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Arts Education and Arts Based Research

- arts based research methodologies
- arts education in a multicultural context
- arts education in the community
- assessment and evaluation in arts education
- computer applications in music
- creative industries
- creativity
- drama education
- education and visual arts education
- music curriculum development and implementation
- theory and practice in arts education
- visual arts curriculum development and implementation
- visual literacy

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Applied Learning & Professional Education & Training

- education administration and regulation within VET
- education and media
- educational change
- ethical issues in educational administration
- feminist pedagogy
- history of reform: social movements and social order
- Institutional ethnography
- instructional supervision and teacher development
- leadership and organisational change
- leadership and pedagogy
- marketing education
- school principalship
- school-based decision making and educational reform
- school-level evaluation
- teachers' work, the labour process of teaching
- technology, labour processes and the school-to-work relationship
- theories of management
- time/space analysis of administration

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Curriculum & Administration

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Early Childhood Education

- a developmental approach to multi-aging
- assessment
- children's play and learning
- early literacy development
- language and early childhood
- mathematics in early childhood education
- Montessori method
- music/Arts education and early childhood
- pedagogy
- reflective practice to enhance teachers' professional growth and development
- science and environmental education

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Education Studies Major and Pedagogy

- bureaucracy and devolution
- critical reformulation of education
- cross cultural/race/ethnic/post colonial analysis of education, curriculum and policy
- education and popular culture
- feminist/gender analysis of education and curriculum, policy and administration
- gender equity policy
- globalisation and the nation-state
- government and school system relations
- higher education reform
- history of education
- international education
- mandate theory
- multiculturalism as an educational policy
- new knowledge work
- new policy on sociology
- pedagogy
- policy and administration
- professional development
- professionalism
- teacher education
- teacher unions
- the politics of private schooling
- vocational education policy and reform
- youth studies and education

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- individual special needs
- multiple intelligence

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Humanities, Societies and Environment

- children's literature
- creative writing
- history perspectives education
- humanities curriculum
- literature
- social education

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Health & Physical Education

- assessment in physical education
- culture, media and the body
- curriculum development and evaluation
- drug education
- educational policy in health & physical education
- gender and sexuality
- improving teaching in health & physical education
- masculinity and sport
- outdoor and environmental studies
- physical education as a vehicle for teaching responsibility
- politics of health education
- school recess and children's play
- sport education
- student engagement with physical education
- anti-bullying programs and policies
- resilience
- social and emotional learning social skills

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Language & Literacy Education

- academic literacy's
- bilingual education
- children's literature
- classroom discourse analysis
- cross-cultural communication
- curriculum innovation in language education
- developing critical literacy's
- English teaching
- language and gender
- language in the different subject areas
- literacy - early childhood to adult
- oral language
- politics and English literacy studies
- popular culture and literacy
- second-language learning and teaching
- teaching reading and writing
- out-of- school literacy

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Mathematics Education

- assessing mathematical learning and teaching
- communities of mathematical inquiry
- constructivism in mathematics education
- early mathematics intervention strategies
- games
- gender and equity issues in mathematics education
- language factors in mathematics learning
- mathematics and information & communications technology (ICT)
- numeracy issues
- philosophies of mathematics education
- problem solving
- professional development of maths teachers
- quality teaching and learning in mathematics
- social, cultural and political issues in mathematics education
- using technology to enhance mathematics learning

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Science & Environmental Education

- case study and participatory research in science and environmental education
- cultural studies in science and environmental education (new addition)
- curriculum development in science, technology and environmental education
- curriculum evaluation in science and environmental education
- environmental education and popular media
- gender issues in science and environmental education
- hands on learning in science education
- learning and teaching in science and technology education
- professional development in science and environmental education
- professional identities in science education
- science education and popular media
- science-technology-society (STS)
- student conceptions in science
- technology and science education

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TESOL & LOTE

- classroom-based research into language learning and teaching
- content-based language teaching
- cross cultural pragmatics
- cross-cultural communication
- culturally sensitive pedagogy
- discourse analysis
- English for academic purposes
- Internationalising/globalising the curriculum
- language teaching methodology
- Language, culture, identity and education
- learning styles and strategies
- second language curriculum and program evaluation
- second language listening, comprehension
- second language literacy – early childhood to adult
- second language workplace education
- second/foreign language acquisition – early childhood to adult
- socio-cultural theory and language learning
- teaching in cross-cultural/cross linguistic contexts

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