

Master of Applied Learning and Teaching (Secondary)

Accelerated, Employment-Based Pathway



Deakin's Master of Applied Learning and Teaching (Secondary) offers an accelerated, employment-based pathway designed to help secondary principals experiencing skill shortage areas. The initiative allows our pre-service teachers (PST) to be employed as paraprofessionals with permission to teach (PTT) in hard to staff areas, while completing the course in 18 months.

Deakin is working closely with the DET Innovative ITE team, to supply Secondary School teachers for hard-to-staff vacancies. Our students complete their Master of Applied Learning and Teaching (Secondary) course over 18 months and are employed as PTT teachers while they complete their studies. PSTs who are 'job matched' with a school are typically employed with either 0.6 teaching load and 0.2 study load.

► Benefits to the School

- Deakin arranges the PTT through VIT as a Pathway provider
- Deakin provides a Teaching Coach who will work with the school, the mentor, and the student
- Access to a variety of new teachers who will become part of your school community
- All of the Deakin Master of Applied Learning and Teaching (Secondary) students are able to teach VCAL, as well as their individual method areas. They also have a strong focus on preparing for the new VCE and VCE Vocational curriculum in 2023
- DET arranges the employment contract and assists with onboarding

► Who are our students?

- Career change students and recent graduates who bring industry and life experience to a new career in teaching
- They come from all over Victoria, metropolitan, rural, and regional areas
- They have been individually assessed for their specialist teaching method areas
- All students are prepared to teach VCAL in addition to their other specialist teaching areas

► Where to get more information

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