



KENYATTA
UNIVERSITY



SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Preamble



The School of Education (SOE) is the largest and oldest school in Kenyatta University. It serves other schools of the university in the professional development of teachers and educationalists at different levels of Kenya's educational system. Backed by its long experience, the SOE offers the most enriched programmes in the field of education which is hard to find in other universities in East and Central Africa. The School is founded on the philosophy that National Capacity Building in terms of development of human resources can effectively be enriched and strengthened through the provision of quality education that is responsive to a transforming society. In this regard the SOE specializes in relevant issue – **based research and high quality teaching programmes.**

LOCATION:

The School of Education is located off the Kenya Drive next to the old Moi Library.

VISION:

To be a leading Education Centre in provision of quality education and research.

MISSION:

The mission of the School of Education is to undertake high quality teaching and research in preparing and training personnel for

OBJECTIVES

- Expand and diversify existing programmes in order to offer increased opportunities for relevant academic and professional development.
- Train skilled human resource required in all areas of education for this country, African Region and the world at large.
- Intensify the pursuit of research and dissemination of findings.
- Provide service to the community through outreach programmes.
- Provide consultancy services in the area of education.

MODE OF DELIVERY

— *Lecture and tutorial contact hours.*

— *Open Learning mode.*

— *Research assignment by students.*

— *Seminars.*

STRUCTURE OF THE SCHOOL

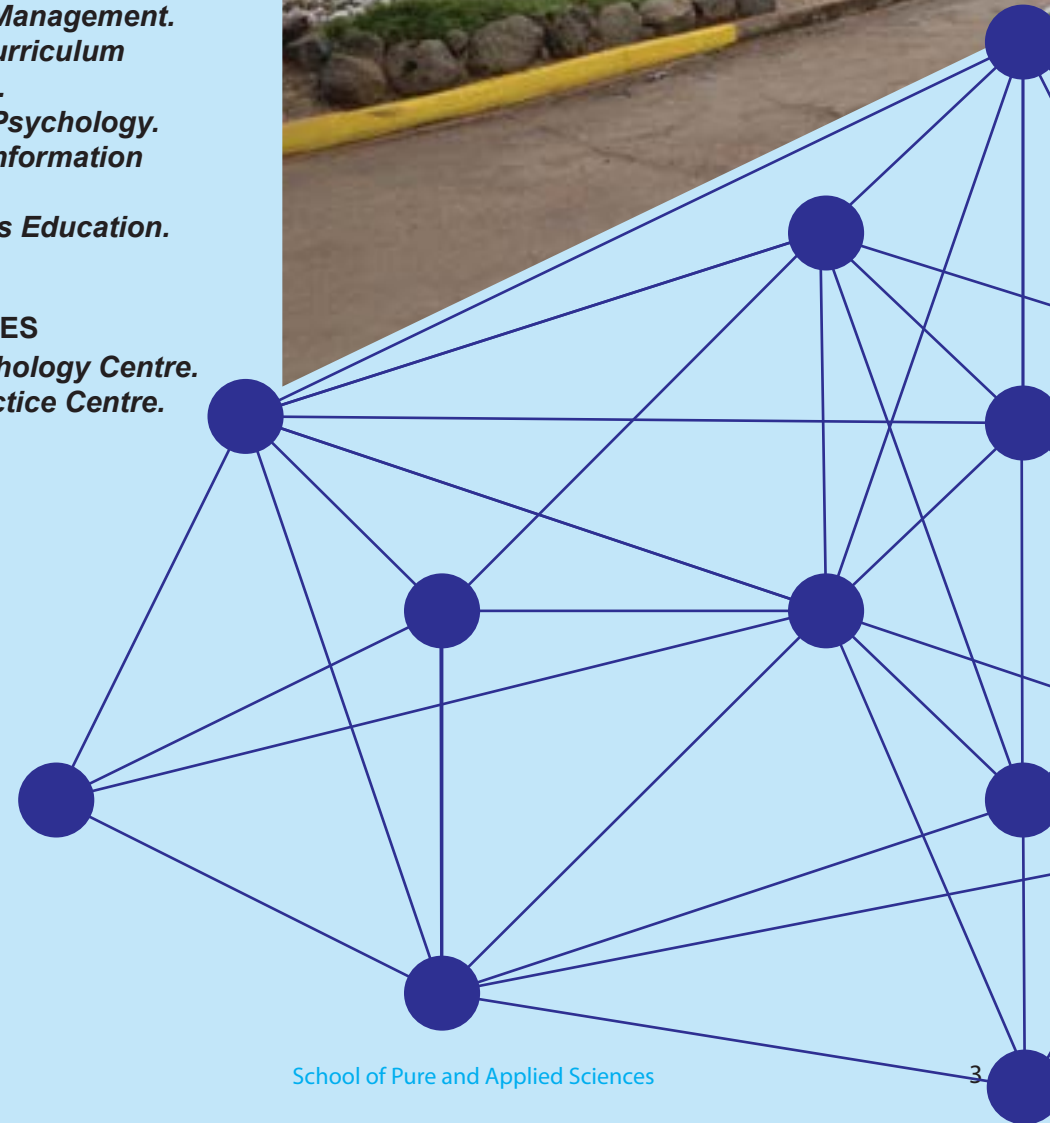
The School comprises of seven (7) departments and two (2) centers.

DEPARTMENTS

- *Early Childhood Education.*
- *Educational Communication and Technology.*
- *Educational Foundations.*
- *Educational Management.*
- *Policy and Curriculum Development.*
- *Educational Psychology.*
- *Library and Information Sciences.*
- *Special Needs Education.*

CENTRES AND DIRECTORATES

- *Neuro – Psychology Centre.*
- *Teaching practice Centre.*



Existing programmes:

The School of Education offers the Certificate, Diploma, Undergraduate and Postgraduate courses up to the level of Ph.D.

CERTIFICATE COURSES

- *Certificate in Early Childhood Education.*
- *Certificate in Special Needs Education.*

DIPLOMA COURSES

- *Diploma in Clinical Child Neuropsychology.*
- *Diploma in Early Childhood Education*
- *Diploma in Guidance and Counseling.*
- *Diploma in Primary Teacher Education.*
- *Diploma in Public Relations.*
- *Diploma in School Management.*
- *Diploma in Special Needs Education.*

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates are admitted to the various degree programmes after satisfying the admission requirements of Kenyatta University as per university calendar and statutes.

Candidates must also satisfy departmental criteria of the courses they apply for.



LIST OF PROGRAMMES

- *Bachelor of Education(Arts)*
- *Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood Education)*
- *Bachelor of Education(Home Economics)*
- *Bachelor of Education(Library Science)*
- *Bachelor of Education(Primary Teacher Education)*
- *Bachelor of Education(Records Management and Technology)*
- *Bachelor of Education(Science)*
- *Bachelor of Education (Special Education)*
- *Bachelor of Library and Information Science*

Mode of Study and Duration:

The undergraduate programmes are offered on Full – time, Institutional Based and Open Learning modes of study.

The duration of study for all undergraduate programmes is four years, where students enroll for between 5 to 7 units each year.

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMAS

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates are admitted to the degree programme after satisfying the admission requirements of Kenyatta University.

Preferably a Bachelors Degree in related area of study from a recognized university.

Candidates must also satisfy departmental requirements before registering the courses in any department.

LIST OF PROGRAMMES

- *Postgraduate Diploma Contemporary Issues in Education.*
- *Postgraduate Diploma in Early Childhood Development.*
- *Postgraduate Diploma in Educational Leadership and Management.*
- *Postgraduate Diploma in Education*
- *Postgraduate Diploma in Health Education.*
- *Postgraduate Diploma in Social Science Research.*
- *Postgraduate Diploma in Psycho – Educational*

MASTERS PROGRAMMES

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

To qualify for a Masters programme the common regulations for the university apply. In addition, eligibility to the programme will require an applicant to have one of the following qualifications.

First degree in a relevant discipline with at least second class honours upper division from Kenyatta University or its equivalent from a recognized university.

A second class lower degree in relevant disciplines with at least two years working experience.

LIST OF PROGRAMMES

- *Master of Education Early Childhood Education.*
- *Master of Education Educational Communication Technology in:*
 - Creative Arts Education.
 - Educational Technology
 - ICT Education
 - Language Education.
 - Mathematics Education
 - Science Education
 - Social Studies Education

- **Master of Educational Foundations in:**
 - Comparative and International Studies
 - Health Education
 - History of Education.
 - Philosophy of Education
 - Sociology of Education and Policy studies.
- **Master of Education in Guidance and Counselling**
- **Master of Education Higher Education.**
- **Master of Education Library Information Sciences.**
- **Master of Educational Management, Policy and Curriculum Development in:**
 - Educational Administration
 - Educational Curriculum Development.
 - Economics of Education
 - Educational Planning
- **Master of Education Psychology**
- **Master of Education Records and Archive Management.**
- **Master of Education Special Needs Education.**

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY / DOCTOR OF EDUCATION PROGRAMMES

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The Ph.D programmes are offered either by thesis only or course work and research.

The duration of study is three years full time and six years part- time.

Applicants must possess a Masters Degree or equivalent qualifications from Kenyatta University or any other recognized university and fulfill other departmental requirements

LIST OF PROGRAMMES

- **Creative Arts Education**
- **Early Childhood Education**
- **Educational Administration**
- **Educational Curriculum**
- **Economics of Education**
- **Educational Planning**
- **Educational Psychology**
- **Educational Technology**
- **Guidance and Counseling**
- **ICT Education**
- **Language Education**
- **Library and Information Sciences**

- **Mathematics Education**
- **Science Education**
- **Social Studies Education**
- **Special Needs Education**
- **Records and Archive Management**





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