

EDUCATION (LEADERSHIP)

MA



The MA Education (Leadership) at Marjon University Cornwall offers flexible, part-time study for busy education professionals seeking to develop their critical engagement with leading in schools or colleges. The course is taught by university tutors with school or college and academic experience and specialism. All tutors have strong research backgrounds and a commitment to working with teachers and leaders from all education sectors to improve the quality of teaching, learning and assessment.

The programme ethos is to develop and enhance professional practice by supporting individual or school/college focused critical enquiry 'into area of interest or importance in educational leadership. As a student on the MA Education (Leadership) you will be supported in developing an evidence-based, critical engagement with educational research, theories and concepts, which you will apply to your own leadership context.

COURSE STRUCTURE

The course is delivered in a way that recognises and supports your commitments as a busy working teacher or leader in education. For each module you will attend two Saturday workshops; two 'special focus' evening seminars and receive one to one tutorials.

Assessment is predominantly through investigations that allow you to focus on your area of educational interest. Students typically engage with action research, undertaking small practice-focused projects. These projects help to prepare you for the final- stage research dissertation. You will become a leader in evidence based practice, through a developed use of critically evaluative and analytical methods to explore challenges and/or develop practical solutions.

CAREERS

It is a fantastic achievement to complete a Master's degree while working in education. It demonstrates to employers your commitment to develop as a professional through the acquisition of knowledge, understanding and skills to inform practice. Previous graduates from the MA Education (Leadership) have progressed into senior leadership as principals, heads and CEOs.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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Please note:

Applicants require an undergraduate degree.

UK Fees are £5,500.

Pro-rata fees will apply for part-time study

MODULES

Students must study a total of 180 credits at Level 7 within a framework of modules

Research design (30credits)

Leadership in learning & educational contexts (30 credits)

Leadership & governance (30 credits)

Independent supported study (30 credits)

Dissertation (60 credits)

NB: APCL is in place for the SLPQ. Please contact us for further information.