

## **MEd English Language Teaching**

The aims of the MEd (ELT) are:

- To allow participants to engage in current educational issues
- To provide a forum for exchanging views with others from different educational contexts
- To cover current issues in English Language teaching which will allow participants to relate their experience to theoretical background
- To equip participants with professional expertise in areas that will enhance their ability to contribute to their own teaching context
- To equip participants with the fundamental knowledge required to investigate a question empirically (quantitatively and qualitatively)
- To provide the opportunity to use research skills and work autonomously to explore in depth an area covered in the core and specialist modules
- To give participants the opportunity to view their own professional practice objectively and in depth
- To allow participants to explore ICT as a mode of learning delivery

### **Core Courses:**

- Descriptions of Language and Applications to the Classroom
- Language Learning & Applications to the Classroom
- Modern Educational Thought
- Understanding Educational Enquiry 1

### **Optional Courses (pick 2):**

- Language Proficiency, Assessments & Feedback
- Which English? Language Teaching & Socio-Linguistics
- Course Design & Practice in EIT
- Understanding Educational Enquiry (2)
- Seminar on Contemporary Issues

Other options from Masters courses may be available in consultation with the Programme Leader.

### **Dissertation**

The research project will provide students with the chance to design, conduct, analyse and write up a piece of original empirical research. The total report will be 20,000 words in total.

All students will require ethical approval prior to beginning any data collection.