

NEWCASTLE UNIVERSITY - SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE SCIENCES
MASTERS OF EDUCATION/PROFESSIONAL DOCTORATE OF EDUCATION/MA EDUCATION RESEARCH/MA INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION – FULL TIME INDUCTION
PROGRAMME 2011-12

MONDAY 26 SEPTEMBER 2011		MA (IDE)	MEd	MA Ed Res	EdD (FT)		
	Introduction to your Academic Programme						
9.15 am- 10.30 am	Masters in Education (MEd) and MA (International Development and Education)	✓	✓			Pauline Dixon	KGVI 1.71
	Doctorate in Education (EdD)				✓	??	KGVI 1.71A
	MA Education Research			✓		Karen Lowing	KGVI 1.43
10.45 – 11.15 am	Head of School Welcome	✓	✓	✓	✓	Sue Robson	KGVI LT1
11.30 am – 12.00 noon	Students into Schools module information		✓			Jessica Jung	KGVI 1.43
12 noon – 1pm	Campus Tour by current students (Meet in Foyer on Ground Floor KGVI Building)	✓	✓	✓	✓	Chris Couinhan	
1.00 – 2.00 pm	EdD (Full-Time students)– Individual meetings with Degree Programme Director				✓	?	?
	MA Education Research			✓		Karen Lowing	?
	MEd and MA (IDE) Coffee and Biscuit with DPD and pathway leaders	✓	✓			Pauline Dixon et al	
2.30 pm – 3.30 pm	TASTER LECTURE Information, Communication and Entertainment Technology (ICET) (followed by guidance on ICET pathway for MEd students only)	✓	✓	✓	✓	Paul Dolan or Sugata Mitra	KGVI LT4
	TASTER LECTURE Research Centre for Learning & Teaching	✓	✓	✓	✓	Jill Clark	KGVI LT4
TUESDAY 27 SEPTEMBER 2011							
10.00 am – 11.00 am	TASTER LECTURE EG West Centre	✓	✓	✓	✓	James Tooley	KGVI 1.36
11.00 am - 12.00 pm	TASTER LECTURE Introduction to Leadership (followed by guidance on Educational Leadership and Management pathway for MEd students only)		✓	✓	✓	Kevin James	KGVI 1.71 & 1.71A
12.30pm – 1.00 pm	Pedagogy & Learning Pathway Guidance		✓			Rene Koglbauer	KGVI LT4
1 pm – 2 pm	TASTER LECTURE: Introduction to Developing Thinking Skills		✓	✓	✓	Sue Robson	KGVI 1.71A
3.15 pm – 4pm	Careers Guidance	✓	✓	✓	✓	Barbara Phillips-Kerr	KGVI 1.71 & 1.71A (session confirmed)
WEDNESDAY 28 SEPTEMBER 2011							
10.30 – 11.30 am	TASTER LECTURE Private Schools for the Poor: Education Policy, Entrepreneurship and Competition (followed by guidance on International Development and Education pathway for MEd students only)	✓	✓	✓	✓	Pauline Dixon	KGVI 1.71A
11.30 am -11.45 pm	Research methods (RDU8095) and dissertation	✓	✓			Pauline and Karen L	
12 noon	Self tour of Robinson Library - to arrange quiz	✓	✓	✓	✓	Linda Kelly	Robinson Library
1 pm – 4 pm	Masters in Education – Individual meetings with pathway leaders and for MA (IED) DPD	✓	✓			Pathway Leaders	KGVI 1.41
1 pm – 4 pm	MA Education Research – Individual meetings with Degree Programme Director			✓		Karen Lowing	KGVI 1.64
THURSDAY 29 SEPTEMBER 2011							
10.00 am – 10.30 am	Visa Session - for International Students only	✓	✓	✓	✓	Ross Patterson	KGVI LT1
10.30 am – 11.15 am	INTO	✓	✓	✓	✓	Nick Bailey/Ian Carey	KGVI 1.71 & 1.71A
2.00 pm – 2.30 pm	Sports Presentation (Optional)	✓	✓	✓	✓		KGVI LT1
2.30 pm – 3.00 pm	Overview of Student Wellbeing (Optional)	✓	✓	✓	✓	Pat Allcorn	KGVI LT1
3.00 pm – 6.00 pm	EdD Full Time and MA Ed Res – Faculty Research Induction			✓	✓	Robin Humphrey	PGR Suite, 7 th Floor, Daysh Bldg ???????
FRIDAY 30 SEPTEMBER 2011							
9 am – 10.15 am	TASTER LECTURE Introduction to the British Education System		✓	✓	✓	??	KGVI 1.71A
10.00 am – 12 noon	Faculty PGT International Induction / Graduate Skills Programme	✓	✓	✓	✓		Curtis Auditorium

By 1 pm	Submit Module Choice Form to Programme Office	✓	✓	✓	✓		KGVI 3.13
1.00 pm – 2.00 pm	Welcome Reception to Celebrate the end of Induction Week	✓	✓	✓	✓	Pauline Dixon and Pathway leaders	Staff Room, 3 rd Floor KGVI
MONDAY 3 OCTOBER 2011	Lectures begin						
4pm-6pm	Introduction to Faculty Research Training Programme			✓		Robin Humphrey	PGR Suite, 7 th Floor, Daysh Bldg

All sessions are compulsory unless otherwise stated above.

- TIPS gives orientation to the city and University which may be of particular interest to overseas students but UK students are also welcome to attend.
- ** The International Induction Conference is an introduction to the Faculty Graduate Skills Enhancement Programme. This programme is aimed primarily at students new to a UK academic environment but is open to all.