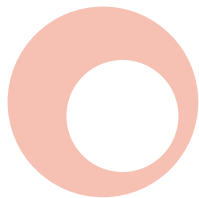


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programs for
international educators
in a global age

York University's Faculty of Education delivers programs to educators and education administrators with an international perspective

The Faculty of Education at York University offers programs for those who are studying to be teachers, as well as for experienced educators and education leaders (including principals, superintendents, government officials and other leaders in education).

Programs can be offered on the York University campus, or in an international location.

Programs include:

- Professional development for teachers and education leaders
- Courses tailored to meet the learning objectives of educators from outside Canada
- Pre-service modules for teacher education programs

Certificates of completion from the Faculty of Education are provided to successful participants at the end of each program.

Other programs can also be tailored in order to meet individual groups' needs. To discuss how York University's Faculty of Education can work with your university, college, faculty, school board, or government institution, contact the International Education office, Faculty of Education, York University by phone at [+1-416-736-2100 ext. 20052](tel:+14167362100) or by email at international@edu.yorku.ca or visit our website for further details at www.edu.yorku.ca/intl.

pre-service and professional development programs for educators and administrators



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In the current classroom and school setting, demands on educators have changed. Teachers are working with increasingly diverse groups of students, and they are preparing pupils for work as global citizens in various international workplaces.

As a large university in Toronto—one of the world’s most multicultural areas and Canada’s largest city—York University is a specialist in providing quality teacher education and professional development programs to teachers and administrators.

programs for educators

Embracing Diversity in Education

In order to ensure that all students are learning in the classroom, educators need a strong understanding of students, cultures, and current educational theories and pedagogical practices. York University’s Faculty of Education will use our areas of strength in inclusive education and education with social justice in order to help educators question their own beliefs, explore ideas, develop their knowledge, and differentiate their instruction in order to meet the learning needs of all students.

Using Drama in English Language Education

Part of learning a new language is gaining confidence in speaking and listening as well as in reading and writing. This interactive course will allow teachers to become familiar with drama strategies in order to be able to use them in the context of teaching both English language and English literature.

Arts Education for International Educators

This interactive, hands-on, and creative program will help participants find innovative and inclusive ways to engage the imagination and learning of all students of any age and in a variety of learning contexts. Participants will become comfortable incorporating visual arts, drama, music and dance into more traditional academic subjects, such as English, History, and Environmental Studies, and to explore themes of social justice. This program is offered with York University’s Destination Arts.

Strategies in the English as a Foreign Language (EFL) Classroom

Learning English can be fun for students! This course will help educators develop a variety of strategies for differentiating their instruction in the teaching English to children, adolescents or adults.

Other programs for educators can be tailored upon request.

programs for administrators

York University’s Faculty of Education has a history of offering professional development programs both for aspiring and experienced leaders in education. Programs have been delivered extensively to leaders from a number of international locations. Live translation may be provided, as required.

Study Tour: Exploring Educational Leadership in a Canadian Context

This Toronto-based program offers experienced school leaders and decision-makers the opportunity to develop their knowledge and skills by participating in presentations and workshops, visiting sites of relevance, interacting with guest presenters and taking part in school visits and interactive discussions with Ontario education leaders.

Leadership in Education: Best Practices

Leaders in education must have the vision to educate all students in order to ensure their future successes in a global and digital world. This interactive program provides school administrators with the opportunity to share ideas, hear from leading educators, and explore issues of student success, challenges facing school leadership, operational issues, continuous improvement planning, and other relevant topics. The program supports administrators in developing data-based, practical strategic plans that will help them to foster innovation and excellence and to build capacity in an educational institution. This program can be offered in Toronto or in international locations.

Other programs for school leaders can be tailored upon request.

If your university, faculty, or school board is interested in working with York University’s Faculty of Education, please consider:

- English is the language of instruction in the Faculty of Education’s programs. However, oral translation may be possible for short-term non-credit programs.
- A certificate of completion from the Faculty of Education may be issued to participants who have successfully completed each program.

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