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L.N. 341 of 2014

EDUCATION ACT
(CAP. 327)

Bye-Laws of 2014 to amend the Bye-Laws of 2006 in terms of the General Regulations for University Undergraduate Awards, 2004 for the Degree of Bachelor of Education (Honours) – B.Ed. (Hons) – under the auspices of the Faculty of Education

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred upon him by articles 74 (5) and 75 (6) of the Education Act (Cap. 327), the Chancellor of the University of Malta has promulgated the following bye-laws made by the Board of the Faculty of Education in virtue of the powers conferred upon it by article 81 (1) (c) of the said Act and which have been approved by the Senate of the University of Malta as required by article 81 (2) of the said Act:

Citation

1. These bye-laws may be cited as the Bye-Laws of 2014 to amend the Bye-Laws of 2006 in terms of the General Regulations for University Undergraduate Awards, 2004 for the degree Bachelor of Education (Honours) – B.Ed. (Hons) - and shall be read and construed as one with the Bye-Laws of 2006 in terms of the General Regulations for University Undergraduate Awards, 2004 for the Degree of Bachelor of Education (Honours) – B.Ed. (Hons) under the auspices of the Faculty of Education, published as Legal Notice 24 of 2006, hereinafter referred to as "the principal bye-laws".

Applicability

2. These bye-laws shall be applicable for courses commencing in October 2014 or later.

Amendment to bye-law 9 of the principal bye-laws

3. For sub-paragraph (c) of paragraph (2) of bye-law 9 of the principal bye-laws there shall be substituted by the following:

"(c) a certificate showing a pass in the European Computer Driving Licence (ECDL) Standard Certificate."

4. For sub-paragraph (e) of paragraph (3) of bye-law 9 of the principal bye-laws there shall be substituted by the following:.

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"(e) a certificate showing a pass in the European Computer Driving Licence (ECDL) Standard Certificate."

5. For sub-paragraphs (c) and (d) of paragraph (4) of bye-law 9 of the principal bye-laws there shall be substituted by the following:

"(c) passes in proficiency tests in English and Maltese, approved by the Faculty. Applicants shall be exempted from sitting for the proficiency test in English if they are in possession of a pass at SEC level at Grade 3 or higher, or an Intermediate Level pass at Grade C or higher, or an Advanced Level pass at Grade C or higher in English. Applicants shall be exempted from sitting for the proficiency test in Maltese if they are in possession of a pass at SEC level at Grade 3 or higher, or an Intermediate Level pass at Grade C or higher, or an Advanced Level pass at Grade C or higher in Maltese; and

(d) a certificate showing a pass in the European Computer Driving Licence (ECDL) Standard Certificate,

provided that such applicants shall be required to follow a programme of study as directed by the Board, over two years of full-time study."

6. For sub-paragraph (c)(v) of paragraph (5) of bye-law 9 of the principal bye-laws which shall be re-numbered as sub-paragraph (c)(v)(1) there shall be substituted the following:

"(v) for Physical Education:

(1) a pass at Advanced Level at Grade C or better in any two subjects, a pass in a physical education proficiency test, a medical certificate as per prescribed form provided by the Institute of Physical Education and Sport, and a portfolio demonstrating interest in and commitment to Physical Education and Sport."

7. The following paragraph (2) shall be added after paragraph (1) of sub-paragraph (c) (v) of paragraph (5) of bye-law 9 of the principal bye-laws:

"(2) Applications for the Physical Education area of specialisation shall also be accepted from persons who are not in possession of the general requirements for admission as specified in the Admission Regulations but have obtained the following:

(a) the MCAST-BTEC Extended Diploma (Development, Coaching & Fitness) with DDD (where D signifies Distinction) or DDM (where M signifies Merit); and

(b) an Advanced Level pass at Grade C or better in any subject except Physical Education; and

(c) passes at SEC level at Grade 5 or higher in English Language, Maltese and Mathematics; and

(d) a certificate showing a pass in the European Computer Driving Licence (ECDL) Standard Certificate; and

(e) a pass in the physical education proficiency test; and

(f) a pass in a medical fitness test as per prescribed form provided by the Institute of Physical Education and Sport and present a portfolio demonstrating interest in and commitment to Physical Education and Sport; and

(g) a pass in the English proficiency test, approved by the Faculty. Applicants shall be exempted from sitting for the proficiency test in English if they are in possession of a pass at SEC level at Grade 3 or higher, or an Intermediate Level pass at Grade C or higher, or an Advanced Level pass at Grade C or higher in English."

8. The following sub-paragraph (c)(vi)(2) shall be added after sub-paragraph (c)(vi)(1) of paragraph (5) of bye-law 9 of the principal bye-laws:

"(2) a pass at Advanced Level at Grade C or better in Physics, a pass at Intermediate Level at Grade C or better in Engineering Drawing and Graphical Communication, and a pass at Advanced Level at Grade C or better in any other subject; or"

9. Sub-paragraph (c)(vi)(2) of paragraph (5) of bye-law 9 of the principal bye-laws shall be renumbered as sub-paragraph (c)(vi)(3) of paragraph (5) of bye-law 9.

10. For sub-paragraph (e) of paragraph (5) of bye-law 9 of the principal bye-laws there shall be substituted by the following:

"(e) a certificate showing a pass in the European Computer Driving Licence (ECDL) Standard Certificate."

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