

NOTICE

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR TEACHER III STATUS

Please note that the Ministry of Education requires **ONE** of these degree options for Teacher III status to teach English at secondary level.

- 1. B.A. in English Language, Literature with Education**
- 2. B.A. with a Double Major in Literatures in English and Linguistics**
- 3. B.A. with a Major in Literatures in English and a Minor in Linguistics**
- 4. B.A. with a major in Linguistics and a Minor in Literatures in English**

Within the **Literatures in English Minor**, the following courses are required:-

- One (1) course in Shakespeare
- One (1) course in West Indian Literature
- Three other courses which should reflect the following ranges:
 - ⇒ Literary periods
 - ⇒ Genres
 - ⇒ Cultural perspectives (African, American, English, Indian, European)
 - ⇒ Gender Issues

Within the **Linguistics Minor**, the following courses are required:-

- LING 2402- Structure of the English Language (compulsory)
- LING 2305- Introduction to Educational Linguistics (compulsory)

Three of the following

- LING 2403-Change and Development in the English Language
- LING 2101-Language Acquisition
- LING 3101- Applied Linguistics (or equivalent course related to teaching)/ or Sociolinguistics LING 2302
- LING- 3202- Creole Linguistics
- LING 2404- Structure and Meaning in Literary Discourse or LING 2702 Point-of-View and Meaning in Literary Discourse

Please note pre-requisites for LING courses

- LING 1005- Introduction to Language
- LING 1001- Introduction to Phonetics and Phonology
- LING 1002- Introduction to Morphology and Syntax

The following **Education** courses are also very desirable:-

- EDCU 2013- Introduction to Curriculum Studies
- EDTK 3202- Use of Media and Production of Education Materials
- EDLA 3112- Literature for Children **OR** EDLA 2113- Teaching Children's Literature
- EDME 2006- Classroom Testing and Evaluation
- A course in the Teaching of English to Creole speakers