Combined Degree Programs Proposed:

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1 Summary

This is a proposal to create 5 Combined Degree Programs combining programs that involve either the Honours Bachelor of Science (H.B.Sc.) or Honours Bachelor of Arts (H.B.A.) and Master of Teaching (MT). Every combination of degree programs is understood as a unique Combined Degree Program, thus this proposal an omnibus proposal for 5 distinct CDPs. The following undergraduate program options at the Faculty of Arts and Science may be in combination with the MT:

1) Minor in Education and Society offered by the Faculty of Arts and Science in association with Victoria College (critical undergraduate element that will be part of each combined degree program).

The Minor in Education and Society allows students interested in education to explore topics such as child and adolescent development, equity and diversity in education, communication and conflict resolution; get hands-on experience in classrooms through local placements and international internships; and gain strong background for admission to a graduate teacher education program.

2) And any one of the following major programs:
   - Major in English
   - Major in History
   - Major in Mathematics
   - Major in Psychology
   - Major in Sociology

3) Students must also enrol in one additional minor program which will allow them to complete both the requirements for their undergraduate degree, and the requirements for their second teaching subjects. Therefore all CDP students must complete one Major and 2 Minors at the undergraduate level.

The formal name of the Combined Degree programs approved in governance will be:

- Combined Degree Program: STG, Honours Bachelor of Arts, Major in English/Master of Teaching
- Combined Degree Program: STG, Honours Bachelor of Arts, Major in History/Master of Teaching
- Combined Degree Program: STG, Honours Bachelor of Science, Major in Mathematics/Master of Teaching
- Combined Degree Program: STG, Honours Bachelor of Science, Major in Psychology/Master of Teaching
- Combined Degree program: STG, Honours Bachelor of Arts, Major in Sociology/Master of Teaching

All above listed undergraduate minor and major programs and the MT are existing University of Toronto programs.

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child and adolescent development, equity and diversity in education, communication and conflict resolution; get hands-on experience in classrooms through local placements and international internships; and gain strong background for admission to a graduate teacher education program.

This Combined Degree Program requires that students applying to the MT have two teaching subjects regardless of the concentration they are applying to (i.e. Intermediate/Senior, Junior/Intermediate or Primary/Junior). This means that they are required to have six full-year university courses (6.0 FCE) in the first teaching subject, and a minimum of three full-year courses in the second teaching subject (3.0 FCE). Note: French as a Second Language, International Languages and Science subjects require more than 3 full-year university courses. The table below presents the teaching subject associated with each program of study. The major will be the first (a minimum of 6.0 FCE) teaching subject in each combination

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The following additional minor programs are recommended:

- Major in English, with a minor in History, Psychology, Sociology, Anthropology or Math
- Major in History, with a minor in English, Psychology, Sociology, Anthropology or Math
- Major in Mathematics, with a minor in English, Psychology, Sociology, Anthropology or History
- Major in Psychology, with a minor in English, History or Math
- Major in Sociology, with a minor in English, History, or Math

Students will be carefully advised to ensure that they fulfil teaching subject requirements when selecting their additional minor programs (in addition to the Education and Society minor and one of the above listed five major programs). In addition to the Teaching Subjects Prerequisites for Intermediate/Senior Candidates in the MT (see Appendix A), OISE will develop comprehensive guidelines that will assist the Combined Degree Program students in making decisions regarding selecting additional Minor programs that will help them meet the prerequisites for their second teaching subjects.

The Master of Teaching program is a full-time professional program of education that leads to a master degree and eligibility to become a certified teacher in Ontario.

Once approved by both Faculty Councils, the Combined Degree Programs being brought forward in this proposal will provide students with the opportunity to gain early (conditional) graduate admission (in Year 3 of undergraduate study), a clear pathway towards the teaching profession, and access to an enriched combination of academic programs. For example, the above-mentioned undergraduate minor program in Education and Society provide the students interested in applying to the Combined Degree Program an exceptional content background required for teaching
preparation. This includes education focused courses in child and adolescent development, equity and diversity and communication and conflict resolution in education coupled with an internship experience in educational settings such as schools or community organizations, etc.

Students who successfully complete the Combined Degree Program, will have earned two University of Toronto degrees (i.e. H.B.Sc. or H.BA and MT), and be recommended to the Ontario College of Teachers for a Certificate of Qualification, which certifies them to teach in Ontario schools.

Currently, students who are interested at the outset of their undergraduate studies in pursuing a degree in teacher education have applied to and registered in one of the existing Concurrent Teacher Education programs (CTEP). With the restructuring of teacher education in the Province, and the move from a one year to a two-year program for teacher education, these programs have been closed to new admissions. In their place, the Faculty of Arts and Science and OISE are bringing forward the proposed Combined Degree Program that builds on Victoria College’s and OISE’s long standing partnership in teacher education.

2 Effective Date: September 2016

- First date students will apply to the Combined Degree Program: April 2016
- The date the first cohort will be registered in the Combined Degree Program: September 2016
- First year CDP students will be unconditionally in the Graduate Degree Program (where applicable): September 2017

3 Academic Rationale

The Ontario Government has confirmed that, commencing in September 2015, a two-year B.Ed. program will replace the current one year B.Ed. programs in the Province. As the B.Ed. within CTEP is the equivalent of a one-year program, the University of Toronto has ceased admission into CTEP. All Students currently registered in CTEP programs are expected to graduate in June 2018.

OISE has explored possibilities to continue and build on the fruitful collaboration in teacher education that it has maintained with its undergraduate partners. The proposed Combined Degree Program, H.B.Sc. or H.BA/Master of Teaching builds on that collaboration, and is intended to allow students interested in the teaching profession to apply to the master’s program in Year 3 of undergraduate study, get an excellent foundation in a range of educational issues and teaching strategies combined with a deep knowledge of curriculum and research with an opportunity to develop as teacher-researchers ready to both engage in classrooms and/or continue their academic career through doctoral study.

A Combined Degree Program (CDP) is a program category that allows a student to be registered in two approved degree programs at the same time and complete the requirements of both in a manner that provides a benefit to the student beyond what would result from completing the two degree programs separately. The Combined Degree Program offers several advantages to students. The Vic One Egerton Ryerson Stream, which is the Education Stream for Year 1 Students
(recommended) and the Education and Society Minor provide enriched background preparation for graduate studies in Education. Students will benefit from the additional focus and direction offered by conditional early admission to the MT. By taking 1.0 FCE in the MT at OISE in their fourth year, they will be integrated into graduate study earlier and have fewer required courses to complete during their two years of graduate-only study, thus allowing additional time for independent research or optional areas of specialization.

As a graduate teacher education program, the MT will provide students with a broader range of career options in Canada and internationally (not only in the school system but also in public or private sectors including health care, governmental and non-governmental organizations, business and community). For example, MT graduates are eligible to apply for admission to doctoral programs in education at OISE, other Ontario universities, as well as at leading universities in Canada and around the world.

Owing to their intensive exposure to courses and practical experiences that explore general issues in education and also develop strong subject matter knowledge in their areas of study, students enrolled in the Education and Society minor program and any one of the above listed major programs are ideally suited to a Combined Degree Program with the Master of Teaching (MT) program.

### 4 Need and Demand

The existing CTEP programs have admitted up to 160 students per year distributed across six partner divisions. At the same time, demand for OISE’s master’s level teacher education programs has been increasing. For example, in 2014-2015, OISE had 862 applications for 262 places in the Master of Teaching program.

It is expected that the proposed Combined Degree Program will be popular with students as it will provide them with the opportunity to gain early (conditional) graduate admission, a clear academic pathway, and an enriched combination of academic programs that will support career success. Specifically, students in the Combined Degree Program will explore topics in education such as child and adolescent development and get hands-on experiences in classrooms, which are embedded in their undergraduate degree and represent an ideal preparation for a professional teacher education program at the graduate level.

Research shows that the quality of teaching is the most significant factor affecting student achievement, and its impact can directly be influenced by initial and continuing teacher education. Like other professions at the “human interface”, such as psychology and speech pathology—through teacher education at a graduate level—we can educate teacher leaders and teacher researchers who are well prepared to use data to construct tailored interventions for individual students in diverse learning environments. The Master of Teaching program involves rigorous academic standards, high expectations for students, integrated, comprehensive and sophisticated learning outcomes. The Combined Bachelors/Master’s program leading towards teaching certification will be unique in Ontario, and it is expected that it will be highly competitive and in high demand.

Students will be admitted to the MT on a competitive basis as part of the overarching MT target.
There will be no minimum or maximum number of students in the total MT enrolment target that may come from the Combined Degree Program.

5 Program Requirements

Students complete full academic program requirements for their selected applicable major and the second minor program while carrying a full course load of 5.0 FCE each year. All students must also enrol and complete the Minor in the Education and Society offered by Victoria College. Currently the requirements for the Minor are to complete 4.0 FCEs including at least 1.0 FCE at 300+ level,

1. **PSY100H1** (Introductory Psychology)
2. All of: **JSV200H1** (Communication and Conflict Resolution in Education), JSV201H1 (Child and Adolescent Development in Education), **JSV202H1** (Equity and Diversity in Education)
3. **VIC360H1/VIC360Y1** (Education Internship)
4. **VIC362H1** (Introduction to Teaching)
5. One FCE from: **VIC361H0, VIC363H1** (A Study of Chinese Literature and Culture), a course related to Education and Society at the 300+ level selected from the offerings in Sociology, Anthropology or Geography (Arts). The requirement for the Minor in Education and Society Minor for students in one of the 5 Combined Degree Programs will include the same undergraduate courses as the current minor and requirement 5 will be completed through successful completion of the double counted graduate courses CTL7001H1, CTL7009H1

In Year 3, students interested in one of the Combined Degree Programs will apply to the Master of Teaching and the Combined Degree Program through the SGS Graduate Online Admission Application system. Successful students will be conditionally admitted into the Master of Teaching program and the Combined Degree Program. Graduate admission at this point, when the student has not yet completed the undergraduate degree program, is conditional. Once students have accepted a conditional offer of admission to the MT program, they are in the Combined Degree Program. During Year 4 of undergraduate study, they will be eligible to take 1.0 graduate FCE at OISE – CTL7001H (Educational Professionalism, Ethics and the Law) and CTL7009H (Anti-Discriminatory Education), in addition to completing the requirements of their undergraduate degree. The 1.0 graduate FCE will be graded as graduate courses, as per the UAGPP. The graduate courses double count both towards the undergraduate degree (satisfying degree requirements) and the Master of Teaching degree. Students who successfully complete the undergraduate degree program with appropriate grade standing (B+; CGPA of 3.3) and meet the other admission criteria of the MT will at this stage be admitted unconditionally to the MT. In Year 5, these students will continue in their graduate level studies following the normal path to completion with the exception of the two half courses they completed in Year 4. Students will complete the MT in the usual program length of 5 continuous sessions.
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6 Admission Process

Students in the third year of the H.B.Sc. or H.B.A. will be eligible to apply through the School of Graduate Studies Online Application System to the proposed Combined Degree Program. Students interested in the Combined Degree Program will apply during the Fall term of their Year 3, and if eligible, will receive a conditional offer of admission to the MT program by the end of the Winter term of their 3rd year in the undergraduate program.

For students to be given full, unconditional admission to the MT program, they must maintain at least a B+ (3.3) average in their final year or over senior courses; achieve a grade of at least B+ average in the 1.0 FCE graduate courses taken in Year 4; successfully complete the requirements for the H.B.Sc./H.B.A. program and have the degree conferred. If at the end of 4th year the student has not met the requirement of completing 6.0 FCEs in the first teaching subject and 3.0 FCEs in the second teaching subject, the offer of conditional admission to the Combined Degree Program will be rescinded. Students in this position could apply separately to the Master of Teacher outside of the Combined Degree Program.
7 Admission Requirements

The proposal for the Combined Degree Program does not affect the approved admission requirements for the H.B.Sc. or H.B.A. degree.

To be considered for conditional admission to the Master of Teaching and the Combined Degree Program, students must meet the following admission requirements:

1. Be enrolled in the Education and Society Minor Program at Victoria College.
2. Be registered in the 3rd year of the H.B.Sc. or H.B.A. Degree Program, in one of the above listed major programs.
3. Have completed—or be on the course to complete—the education-focused courses and practical experiences embedded in the undergraduate degree.
4. Have an average grade equivalent of at least B+ or better, normally demonstrated by an average grade in the 2nd year.
5. Provide at least two letters of reference.
6. Be on course to complete the prerequisites for two teaching subjects irrespective of whether they ultimately intended registering in the Intermediate/Senior, Junior/Intermediate or Primary/Junior concentration (Note: candidates must have completed at least half of the teaching subjects prerequisite courses [i.e. 3.0 FCE in 1st teaching subject, and 1.5 FCE in 2nd teaching subject] by the time they are conditionally admitted to the MT program, that is, by the 2nd term of 3rd year in the undergraduate program).
7. Meet other qualifications as specified by the MT program:
   • Applicants are admitted under the General Regulations of the School of Graduate Studies.
   • Applicants must also satisfy the Department of Curriculum, Teaching and Learning's additional admission requirements stated below.
   • Applicants must have an appropriate bachelor's degree with the equivalent of a University of Toronto B+ or better in the final year. Note: all students admitted to the MT via the Combined Degree Program must have a higher average grade requirement than that required for admission to the MT alone.
   • In their Statement of Intent, applicants should indicate their preferred concentration (i.e., Primary/ Junior, Junior/Intermediate, or Intermediate/Senior) and describe three significant teaching and/or teaching-related experiences that they have had, especially with groups of children. With reference to these experiences, applicants should identify insights gained about teaching and learning, and explain how, based on these insights, they might contribute to the education of students in today's schools. Included in their resumé, applicants are requested to list, in chart form, the extent of their teaching experiences. The chart should include dates, location of experience, role, and number of hours working with students.
   • A police record check is required in a practicum setting in both Year 1 and 2 of the program.

Note: all students must meet the requirements for two teaching subjects. In order to meet the admissions requirements for their two teaching subjects, applicants must be on the course to
completing the required number of prerequisite courses in each of their subject areas as part of their undergraduate studies. Specifically, applicants must have six full university courses (or equivalent) in their first teaching subject, and three full university courses (or equivalent) in their second teaching subject. Note: French as a Second Language, International Languages and Science subjects require more than 3 full-year university courses (see Appendix A).

Note: If at the end of 4th year the student has not met the requirement of completing 6.0 FCEs in the first teaching subject and 3.0 FCEs in the second teaching subject, the offer of conditional admission to the Combined Degree Program will be rescinded. Students in this position could apply separately to the Master of Teacher outside of the Combined Degree Program.

8 Calendar Copy

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Every combination of degree programs is understood as a unique Combined Degree Program, thus this proposal an omnibus proposal for 5 distinct CDPs. Each combination will have a discreet SGS Calendar entry. The entry below is for the Combined Degree Program: STG, Honours Bachelor of Arts, Major in English/Master of Teaching. As each combination has the same admission and graduate program requirements, the entry below is representative of the different combinations.

2016-17 SGS Calendar

English (Major), Honours Bachelor of Arts / Master of Teaching

Overview

The Combined Degree Program (CDP): Honours Bachelor of Arts, Major in English / Master of Teaching (MT) is designed for students interested in studying the intersections of English and Education, coupled with professional teacher preparation.

Students earn an honour's bachelor's degree from the Faculty of Arts and Science and an accredited professional Master of Teaching (MT) degree at the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education (OISE). They will be recommended to the Ontario College of Teachers for an Ontario Teacher's Certificate of Qualifications as elementary or secondary school teachers. Distinct advantages include:

- early application to the MT program (in Year 3) and conditional admission to the MT program;
- eligibility for certification as a teacher in Ontario; and
- eligibility to apply for doctoral study.

This CDP permits the completion of both degrees in six years with a limited number of courses that may be counted towards both the undergraduate and graduate degrees (i.e., 1.0 full-course equivalent [FCE]).

For a general description of CDPs, see General Regulations section 1.5.3.

Degree Programs in This Combination

English, HBA
Teaching, MT

Application Process

- Applicants apply to the HBA program, the MT program, and the CDP.
Requirements

Minimum Admission Requirements

• Applicants must have been admitted to the HBA degree program and the English major program.
• Applicants must meet the admission requirements of the School of Graduate Studies and the MT program.
• In addition, applicants to the MT program must have an average grade of at least B+ (3.3).
• Applicants must complete two undergraduate minors: one in Education and Society, and the second to fulfill the admission requirements for a second teaching subject as part of the MT.
• At least two letters of reference.
• Please see the contact information below to find details on each program’s admission requirements.
• In their Statement of Intent, applicants should indicate their preferred concentration (i.e., Primary/Junior, Junior/Intermediate, or Intermediate/Senior) and describe three significant teaching and/or teaching-related experiences that they have had, especially with groups of children. With reference to these experiences, applicants should identify insights gained about teaching and learning, and explain how, based on these insights, they might contribute to the education of students in today’s schools. Included in their resumé, applicants are requested to list, in chart form, the extent of their teaching experiences. The chart should include dates, location of experience, role, and number of hours working with students.
• Applicants to each concentration will have completed a minimum of 6.0 full-course equivalents (FCEs) as part of the English major requirements in the first teaching subject, and a minimum of 3.0 FCEs in the second teaching subject, from a recognized university. The 22 eligible teaching subjects are:
  o Business studies: accounting, general
  o Dramatic arts
  o English
  o French as a second language
  o Geography
  o Health and physical education
  o History
  o International languages: German, Italian, Spanish, other
  o Mathematics
  o Music: instrumental, vocal
  o Religious education
  o Science: biology, chemistry, physics, general
  o Social science: general
  o Visual arts.

Academic Path to Completion

Every CDP involves a specific combination of approved degree programs. The CDP requirements build on those of the two separate degree programs. Each CDP has a unique pattern of academic activity year by year.

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| 1 to 4 | • HBA program requirements.  
• In Year 4, complete 1.0 full-course equivalent (FCE) in graduate courses.  
• By the end of Year 4, fulfill both the undergraduate program requirements and the undergraduate degree requirements.  
*19.0 FCEs in undergraduate courses, including all requirements for the major in English, minor in Education and Society, and a second minor selected to fulfill the MT admission requirements of a second teaching subject.  
• This includes a minimum of 6.0 FCEs as part of the English major requirements in the in the first teaching subject, and a minimum of 3.0 FCEs in the second teaching subject.  
• Courses required for the minor in Education and Society include: PSY100H1, JSV200H1, JSV201H1, JSV202H1, VIC360H1, VIC360Y1, VIC362H1, one of VIC361H1, VIC363H1, or a 300/400-level course related to Education and Society.  
• CTL 7001H and CTL 7009H, to be taken in Year 4, and which is double counted towards the program requirements for the HBA and MT programs. |
| 5 | • Remaining courses from Year 1 of the MT program  
• 4.5 FCEs of Year 1 MT program requirements |
| 6 | • Remaining courses from Year 2 of the MT program  
• 4.5 FCEs of Year 2 MT program requirements |

*The MT has three concentrations: Primary/Junior, Junior/Intermediate, and Intermediate/Senior. The specific
requirements vary based on which concentration is selected. For details, see the MT calendar entry [link].

**Time Limit**
The calculation of the time limit for the graduate degree in the CDP begins with full, unconditional admission to the graduate program.

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### 9 Consultation

This proposal is the product of extensive consultation between the Dean’s Offices of the Faculty of Arts and Science and the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education, the Master of Teaching program, and Victoria College.

This proposal document captures the curricular arrangements of the Combined Degree Program. The specific arrangements between OISE and FAS are outlined in the appended MOU.
# 10 Governance Process

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| Development of proposal in close consultation between Dean’s Offices | • Associate Dean, Programs, OISE  
• Vice-Dean, Graduate Education & Program Reviews, FAS  
• Associate Dean, Undergraduate, FAS |
| Consultation with Provost’s Office              | • Office of the Vice Provost, Academic Programs  
• Provost’s Advisory Group |
| Approval by units – OISE:                       | Approval by units – FAS:  
• FAS Undergraduate Curriculum Committees (Humanities, Social Sciences, Sciences): February 8, 2016 and February 12, 2016  
• FAS Faculty Council: February 24, 2016 |
| Submission to Provost’s Office                  |                                                                         |
| Report to AP&P (by P.O.)                        |                                                                         |
| Report to Ontario Quality Council (by P.O.)     |                                                                         |
Appendix A Intermediate/Senior Teaching Subject Prerequisites – Master of Teaching, 2016-17

Applicants who apply to the Master of Teaching Program must specify which concentration and corresponding teaching subject(s) they would like to apply for.

A course will be counted as a prerequisite toward your teaching subject(s) chosen if you have completed and received credit for the course or if you can prove you are currently enrolled in the prerequisite course on your transcript. Note that the course you are enrolled in must be completed before the start of the Master of Teaching Program.

Intermediate/ Senior Concentration (I/S)

Applicants who apply to this concentration will be eligible to teach children from grades seven to twelve. Please note that you must select two teaching subjects from the list below. Please ensure that you have the required number of courses in the subjects listed below prior to applying to this concentration.

Important Notes:
• Applicants may choose only one of Music-Instrumental or Music-Vocal, not both
• If candidates select two science teaching subjects, they must have a minimum of 10 full-year university courses in the sciences and these must include the prerequisite courses for each of the two science teaching subjects.

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<td>English (First Language)</td>
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  • Up to 1 full-year course in Political Science, Philosophy, or subject-specific history such as Art History or Music History, may be counted towards this prerequisite. |
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<td>Religious Education</td>
<td>Six full-year university courses in Theology or Religious Studies if selected as your first choice teaching subject, or three full-year university courses if selected as your second choice teaching subject. <em>(This course is primarily intended to prepare teachers of Religious Education in Roman Catholic Secondary Schools)</em></td>
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| Mathematics      | Six full-year university courses in Mathematics if selected as your first choice teaching subject, or three full-year university courses if selected as your second choice teaching subject  
  - Up to 1 full-year course in Statistics may be counted towards this prerequisite |
| Science - Biology | Six full-year university courses in Science, with a minimum of four full-year courses in Biology *(regardless of whether it is the first or second choice teaching subject)*  
  - Biochemistry is accepted as Chemistry or Biology  
  - Courses in Botany, Zoology, and life sciences such as Anatomy, Physiology, Immunology, and Genetics are accepted as Biology  
  - Psychology courses are **not** accepted towards this prerequisite |
| Science - Chemistry | Six full-year university courses in Science, with a minimum of four full-year courses in Chemistry *(regardless of whether it is the first or second choice teaching subject)*  
  - Biochemistry is accepted as Chemistry or Biology |
| Science - Physics | Six full-year university courses in Science, with a minimum of four full-year courses in Physics *(regardless of whether it is the first or second choice teaching subject)*  
  - Astrophysics and Geophysics are acceptable |
| Science - General | Psychology courses are not accepted towards this prerequisite.  
  Six full-year university courses in Science, with a minimum of one full-year course in each area of Biology, Chemistry, and Physics *(regardless of whether it is the first or second choice teaching subject)* |
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<th>Social Science - General</th>
<th>Six full-year university courses in any of Psychology, Sociology or Anthropology if selected as your first choice teaching subject, or three full-year university courses if selected as your second choice teaching subject.</th>
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<td>Music-Instrumental</td>
<td>Six full-year university courses in Instrumental Music if selected as your first choice teaching subject, or three full-year university courses if selected as your second choice teaching subject.</td>
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<td>- Applicants may choose only one of: Music-Instrumental or Music-Vocal</td>
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<td>Health and Physical Education</td>
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<td>French (Second Language)</td>
<td>Six full-year university courses in French and demonstrated written and oral proficiency (regardless of whether it is the first or second choice teaching subject).</td>
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<td>- If admissible to the program, applicants who select French as a Second Language as a teaching subject must demonstrate oral and written proficiency in French prior to registering in the program through testing administered at the time of admission. Applicants who fail to demonstrate proficiency will be deemed to have NOT satisfied the prerequisite for the French teaching subject even if they have the required number of academic courses. Refer to the OISE Proficiency Test in French &amp; International Languages (OPTFIL) for detailed information about the test.</td>
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*Not all teaching subjects may be offered in a given year. OISE reserves the right to cancel courses for which enrolment or resources are insufficient.*