Secondary Post-Degree Professional Program (September entry)
(Bachelor of Education degree or Diploma)

Guidelines for determining admission eligibility with
Technology Innovation in Education (TIE)

Questions? Contact Education Advising: adv@uvic.ca

Student name: ____________________________
UVic student #: V00

This information is subject to change. Consult an adviser if you are planning to enter this program after 2018.

Program admission requirements

1. Admissibility to the university. The Undergraduate Admissions and Records office determines eligibility for admission to UVic.
2. An acceptable undergraduate bachelor’s degree recognized by the University of Victoria.
3. 3.0 units of approved English (literature and composition or all literature).
4. Demonstrated competency in written English (grade requirement; see page 2).
5. A sessional grade-point average (GPA) of at least 3.00/9-point scale (UVic C+). See page 2.
6. A 30-unit GPA of at least 3.00/9-point scale (UVic C+). See page 2.
7. Approved academic studies in one or two teachable subjects relevant to the BC curriculum. The list of available subjects is provided on the program website at www.uvic.ca/education/secondarypdpp.
8. A minimum GPA of at least 4.00/9-point scale (UVic B-) on the specified courses in each teachable subject area (see below).
9. Applicants must describe their learning and teaching goals, relevant experience, skill, and interest in working with youth in educative ways via supporting documents (such as a letter of intent, résumé and reference forms). Eligible applicants may also be invited to attend an interview.

➔ Between September and January 2, go to www.uvic.ca/education/home/home/apply/ugapply/index.php for application instructions and faculty selection criteria for the upcoming intake.

Notes
• A 1.5-unit course (equivalent to 3-4 credits at most institutions) meets for at least 3 hours per week for 13 weeks (one term).
• At UVic, ‘upper-level’ refers to 300 and/or 400-level courses normally taken in third and fourth year after introductory studies.

Teachable subject area: Technology Innovation in Education

Technology Innovation in Education (TIE) provides an opportunity to focus on the use of technology in teaching rather than being a subject taught in secondary schools. For this reason, TIE must be combined with an approved teachable subject area from the following options (please circle one):

Art, biology, chemistry, English, French, general science, math, music, physics, or social studies.

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☐ Minimum B- average on upper-level courses: 12

Reviewed by adviser: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________

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# Admission requirements

## Undergraduate degree

Undergraduate Admissions and Records will confirm that you have a recognized undergraduate degree upon application.

- [ ] I was awarded a bachelor's degree by (name of university) ___________________________ in (month/year) ____________
- [ ] My bachelor's degree is in-progress. I expect to graduate from (name of university) ______________________ by (month/year) ____________

My major is: ___________________________. My minor, if applicable, is: ___________________________.

1. ___________________________.
2. ___________________________.
3. ___________________________.
4. ___________________________.

## Approved English (3 units)

- 3 units of approved literature, or
- 1.5 units of approved literature and 1.5 units of approved English composition.

Examples of acceptable UVic courses include: ENGL (115* or 135* or 215*), 146, 147, 200A, 200B, 200C, 201, 202, 203, 207, 208, 209, or 260. 

*English composition. Note ENGL 115 is no longer offered. Teacher Regulation Branch regulations do not allow us to accept communications, creative writing, journalism, or technical writing courses or more than 1.5 units of composition*.

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## Written English Competency

- This will be satisfied with a grade of C+ or higher in each of two approved English courses.
- Consult an education adviser if you've completed any English course with less than a C+ grade.
- See Faculty of Education section 12.1 in the calendar at [web.uvic.ca/calendar2017-09/undergrad/education/teacher-admissions.html](http://web.uvic.ca/calendar2017-09/undergrad/education/teacher-admissions.html)

- [ ] Satisfied with grades of C+ or higher in each of the above approved English courses.
- [ ] Above approved English courses are planned or in progress.
- [ ] Not yet satisfied with grades on the above approved English courses.

## Minimum Grade Point Averages

To be considered for selection by faculty, you'll need:

- An average of at least 3.00/9-point scale on the most recent 30 units attempted to December 31. This GPA will be a factor in selection for program admission.
- An average of at least 3.00/9-point scale on the most recent sessional GPA of at least 12 units attempted to April 30.
- An average of at least 4.00/9-point scale on specified courses included in the teachable subject area(s).

Information about UVic's grading system and a sample GPA calculation can be found at [www.uvic.ca/registrar/students/policies/calc/index.php](http://www.uvic.ca/registrar/students/policies/calc/index.php).

Grade point average conversions from other institutions and calculations are done by Undergraduate Admissions and Records upon application.

1 3.00 on UVic's 9-point scale is equivalent to C+ (UVic 65 – 69%).
2 4.00 on UVic's 9-point scale is equivalent to B- (UVic 70 – 72%).

## Application deadlines

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<td>Final document deadline (transcripts from elsewhere showing grades for courses completed to April 30)</td>
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Information about the application process is available from the Faculty of Education website [www.uvic.ca/education](http://www.uvic.ca/education) from September to January annually.