport and Physical Education	2	15

**Level 6**

Core Modules				
Code	Status	Module Title	Period (number)	No of credits
EDU60222	Mandatory	Global Perspectives on Education	1 and 2	30
EDU60122	Mandatory or *Subject Enhancement Placement (*if Capstone in Sport)	Curriculum Debates and Future(s)	1	15
SPO60122	Mandatory	Measurement and Evaluation in Sport and Exercise	1	15
SPO60422	Mandatory	Contemporary Issues in Sport and Exercise	2	15
Option Modules				
Code	Type	Module Title	Period (number)	No of credits
EDU60522	Subject Enhancement	Contexts for Learning	1	15
EDU60322	Subject Enhancement Placement	Dissertation	1 and 2	45
SPO60522	Subject Enhancement	Emotion in Sport and PE roles	1	15
SPO60322	Subject Enhancement	Dissertation	1 an 2	45

## SECTION D - TEACHING, LEARNING AND ASSESSMENT

22	Curriculum Design
	<p>The BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sport will be completed in three years of full-time study in order to address the programme aims and learning outcomes. This section outlines the curriculum design for each half discipline which are embedded in subject specific requirements and provide the student with a breadth of transferrable and opportunities for cross disciplinary knowledge and application.</p> <p>Education Studies at level 4, the course has been designed to provide a broad-based introduction to the subject using 30 credit modules that provide students with a solid understanding of the underpinning disciplines of Education Studies. At levels 5 and 6, a mix of 15 credit and 30 credit modules is used (bar the Dissertation) to allow a greater number of topics to be taught, ensure an even distribution of study across the semesters and enable optionality. The 45 credit dissertation module, in line with other comparable routes, spans the whole academic year at level 6, thus providing time to develop a specialist area through an individual research study.</p> <p>This course design allows for a personalised learning journey with optionality at levels 5 and 6. Students begin by focusing on critically analysing different perspectives on familiar areas of learning and gradually considering new approaches, and contexts for education.</p> <p>In level 4 Semester 1, students begin by examining their own learning needs and comparing theories of learning at different ages to pedagogy in a school environment. Level 4 Semester 2 builds on this understanding by investigating environmental and social influences on learning through an examination of research into pupil development and wellbeing and differential achievement of identified groups within the UK school system. Modules at level 5 and 6 directly build on these elements and expand to include wider pedagogic issues and deeper theoretical applications and international perspectives. They allow students to consider the experiences of diverse learners, learning in different contexts and countries, philosophies of education, policy and curriculum development. In each case, ideas introduced at level 4 are developed at level 5 and extended at level 6. For example, consideration of inclusive education and barriers to education for some children in the UK are introduced in EDU40222 'Understanding Education Inequality'. At level 5, in EDU50122 'Social Justice: Diversity and Inclusion' students go on to investigate policy and legislation for inclusion and equality in the UK and analyse specific research, pedagogy and practice for 'vulnerable groups'. At level 6, in EDU60222, 'Global Perspectives on Education' students extend their understanding of inclusion and diversity by critically analysing the impact of importing westernised approaches to education around the globe. They research the challenges of international initiatives aimed at developing education in lower income countries and debate whether some approaches to education around the globe act as barriers to inclusion of certain groups and how these can be overcome.</p> <p>For those students opting to complete a Dissertation (capstone project) in Education Studies research skills are built up progressively through modules and year groups, both in named research modules such as EDU50422: 'Interpreting Education Research', which focuses on quantitative, qualitative and mixed methods, and as part of assessment and professional skills in other modules. For example, In EDU40122 students are supported to find research literature, draw out and compare key findings. In EDU40222 students consider how data has been gathered in previous studies and contrast different theoretical explanations for statistical data about educational achievement.</p> <p>Students can opt to conclude the course by gaining an in-depth knowledge of a specific area of Education Studies by designing and undertaking an empirical (primary research) or documentary (secondary research) study with designated supervisory support and taught sessions including designing research methods, ethical considerations and analysing and reporting findings.</p>

In the Education Studies placement modules specific skills for teaching and education related roles with children and young people are developed through placement experiences and connected to module content that models and evaluates professional skills such as reflective practice, planning and teaching. A wide range of education professionals contribute to module content and provide examples of current practice linked to module outcomes.

At BGU common programme outcomes relating to intellectual and transferable skills for students studying all subjects within the modular framework are used. This reflects our collective understanding of the essential skills of a BG graduate who, through the study of one of our degrees, will be equipped with intellectual and transferable skills suitable for a range of professional careers and lifelong learning. In Education Studies, these outcomes are developed at each level through embedding opportunities for communication in different formats, collaboration with different groups of peers, staff and children and young people, and problem solving and decision making in a range of contexts. Specific skills for teaching and education related roles with children and young people are developed through placement experiences and connected to module content that models and evaluates professional skills such as reflective practice, planning and teaching. A wide range of education professionals contribute to module content and provide examples of current practice linked to module outcomes.

The Sport curriculum has been designed in line with the Subject Benchmark Statement for Event, Hospitality, Leisure, Sport and Tourism (QAA, 2019) and aims to develop enquiring, critical and reflective students that respond well to challenge enabling them to contribute proactively to the world of sport, coaching and physical education.

At Level 4, students' study four distinctly varied 30-credit modules that give them a solid foundation for further study. Students are introduced to sport and physical education and anatomy and physiology in Semester 1. In Semester 2, students study modules in young people and physical activity and the fundamentals of sports coaching and start to develop their understanding of the four main themes that run throughout the programme, physical education, sports coaching, health and fitness and sports development. At Levels 5 and 6, students study a diverse array of contemporary 15-credit modules and have the opportunity to undertake a 45 credit Dissertation at Level 6. Relevant practical, transferable and research related skills are delivered progressively across the programme. Learning is scaffolded in line with the FHEQ level descriptors. Teaching, learning and assessment will be scheduled over two 12-week semesters within each year. In Semester 2 of Level 5, four weeks (120 hours) is dedicated to undertaking a work-placement as part of the module SPO50422. There will also be opportunities to work on community projects throughout all levels of the programme.

Whilst there is a strong focus on the individual and their own development within these modules and across the programme there is also an equally strong focus on students working collaboratively to undertake group activities in formative settings. Students will also be challenged to come together to design and deliver physical education/coaching sessions and sporting events and from these experiences, students will develop an understanding of what it means to be both an individual member, team member and leader / manager within a team / work environment. The curriculum therefore promotes the development of leadership, organisation and team skills, all of which are key skills for sport graduates.

The programme structure and curriculum align to the development of BGU Graduate attributes as follows:

**1: Academic Literacies** - students are enabled to develop academic literacy through engagement with evaluating and synthesizing original empirical research into their assignments. These skills are developed from the start of study at Level 4 (SPO40122 and SPO40322) with an increase in complexity in the types of sources used through the course of study (Level 5 – SPO50222, SPO50522 and SPO50622- and / Level 6 – SPO60422). Additionally, assessments are specifically designed to support students in developing their academic competency, with levels of complexity increasing as the students' progress through the programme.

**2: Global Citizenship** – Students will develop a global perspective of sport and exercise through specific modules such as SPO40322 and SPO60422.

**3: Information Literacy** – Information literacy will be developed throughout the programme although specifically in modules SPO40122, SPO40322, SPO50122, SPO50222, SPO60422 in which students will be required to independently search for academic sources.

**4: Digital Fluency** – Assessments are designed to support students in developing digital fluency through a range of assessments including group (SPO40122), individual presentations (SPO60422, SPO60322), poster presentations (SPO40322) and reflections on practice (SPO50122). In addition, students will be encouraged through their studies to engage in online group work, forums and discussion groups. The teaching team will also model the use of technology through session delivery as appropriate.

**5: Employability** – Employability is a key focus of the programme, and a balance has been sought between creating vocational elements while meeting the demands of degree level study. As graduate attributes are embedded into all modules, it is anticipated that all students will develop the transferable skills necessary for employment or postgraduate study. The modules SPO40122, SPO50422 and SPO60522 have been specifically designed to build and enhance employability skills.

**6: Being Enterprising** – the course discipline coupled with the practical nature and characteristics of the programme means that students are supported to develop creative problem-solving skills through directed independent learning. At all levels of study students are given the opportunity to engage in the design and delivery of sport, physical education and health projects (Level 4 -SPO40322 / Level 5 SPO50422) within the community.

## 23 Learning and Teaching Strategies

Teaching will be delivered through interactive lectures, workshops, tutorials, and seminars to promote engagement and independent learning with opportunities for cross-disciplinary learning aligned with the student's particular interests and aspirations. In this section the specific learning and teaching strategies aligned with the half subject are detailed.

Education Studies embraces a predominantly social constructivist view of knowledge and of learning, the Education Studies programme offers students a range of tutor and peer-led collaborative opportunities to facilitate the secure development of knowledge and understanding of the subject matter. Students at all levels will be encouraged to relate their learning to first-hand experience of placement. They will be supported to critically reflect and analyse observed practice in the context of educational research and policy. Students will develop personal, professional and transferable skills through experiential learning, personalised learning opportunities and peer support. Opportunities to discuss and develop individual strategies for learning in Higher Education are embedded in module teaching.

Learning and teaching of the programme will be through a combination of approaches designed to promote criticality, engagement, and independent learning. Approaches used may include:

- interactive lectures, using audio and video for contextualisation of topics and problem-based learning exercises to encourage student engagement;
- guest/visiting tutors from across the university, from other HEIs and from local and national statutory, private, and voluntary organisations to support currency and exposure to specialist knowledge;
- workshops/ seminars in which tutors facilitate student debate and discussion, practical activities and collaborative research tasks around the subject area.

Local study visits / field trips feature in a module at level 6 (EDU60522 Contexts for Learning) at no cost to students. Non-compulsory study abroad options (at level 5) and / or international field trips would incur costs to students.

Learning and teaching throughout the Sport, Coaching and Physical Education degree programme, and across the Sport subject area more generally, is aligned with BGU's 'Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy' which supports the University's aim 'to enable all students to achieve at the highest possible standard in their chosen field of study' with a commitment to 'support active and accessible learning'.

Teaching within the programme is delivered through a range of styles and methods including face to-face lectures, workshops, seminars, practical's, labs and tutorials and through the dynamic use of the University's VLE (Blackboard) and other relevant digital tools such as MS Teams. Individual support is offered to all students on all modules through one-to-one tutorials, often focused on reinforcing understanding of topics and ensuring appropriate preparation is being made for assignment tasks. Individuals are allocated dissertation tutors to support them as required at Level 6. Across the programme, students progressively develop more specific based subject knowledge and understanding through a diverse range of contemporary modules. During seminar, practical, lab and workshop activities students are encouraged to develop their subject knowledge and understanding, and to build subject specific and intellect skills by assembling evidence, presenting ideas, concepts, and findings, and constructing and defending arguments. Interactive lectures practicals and workshops sit at the core of Sport teaching at BGU. Whenever possible opportunities are taken to enhance learning and teaching using innovative practices and approaches, such as 'flipped' curricula, role-play, and group-based activities. In addition, where relevant, the opportunity is taken to engage students with project based and experiential learning through specialist teaching, guest lectures and/or virtual and physical external visits. Several modules afford students with the opportunity to immerse themselves within the inner workings of sporting organisations and students can expect to visit sites and organisations (virtually/ physically) that are diverse in nature ranging from County Sport Partnerships, National Governing Bodies, Sport Clubs and Leisure Providers. As student numbers grow a wider variety of experiences may be provided although students may be required to self-select ones that are best suited to their overarching career plans as some trips / industry visits may be subject to maximum numbers. Reflective practice is encouraged and embedded throughout the programme and is core to student's professional development. Reflective practice encourages students to make sense and meaning from their experiences and transforms insights into practical strategies for personal growth and future impact.

### **Knowledge and Understanding**

Adopting an explicit and broadly constructivist view of knowledge, the programme will offer students a range of tutor and peer-led opportunities to facilitate knowledge transfer and re-creation. In addition to traditional methods of pedagogy (lecture, seminar etc) the students will be engaging in enquiry-based approaches. Assessment will, in all cases, test knowledge as well as skills

### **Intellectual Skills**

Building on the toolkit of analytical practices developed at levels 4 and 5, students are provided with opportunities to apply concepts to real-life situations. In addition to dialogic classroom and VLE practices, students will achieve the required levels of intellectual skills through the rigours and framework of deliberately varied assessment practices.

### **Practical/Professional/Transferable Skills:**

Experiential, individualised and self-directed teaching and learning strategies are used to enable students to develop personal, professional and transferable skills. Independent and peer-supported strategies, which draw heavily on professional experiences, are manifest in the projects and studies undertaken at this level.

While the course adopts an in person (face to face) learning and teaching approach opportunities to support and deepen student understanding and outcomes through augmented individual (and / or group) activity via

the VLE will be used where appropriate. In exceptional circumstances, contingency measures to ensure learning and teaching can continue will be implemented in accordance with BGU policies and procedures. A core and central tool for supporting teaching and learning will be the use of the University's Virtual Learning Environment (VLE). Students will be supported to use interactive web tools, for instance live online documents and audience response systems, as a strategy for sharing resources, discussions and in leading their own learning.

All students are introduced gradually to skills of analysis, argument and research through an integrated academic literacies approach strangled through the programme and developed in conjunction with Centre for Enhancement in Learning and Teaching (CELT). In addition to dialogic classroom learning and augmented individual activity via the VLE students will achieve the required levels of intellectual skills through a rigorous framework of deliberately varied assessment practices. Assessment will, in all cases, test knowledge and understanding, and will provide opportunities for students to demonstrate higher level thinking skills, such as evaluation and synthesis; intellectual skills; professional and/ or transferable skills and communication skills. All learning, teaching and research will fully comply with the Bishop Grosseteste University Research Ethics Policy and Sport-specific and relevant codes of practice and guidance.

Module effectiveness will be reviewed through the BGU system of module evaluation and informal opportunities to gather more regular mid-module student feedback enabling tutors to make responsive adaptations to students' needs as far as is practicable.

## **24 Assessment Strategies**

The assessment strategy for BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sport supports the overall demonstration of the programme learning outcomes and is designed to engage students in a range of assessments throughout the programme in both half subjects. It systematically builds knowledge and understanding to support the skills required. The assessment strategies specific to the half subjects are outlined below.

Within Education Studies, the assessment of modules at level 4 will comprise two distinct and discrete components, whilst modules at levels 5 and 6 will be assessed through a mix of two component and one component assessment. Over the course of the programme, the balance of assessment types within and between modules has been carefully considered to allow students a range of assessment types in each year of study. A 'spiral' acquisition of academic literacies is embedded in taught activities and supported by targeted input from CELT. The necessary skills for each type of assessment are built up as part of module teaching and then revisited and extended in future modules and year groups.

In line with educational research and philosophy in Education Studies and in tune with the wide range of starting points of the student body assessment approaches do not include exams. Instead, assessments comprise practical and course work for instance oral presentation, digital portfolio, research report, essay, annotated bibliography, education resource creation and evaluation.

Assessments in Sport are designed to support students to develop relevant professional and transferable skills for education and related careers and to provide a positive way for them to confidently demonstrate their knowledge and understanding during the programme.

Module assessments provide opportunities for students to acquire, develop and demonstrate knowledge and understanding, subject specific, intellectual, and transferable skills. A range of assessments are used which are relevant to the individual demands of the subject matter and enable students to participate in a varied and engaging educational experience. Assessments are used to appropriately test and encourage students to apply different areas of knowledge and demonstrate a wide range of skills. Innovative assessments that cater for an array of learning styles and preferences are a key feature of this programme.

Multi method weighted assessments form a key feature of the Sport joint degree. Where practical assessment takes place, students are supported with skills development during taught sessions prior to delivery. This may

include specialist digital input from the Centre for Enhancement in Learning and Teaching (CELT). CELT work closely with the programme team to support students to develop and enhance their digital and academic literacy throughout the programme. Group work is not used as a summative assessment strategy although students can expect to work with others throughout the duration of their programme as noted in Section 22. Students' knowledge, skills and critical understanding of the subject will be assessed by a variety of methods

### BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sport

Module Code	Module Description	Credits	Year	Assessment and learning methods		
				Exam/Written	Practical	Coursework
				%	%	%
EDU40122	Perspectives on Learning	30	1	-		100
EDU40222	Understanding Education Inequality	30	1	-	50	50
SPO40122	Introduction to Sport and PE	30	1	-	50	50
SPO40322	Young People & PA	30	1		50	50
EDU50122	Social Justice: Diversity and Inclusion	30	2	-	-	100
EDU50622	Becoming a Professional	15	2	-	-	100
EDU50422	Interpreting Education Research	15	2	-	-	100
SPO50122	PE & Coaching Pedagogy	15	2	100		
SPO50422	Sports Development	15	2		100	
SPO50222	Research Methods	15	2			100
SPO50622	Methods of Analysis	15	2			100
EDU60122	Curriculum Debates and Future(s)	15	3	-	-	100
EDU60222	Global Perspectives on Education	30	3	-	50	50
EDU60522	Contexts for Learning	15	3			100
EDU60322	Dissertation	45	3	-	30	70
SPO60122	Measurement & Evaluation	15	3		100	
SPO60522	Emotion in Sport & PE	15	3			100
SPO60422	Contemporary Issues	15	3	50	50	
SPO60322	Dissertation	45	3		20	80

Indicative Assessment Strategy

Module Code	Module Title	Credits	Indicative Assessment Type and weighting	Indicative Assessment Loading	Indicative submission
EDU40122	Perspectives on Learning	30	A1: Portfolio - 50% A2: Essay – 50%	2,000 words 2,000 words	October December
EDU40222	Understanding Education Inequality	30	A1: Essay – 50% A2: Group oral presentation – 50%	2,000 words 15 minutes	March May
EDU50122	Social Justice: Diversity and Inclusion	30	A1: Essay – 50% A2: Booklet – 50%	2,500 words 2,500 words	November January
SPO40122	Introduction to Sport & PE	30	A1: Presentation (50%) A2: Report (50%)	15 minutes 2000 words	November January
SPO40322	Young People & PA	30	A1: Presentation (50%) A2: Essay (50%)	2000 words 2000 words	March May
EDU50622	Becoming a Professional	15	Portfolio – 100%	2,500 words	May
EDU50422	Interpreting Education Research	15	Portfolio – 100%	2,500 words	May
SPO50122	PE & Coaching Pedagogy	15	Written Exam (100%)	24 Hour (open book)	January
SPO50422	Sports Development	15	Presentation (100%)	20 minutes	March
SPO50222	Research Methods	15	Portfolio (100%)	2500 words	January
SPO50622	Methods of Analysis	15	Presentation (100%)	20 minutes	May
EDU60122	Curriculum Debates and Future(s)	15	Essay – 100%	3,000 words	December
EDU60222	Global Perspectives on Education	30	A1: Essay – 50% A2: Video submission – 50%	3,000 words 3,000 word equivalent	November May
EDU60522	Contexts for Learning	15	Portfolio – 100%	3,000 words	January
EDU60322	Dissertation	45	A1: Individual presentation – 30% A2: Dissertation – 70%	20 minutes 6,000 words	November May
SPO60122	Measurement & Evaluation	15	Practical (100%)	35 minutes	December
SPO60522	Emotion in Sport & PE	15	Essay (100%)	3000 words	January
SPO60422	Contemporary Issues	15	Presentation (50%) Exam (50%)	30 minutes 24 hours (open book)	March/April May
SPO60322	Dissertation	45	Presentation (20%) Report (80%)	15 minutes 7500 Words	November May

For paired or group assessments both or all students within a pair or group will receive the same grade. In exceptional circumstances a different grade may be awarded to individual students if strongly documented



evidence of a disparity in contribution has been reported in writing or via email to a seminar tutor, the module leader or the programme leader before the day and time of submission of the assignment.

## **25 Inclusive Practice and Personal Development Planning**

BGU is committed to widening access and participation and adheres to a strict policy of non-discrimination. Students will be supported throughout their programme through the full access to the range of services offered through the Centre for Enhancement in Learning and Teaching (CELT), Student Advice and Library Services.

The programme will support personal development planning through the use of the BGU Development and Career Plan (DCP) and the Psychology tutor system. Students will be encouraged to access the wider services of BG Futures for professional career advice and opportunities.

All students develop an e-portfolio, the DCP. This is a detailed record of the development of skills, experience, and knowledge which:

- supports reflection on academic and assessed work, and ensures students are able to respond effectively to feedback from tutors and improve their grades;
- allows students to collect evidence of the things that they achieve during their studies that promote their employability;
- makes explicit links between students' work experience and professional standards and in both subject areas supports the development of a close and well-informed relationship with their personal tutor.

Employability is an important issue to all students, and careers in graduate employment are particularly competitive. When our joint honours students graduate, they will find themselves competing with large numbers of graduates and need to distinguish themselves from them in their application and interview. The DCP ties in with the employability award plan and careers services and provides students with a means of gathering evidence of all the things they do that would be of interest to an employer. It enables them to frame their skills, knowledge, and work experience in such a way as to make explicit how these are relevant for the posts for which they are applying.

## **26 Technology Enhanced Learning**

Students will be encouraged to apply skills that they already have and to develop new ones. A central tool for technology enhanced learning is through the use of Blackboard, BGU's Virtual Learning Environment (VLE), as part of the augmented learning pedagogical approach for the programme. The learning materials will be accessed through the module areas on the VLE.

Students will have a range of opportunities for critical discussion and active engagement with VLE materials through a range of synchronous and asynchronous learning spaces including module blogs, wikis and discussion forums.

Students will be encouraged to engage in research within the Library Systems that provide access to journals and specific subject related learning resources. Module specific elements are laid down within individual modules.

## **27 Work-related Learning and/or Placement**

Students on BA (Hons) Education Studies and Sport will have the opportunity to undertake a work-related placement as part of their programme. This will usually be embedded into one of the half subjects and typically provides at least one placement during their academic study.

Joint honours graduates develop a range of skills transferable to graduate careers. These include:

- communication – oral, visual and written;
- understanding and using data;
- decision making;
- organisational skills;
- information technology;
- handling of data/statistics;
- problem-solving, and
- the ability to work in teams

Education Studies students will be facilitated to undertake non-assessed placement each year, directly linked to, and an integral component of, a specific module or modules. Currently EDU40122, EDU40222, EDU50622, EDU60122 and EDU60322 include placement as a component of the taught hours. **Students can opt to not undertake a placement in year two Education Studies (EDU50422) and those students opting to pursue a capstone project in Sport will not undertake placement in EDU60322.**

Placement in the University's partnership of schools or other education related settings are organised by the University's central Placement Team. An e-form is completed by each student before a placement opportunity to support matching placements to student's individual circumstances. In accordance with the Placement Policy students have a right of appeal over placement decisions.

Placements in Year 1 / Level 4 are usually based in the primary age phase with students attending the setting one day a week over several weeks. In Years 2 and 3 / Levels 5 and 6 students express a preference for age phase and setting and placement is organised into block weeks (a block week comprises four days on placement in a setting and one day at university). A placement handbook including placement tasks for the relevant modules will support all placements (except EDU60322). All students will be strongly encouraged to gain additional voluntary experience in their own time in order to develop a strong portfolio of experiences to support anticipated exit routes. In exceptional circumstances, students who are unable to attend placement engage with tasks from the placement booklet supported by further independent research augmented by VLE materials.

Reflection on placement experiences, and analysis of these, linked to taught module outcomes, is part of the assessments for the above modules. The purpose of placement within the course is to add value to relevant modules by contextualising taught sessions. It aims to deepen knowledge, understanding and application of key theories and principles through first-hand, real-world and practical experiences; and to support students in the development of appropriate professional and transferable skills through their work in educational and education related settings, including schools. This will directly enhance students' potential employability and selection of possible exit routes.

Students will be encouraged to establish mutually beneficial relationships with the local community through placements and additional volunteering. Placement modules will highlight the importance of professionalism and the opportunities for leaving a positive legacy from practice, research or projects conducted in the local community. Placements will be arranged through the Placement Services team. All placements undertaken will comply with the Code of Practice for Work-based and Placement Learning. All students are subject to Enhanced Disclosure Procedures on arrival at BGU, and before undertaking any placement, in order to comply with Safeguarding requirements.

In Sport the opportunity to undertake a work placement occurs in the Level 5 module Sports Development, Promotion and Leadership. The placement duration is 15 days/120 hours and normally occur over four weeks during the second semester at Level 5. This work-related learning experience seeks to enhance students' subject specific skills, knowledge and understanding, intellectual and transferable skills' (see: Code of Practice for Work-based Learning). Subject area staff and designated personal tutors support individual students to determine what placement to undertake, and planning for these work-related learning experiences occurs early on in

Semester 1 at Level 5. Students are responsible for identifying their own placement provider although they may seek assistance from BG Futures and the module tutor. Once a student has identified a placement provider the module tutor supports the student (with appropriate support from the Placement Office), in completing the necessary paperwork as required by the University and, where required, the provider.

## 28 Employability

This joint honours degree offers a firm base for students hoping to enter a variety of career pathways including but not limited to education-related, health, mental health, or voluntary sector careers. The ability to critically analyse a problem, formulate a considered response, create an argument, and generate new ideas, lend themselves well to careers in the creative industries, the legal sector, government administration and education. Maintaining the focus on real-world application throughout the programme is vital for providing students with a sustained focus on employability and possible career routes.

To support employability, the Education Studies teamwork in partnership with BG Futures. They make students aware of BG Futures' services, refer individual students for guidance, develop course materials that support employability, provide additional opportunities for career support within modules and provide enhancement opportunities for employability outside of module content. Employers work with the placement services team and BG Futures to provide placements and support students in the completion of placement tasks linked to module outcomes. They also contribute to curriculum design and teaching through creating and / or leading sessions related to professional practice within modules. For instance, in EDU50122 Social Justice: Diversity and Inclusion the Lincolnshire Ethnic Minority and Traveller education team inform a session about support for pupils from diverse cultural and linguistic backgrounds as do teachers from specialist SEN provision. Other modules include contributions from children's services, outdoor learning practitioners and leaders of alternative education.

All students develop an e-portfolio, the Development and Career Plan. This is a detailed record of the development of skills, experience, and knowledge which:

- Supports reflection on academic and assessed work and ensures students are able to respond effectively to feedback from tutors and improve their grades
- Allows students to collect evidence of the things that they achieve during their studies that promote their employability
- Makes explicit links between students' work experience and professional standards in Psychology
- Supports the development of a close and well-informed relationship with their personal tutor.

Employability is an important issue to all students. Moving into teacher training, social work, postgraduate research, or other education related roles requires students to distinguish themselves from other graduates in their applications and interviews. The DCP ties in with graduate attributes and BG Futures services and provides students with a means of gathering evidence of all the things they do that would be of interest to an employer. It enables them to frame their skills, knowledge, and work experience in such a way as to make explicit how these are relevant for the posts for which they are applying.

As outlined in section 27 placement modules at each level provide the opportunity to develop transferable professional skills that may enhance students' employability. In addition, the optional EDU50422 module 'Professional Contexts' provides a block of placement experience for students to develop and reflect on practice prior to application and interviews in their final year. It includes opportunities to develop skills for application writing and guidance from BG futures about next steps for Education Studies students threaded through the module. In addition, the grid below gives examples of the way that the programme structure and assessments align to the development of BGU Graduate attributes:

Graduate Attribute	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6	

<b>Academic Literacies</b>	<u>EDU40122 Perspectives on Learning.</u> Referencing, academic writing, reading, paraphrasing, selecting sources embedded in this module alongside content.	<u>EDU50122 Social Justice; Diversity and Inclusion.</u> Seminars include peer collaboration and staff guidance on gathering sources for a literature review and developing an argument.	<u>EDU60322 Dissertation</u> Research skills developed through literature analysis, ethical proposal, methods design, data collection and data presentation and analysis. Skills of research report writing are modelled and supported.
<b>Global Citizenship</b>	<u>EDU40222 Understanding Education Inequality.</u> Students consider the differences in attainment by ethnicity, gender and social economic status. They investigate ways to address these 'gaps and possible reasons for them.	<u>EDU50122 Social Justice; Diversity and Inclusion.</u> Study inclusive practice and legislation for equality. Apply to individual needs in the classroom.	<u>EDU60222 Global Perspectives on Education.</u> Students research the impact of globalisation and controversial issues on outcomes for children and communities around the globe
<b>Information Literacy</b>	<u>EDU40222 Understanding Education Inequality.</u> Students investigate and analyse a range of published sources of data on educational attainment and so learn to interpret and explain data presented in different ways.		<u>EDU60122 Curriculum Debates and Future(s)</u> Students engage with current and historic policy and theory on curriculum development. This involves scrutiny of government documents and extensive analysis and synthesis of different perspectives
<b>Digital Fluency</b>	<u>EDU40222 Understanding Education Students</u> create oral presentations using different digital media.	<u>EDU50122 Social Justice; Diversity and Inclusion</u> Students create multimedia presentations, a multimedia information 'booklet', academic blog, digital portfolio and evaluations of digital media resources.	<u>EDU60322 Dissertation.</u> Students learn about and apply online research methods such as questionnaires. <u>EDU60222 Global Perspectives on Education.</u> Students analyse digital representations of global education and with support from CELT workshops create short films or multimedia presentations to showcase their independent research

<b>Employability</b>	<u>EDU40122 Perspectives on Learning / EDU40222 Understanding Education Inequality.</u> School placements enable students to develop key transferable skills of communication, organisation, planning and teaching under the guidance of the class teacher.	<u>EDU50622 Becoming a Professional.</u> Students develop transferable skills for careers in education related careers through block placement. They are able to plan, teach and gain feedback in school settings, or carry out other professional tasks and discuss their effectiveness with their mentor. They work with BG futures and ES staff to create CVs, career action plans, application letters and reflections on their professional practice. <u>In EDU50122 Social Justice: Diversity and Inclusion.</u> students develop planning and justify pedagogy and support strategies for groups and individual pupils needs which can support their future careers.	<u>In EDU60122 Curriculum Debates and Future(s)</u> Students focus on current curriculum initiatives and alternative approaches which prepare them with knowledge of the national curriculum, innovative curriculum approaches and specific practices for literacy teaching. These support students in their interviews and applications for PGCE and other education related careers.
<b>Being Enterprising</b>	<u>EDU40122 Perspectives on Learning / EDU40222 Understanding Education Inequality.</u> Students develop resilience and adaptability to change through school placements. Students collaborate to develop group presentations.	<u>EDU50622 Becoming a Professional.</u> Students take responsibility for their own career development through action planning and reflecting on practice.	<u>EDU60322 Dissertation.</u> Carrying out independent research projects and dissertations to completion involves long-term planning and organisation, working to deadlines, overcoming setbacks and adapting the task to the needs of the setting where data is collected. Students have to negotiate and gain permissions for their work in professional settings. Each is required to justify why their project is original.

The Sport team, pride themselves on being able to assist students acquire the skills they need to foster their initiative and creativity as responsible global citizens. The Sport team and BG Futures have strong links with a wide range of sporting organisations including, Active Lincolnshire, National Governing Bodies of Sport, Sport England, Inspire+, Youth Sports Trust, Sports Clubs One You Lincolnshire, Positive Futures and Goalball UK. Through working with employers and key stakeholders this programme has been designed to equip students with future-fit skills that will empower them to improve their lives and futures. While employers are not directly involved in providing substantive programme content, relevant individuals are engaged to provide specific guest lectures and live sport project-based learning experiences. As student numbers increase, the programme team, along with BG Futures will work with connected stakeholders from the sport community to source relevant experiences. The programme team will continue to foster positive working relationships with both apprentices,

their mentors, and organisations to build a community of connected and engaged stakeholders that will support sport programmes and activities at BGU. This community will be encouraged to support BSc Students with guest lectures, work placements, the provision of live project briefs and coaching and mentoring. Wherever relevant, the programme level Learning Outcomes that describe 'Transferable Skills' are embedded within specific module level Learning Outcomes. Consequently, such generic employability related skills are often reflected in assignment tasks. The programme provides a credible and valid academic pursuit for those students interested in a wide range of career options, with students gaining transferable skills relevant to many employment routes. Employment in sport, leisure, tourism, management, education, research and health are common graduate pathways for students completing this programme, as well as other wider career destinations. Many students go on to postgraduate qualifications to further enhance their employability or to pursue a particular career such as teaching.

## SECTION E – JOINT PROGRAMME MANAGEMENT

<b>29</b>	<b>Programme Specific Admission Requirements</b>
<p>Students joining this course will normally need 96 -112 UCAS tariff points (from a maximum of four Advanced Level qualifications). There are a range of acceptable qualifications that meet this requirement, such as A/AS Levels, BTEC, Access Courses, International Baccalaureate (IB), Cambridge Pre-U, Extended Project etc.</p> <p>Education Studies students joining this course are required to successfully complete an enhanced DBS check in accordance with the University's Code of Practice for DBS Checks.</p> <p>In line with the priority which it gives to promoting opportunities for lifelong learning and widening access to Higher Education, the University welcomes applications from prospective students who are seeking to gain exemption from some parts of an academic programme by gaining accreditation for prior learning. Such claims may be based either on a previous course of study or on experience gained in paid employment or voluntary activities, bridging assignments are also available if required. If a prospective student has recently completed or studied modules as part of a previous qualification, they may apply for Accreditation for Prior Learning in line with the relevant Code of Practice. In addition, bridging assignments are available to enable students seeking direct entry into Levels 5 or 6 to meet programme specific Level 4 and 5 module outcomes. NB Minimum admission points for entry to the University are reviewed on an annual basis. For entry requirements refer to the current University on-line prospectus <a href="https://www.bishopg.ac.uk/courses/edus">https://www.bishopg.ac.uk/courses/edus</a></p>	
<b>30</b>	<b>Programme Specific Management Arrangements</b>
<p>The Programme Leader for both subject areas will each lead and manage their specific half programme. The programme will be taught by module leaders and tutors, who are all research-active subject specialists.</p>	
<b>31</b>	<b>Staff Responsibilities</b>
<p>Staffing expertise within the respective subject teams is a close match to the module content. Leadership of modules will be designated to those with particular interests and research-informed understandings to support the varied modules. Staff on the programme will be allocated to students as personal tutors and, in the third year of the programme, as research supervisors.</p>	
<b>32</b>	<b>Programme Specific Academic Student Support</b>
<p>Close engagement with the wider professional services as part of the student experience will be embedded within each module. Sessions led by the Library Services team and Centre for Enhancement in Learning and Teaching (CELT) staff, specifically from Digital Learning and Learning Development, will support academic literacies and work towards assessments. Each student will be allocated a designated research supervisor in the third year of study who will oversee, with the student, the development of the research design and ethics forms for submission to the Ethics committee, and the collection and analysis of data for the dissertation. Students will also have an allocated tutor, who will act as personal tutor as part of the Development and Career Plan (DCP) process.</p>	
<b>33</b>	<b>Programme Specific Student Evaluation</b>
<p>The Programme complies with current institutional evaluation policies. Through the Students' Union Representative Feedback System (RFS), a formal procedure has been established to enable students to contribute to the enhancement of the programme through their elected Student Representative.</p>	

## SECTION F – MAPPING

### MAP I

#### ASSESSMENT /OUTCOMES MAP

#### Education Studies JOINT HONOURS

Module Name	Programme outcomes for Education Studies <u>Joint Honours</u> LEVEL 4 Mapped to 60c														
	K&U1	K&U2	K&U3	SPS1	SPS2	SPS3	SPS4	IS1	IS2	IS3	IS4	TS1	TS2	TS3	TS4
EDU40122 Perspectives on Learning (30c)		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	
EDU40222 Understanding Education Inequality (30c)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	
SPO40122 Introduction to Sport and PE (30c)	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
SPO40322 Young People & PA (30c)	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓



## Education Studies JOINT HONOURS

Module Name	Programme outcomes for Education Studies <u>Joint Honours</u> <b>LEVEL 5</b> Shaded module may be replaced by GA or Subject Enhancement Modules– mapped to 45c and 60c														
	K&U1	K&U2	K&U3	SPS1	SPS2	SPS3	SPS4	IS1	IS2	IS3	IS4	TS1	TS2	TS3	TS4
EDU50122 Social Justice: Diversity and Inclusion (30c)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
EDU50422 Interpreting Education Research (15c)		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	
EDU50622 Becoming a Professional (15c)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
SPO50122 PE & Coaching Pedagogy (15c)	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
SPO50422 Sports Development (15c)	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
SPO50222 Research Methods (15c)		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
SPO50622 Methods of Analysis (15c)	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

## Education Studies JOINT HONOURS

Module Name	Programme outcomes for Education Studies <u>Joint Honours</u> <b>LEVEL 6</b> *= Subject Enhancement Module. Shaded modules may be replaced by Sport - mapped to 45c** and 90c														
	K&U1	K&U2	K&U3	SPS1	SPS2	SPS3	SPS4	IS1	IS2	IS3	IS4	TS1	TS2	TS3	TS4
EDU60222 Global Perspectives on Education (30c)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
EDU60122 Curriculum Debates and Future(s) (15c)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
EDU60522 Contexts for Learning (15c)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
EDU60322 Dissertation (45c)		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
SPO60122 Measurement & Evaluation (15c)		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
SPO60422 Contemporary Issues (15c)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
SPO60522 Emotion in Sport & PE (15c)	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓

SPO60322 Dissertation (45c)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
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(\* For students opting to take their Capstone Project in Sport 45 credits in Education Studies are achieved through EDU324 (30c) and either EDU321 (15c) or EDU326 (15c))

(\* For students opting to take their Capstone Project in Education Studies 45 credits in Sport are achieved through SPO331 (15c), SPO334 (15c) and SPO345 (15c))

### Education Studies and Sport JOINT HONOURS CERTIFICATE OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Module Name	Programme outcomes for Education Studies and Sport <u>Certificate of Education</u> LEVEL 4														
	K&U1a	K&U2a	K&U3a	SPS1a	SPS2a			IS1a	IS2a			TS1a	TS2a	TS3a	
EDU40122 Perspectives on Learning (30c)		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	
EDU40222 Understanding Education Inequality (30c)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	
SPO40122 Introduction to Sport and PE (30c)	✓		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	
SPO40322 Young People & PA (30c)	✓	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	

### Education Studies and Sport JOINT HONOURS DIPLOMA OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Module Name	Programme outcomes for Education Studies and Sport <u>Diploma of Education LEVEL 5</u> Shaded module may be replaced by GA or Subject Enhancement Modules– mapped to 45c and 60c														
	K&U1b	K&U2b	K&U3b	SPS1b	SPSb2	SPS3b	SPS4b	IS1b	IS2b	IS3b		TS1b	TS2b	TS3b	TS4b
EDU50122 Social Justice: Diversity and Inclusion (30c)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
EDU50422 Interpreting Education Research (15c)		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	
EDU50622 Becoming a Professional (15c)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
SPO50122 PE & Coaching Pedagogy (15c)	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
SPO50422 Sports Development (15c)	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
SPO50222 Research Methods (15c)		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
SPO50622 Methods of Analysis (15c)	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓

## SECTION G

### MAP 2

#### Graduate Attribute Mapping

Please indicate (with a X) which of the Graduate Attributes that you have considered and where they are considered within the course.

Attribute	Education Studies Joint Programme Learning Outcomes														
	K&U1	K&U2	K&U3	SPS1	SPS2	SPS3	SPS4	IS1	IS2	IS3	IS4	TS1	TS2	TS3	TS4
Academic Literacies	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Global Citizenship	✓	✓	✓				✓			✓		✓			✓
Information Literacy					✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Digital Fluency					✓		✓					✓	✓	✓	
Employability		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Being Enterprising				✓		✓	✓	✓		✓		✓			✓

Attribute	Sport Joint Programme Learning Outcomes												
	K&U1	K&U2	K&U3	SPS1	SPS2	SPS3	IS1	IS2	IS3	TS1	TS2	TS3	TS4
Academic Literacies	✓	✓	✓		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Global Citizenship	✓									✓	✓	✓	✓
Information Literacy					✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Digital Fluency					✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Employability	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Being Enterprising				✓		✓	✓			✓			

**Graduate Attributes**

- GA1. **Academic Literacies** This covers the range of academic skills that you develop through undertaking university-level study.
- GA2. **Global Citizenship** This is about understanding the global context in which you live, study and work
- GA3. **Information Literacy** This is about being able to search for, locate, utilise and manage information effectively and ethically
- GA4. **Digital Fluency** These are the skills and practices of using digital technology effectively for learning, working and participating in society
- GA5. **Employability** This is all about how best to support you in developing the knowledge, skills, behaviours and attitudes which will enable you to be successful in work and life
- GA6. **Being Enterprising** This can be defined as a set of behaviours, attitudes and skills which allow both individuals and groups to create positive change through creativity and innovation

*NB the above align to the Employability outcomes on the module specifications*

<http://www.bishopg.ac.uk/student/careers/graduate-attributes/Pages/default.aspx>

# SECTION H

## MAP 3

### Approved Modifications to Programme Specification since Approval/Last Review

The following log provides a cumulative of minor and major modifications made to the Programme Specification since its approval/last review.

QASA Reference	Brief Outline of Light/Minor Modification/ Major Modification <i>(Light/Minor - include level &amp; title of modules &amp; a brief description of modification)</i> <i>(Major - include details of change such as new routes, pathways etc)</i>	Date of QASA Approval (or event)	Approval effective from:	Details of cohort of students who will be affected by the modification <i>(eg students entering Level 5 from September 2016 onward)</i>

# SECTION I

## MAP 4

### Mapping of PSRB requirements against the Programme

The following should be used as a guide to identify and specify all PSRB requirements that have to be met in order to qualify a learner against the PSRB.

	PSRB Name/Standard:					
	PSRB Requirement <i>Please details requirement of PSRB here</i>	PSRB Requirement <i>Please details requirement of PSRB here</i>	PSRB Requirement <i>Please details requirement of PSRB here</i>	PSRB Requirement <i>Please details requirement of PSRB here</i>	PSRB Requirement <i>Please details requirement of PSRB here</i>	PSRB Requirement <i>Please details requirement of PSRB here</i>
Met?						
Modules Identified in:						
Evidence of Requirement met						
Location of PSRB Approval Document						