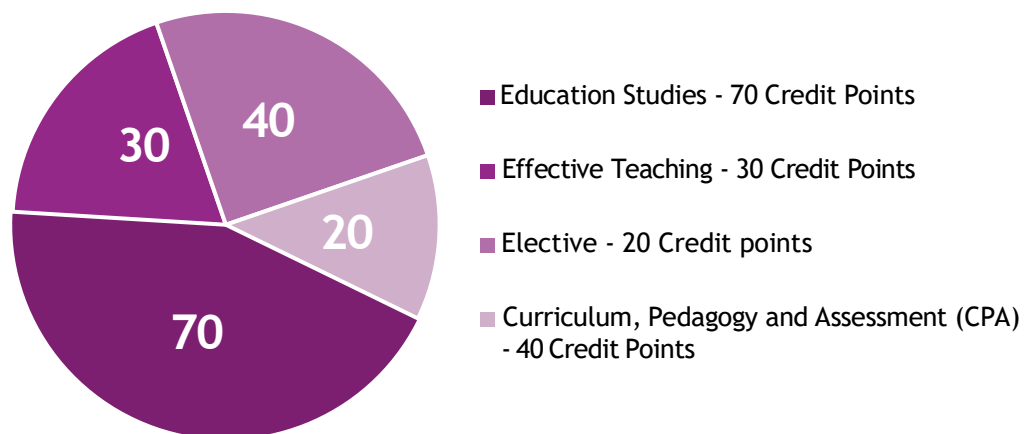


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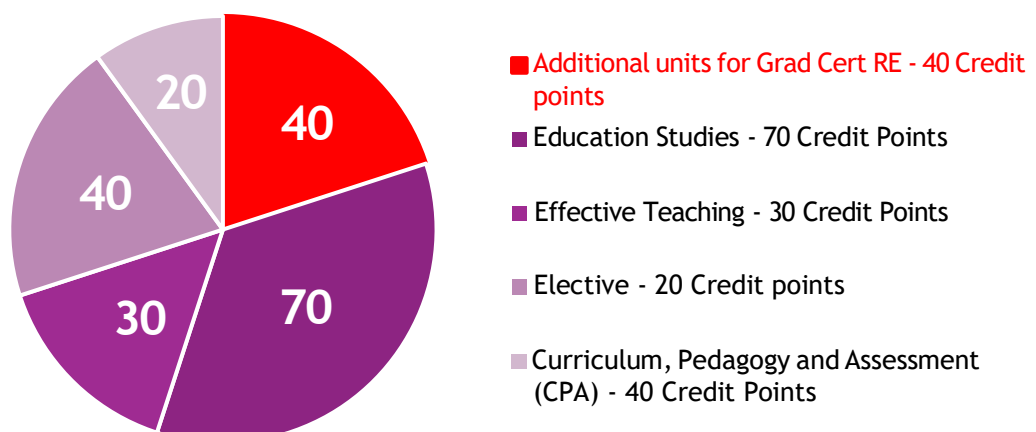
The Master of Teaching (Secondary) requires the successful completion of 160 credit points across four domains. If you are studying the Master of Teaching + Graduate Certificate of Religious Education, you need to complete 200 credit points. The number of credit points in each domain is discussed below. In addition to these units, you need to successfully complete the LaNTITE assessment which is conducted by ACER. This is a pre-requisite for the final Effective Teaching unit and without a successful result being received by ACU, you will be prevented from undertaking your final placement. This will result in delaying the completion of the degree.

Course Structure - Master of Teaching (160 Credit Points)

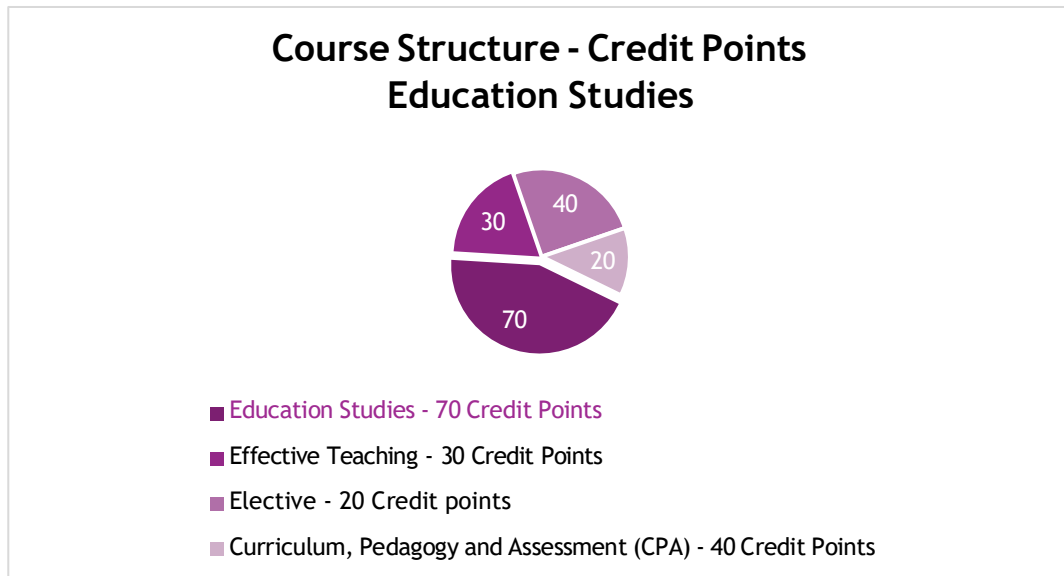


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Course Structure - Master of Teaching + Grad Cert RE (200 Credit Points)

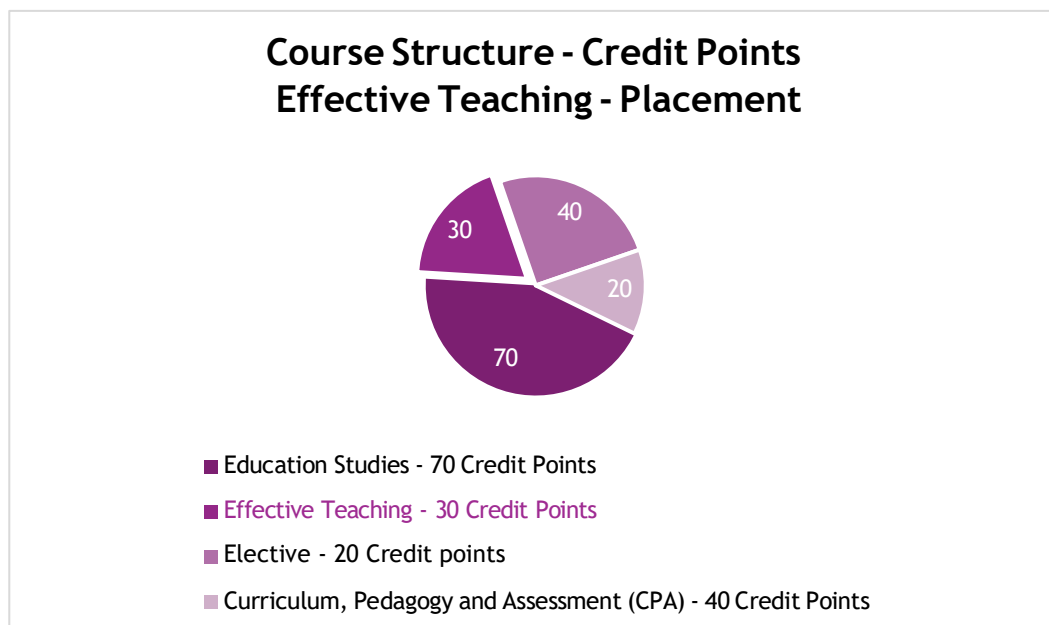


1. Education Studies: Learning to Teach



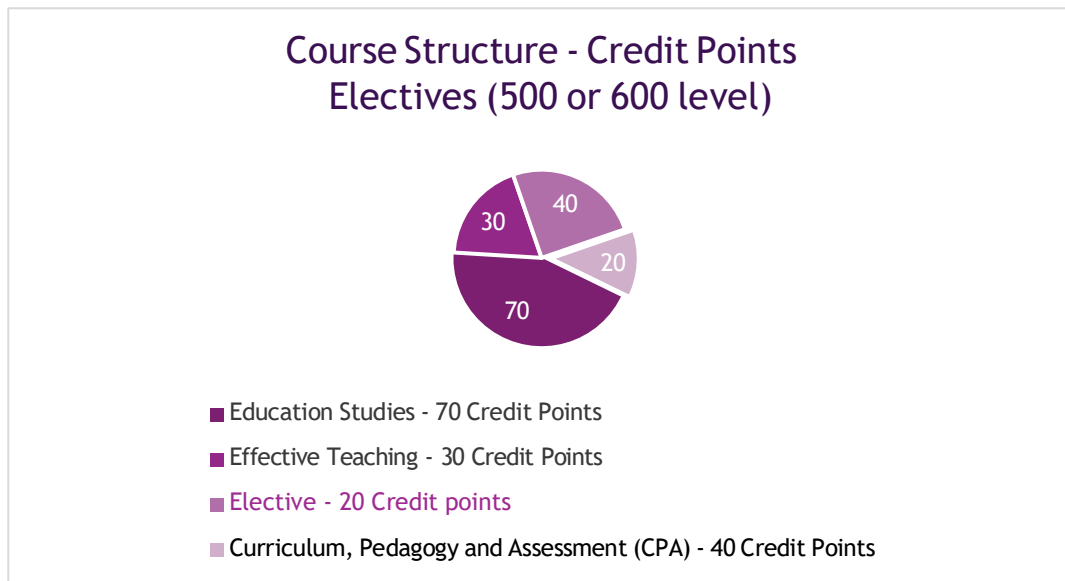
Education studies units get you ready for the classroom. For example, you will cover units like Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Histories, Cultures and Education, Special Education and Inclusive Practice, Literacy and Numeracy across the Secondary Curriculum, 21st Century Skills across the Secondary Curriculum, and Applied Educational Assessment Across the Secondary Curriculum along with other relevant topics.

2. Effective Teaching



These units refer to your placement units in which you will be placed in a school for your teaching experience. Each experience builds on the previous one.

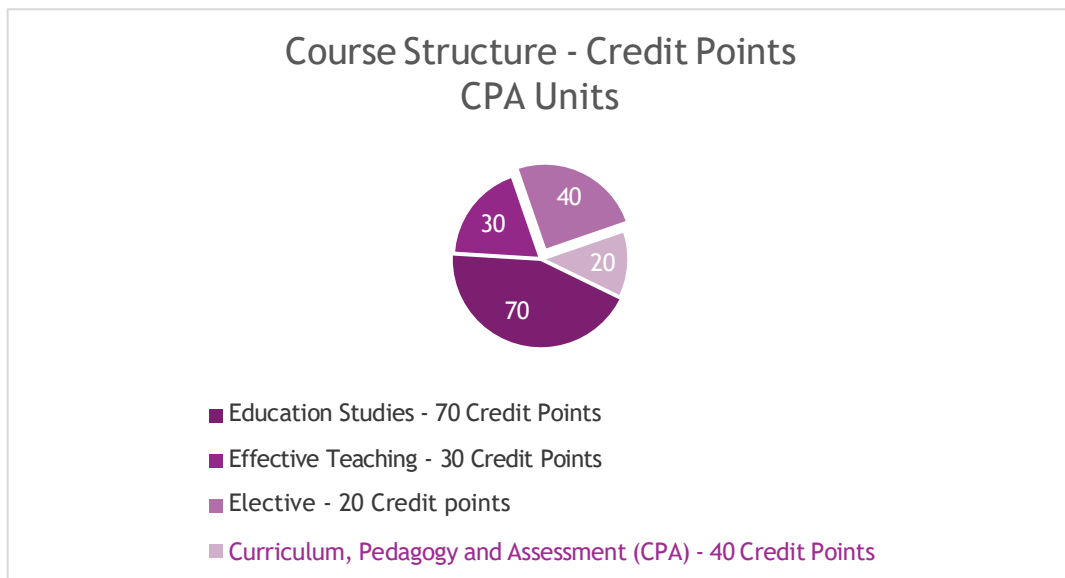
3. Elective Units



Electives can be any unit with a 500 or 600 code. The idea of electives is to broaden your knowledge. If you wish, you can choose CPA units from other teaching areas that might be related to your major and minor teaching areas, but you will need to discuss this with your Course Coordinator first.

4. Curriculum Studies (CPA):

This refers to the subjects that you are going to teach. Your letter of offer stated your teaching areas.



***Note:** if one of your teaching areas is **science-related**, you are required to study three (30cp) CPA units in this sequence. One (10cp) of your elective units will need to be studied in an additional (fifth) CPA unit to ensure you do not overload (more below). You will have one (10cp) elective remaining which can be selected from a list of units. You will still require two CPA units in your second teaching area (you will study a total of 5 (50cp) CPA units and one (10cp) in electives).

Your CPA units refer to the teaching areas that are stated in your letter of offer.



CPA units cover curriculum (what you teach), pedagogy (how you teach), and assessment (how you measure learning) in your teaching areas. There are two CPA units per teaching area: one for junior secondary (Years 7-10) and one for senior secondary (Years 11-12). For example, Mathematics includes junior secondary and senior secondary units. Politics includes junior secondary Humanities and senior secondary Politics

All Science-related teaching areas – students must study 3 CPA units in this sequence:

- junior secondary Science (EDSI599),
- senior secondary Science (EDSI699)
- AND your senior secondary science specialisation (e.g. Biology, Chemistry etc).



Teaching areas and available CPA units can vary by state. Unit coding for CPA units is ED**599 for junior secondary (e.g., EDMA599 for Maths, EDEN599 for English, EDAR599 for Visual Arts) and ED**699 for senior secondary (e.g., EDMA699 for Maths etc).



CPA units are offered on campus, multi-mode, or fully online. International students should preference in-person if available. Unit availability and study modes may change; you'll be notified via your student email. If you are unsure which CPA units to enrol in, contact your Course Coordinator.



If you can't find a second 599 unit (CPA1) in Semester 1, take EDES600, then EDES690 in Winter, and the second 599 unit in Semester 2. Some units are electives or help meet the required CPA units, especially in double teaching areas like Double Chemistry or Double Business Studies.



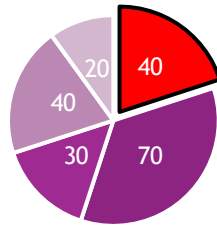
Seek Help: If unsure, contact your Course Coordinator for guidance.

[Click here to view the CPA units on offer](#)

5. Graduate Certificate in Religious Education

Students adding the Graduate Certificate in Religious Education complete the course as stated above, but you have an additional four units to complete – See the handbook for details.

Course Structure with Grad Cert RE



- Additional units for Grad Cert RE - 40 Credit points
- Education Studies - 70 Credit Points
- Effective Teaching - 30 Credit Points
- Elective - 20 Credit points
- Curriculum, Pedagogy and Assessment (CPA) - 40 Credit Points