

UNIVERSITY OF BEDFORDSHIRE

ACADEMIC REGULATIONS

SECTION 7: APPROVED VARIATIONS TO ACADEMIC REGULATIONS

The Academic Board has approved the following variations to the University's Regulations. Both the Regulation (against which the variation applies) and the approved variance are provided. For all courses listed below all other University Regulations apply in full:

Section 1: Preamble and Constitution

Section 2: Awards and Courses

Section 3: Admissions and Registration

Section 4: Regulations for Research Degrees

Section 5a: Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught studies including Foundation Years

Section 5b: Assessment Regulations for Postgraduate Taught Studies

Section 6: Conferment

All sections of the Academic Regulations are available at [https://www.beds.ac.uk/about-us/our-university/academic-regulations/\\_nocache](https://www.beds.ac.uk/about-us/our-university/academic-regulations/_nocache)

Courses are in alphabetical order.

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| Accounting and Financial Services – BA (Hons) (delivered at University College, Oldham).   | Variation requested to:<br>Section 5a: Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year<br><br>8.9 Using only the final stage:<br>• The Honours classification is based on the average of the marks attained in 90 credits at the final stage, including at least 30 credits from the designated project.      | Section 5a: Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year<br><br>Approved Variation to 8.9 of the Academic Regulations:<br><br>8.9 Using only the final stage:<br>• The Honours classification is based on the average of the marks attained in 100 credits at the final stage, including at least 40 credits from the designated project. |
| Accounting and Financial Services – BA (Hons) (delivered at University College, Oldham).<br><br>Accounting and Financial Services – FdA (delivered at University College, Oldham). | Variation requested to:<br>Section 5a: Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year<br><br>4 Marks<br><br>4.10 A student, who has not attained a minimum of 30 credits by the end of a stage i.e. after a repeat assessment, will normally be required to leave their course as determined by the relevant | Section 5a: Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year<br><br>Approved variation to 4.9 of the Academic Regulations:<br><br>4 Marks<br><br>4.10 A student, who has not attained a minimum of 40 credits by the end of a stage i.e. after a repeat   |

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|        | <p>Board of Examiners.</p> <p>Variation requested to:<br/>           Section 5a: Assessment<br/>           Regulations for Undergraduate<br/>           Taught Studies including<br/>           Foundation Year</p> <p>7 Progression</p> <p>7.1.2 Passed units to the value of 90 credits; and for the remaining 30 credits, has attained an aggregate grade of at least 35% for each unit. This Condonment will not carry credit and a student progressing to the next stage will not be permitted an opportunity for reassessment; or</p> | <p>assessment, will normally be required to leave their course as determined by the relevant Board of Examiners.</p> <p>Section 5a: Assessment<br/>           Regulations for Undergraduate<br/>           Taught Studies including<br/>           Foundation Year</p> <p>Approved variation to 7.1.2 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Passed units to the value of 100 credits; and for the remaining 20 credits, has attained an aggregate grade of at least 35% for each unit. This Condonment will not carry credit and a student progressing to the next stage will not be permitted an opportunity for reassessment; or</li> </ul> |

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|        |                        | <p>1. Units that contain practice -bases assessments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work-based Learning for Advanced Clinical Practice (Apprenticeship)</li> <li>• Special Care of the Newborn</li> <li>• Advanced General Practice Nursing</li> <li>• Intensive and High Dependency Care of the Newborn</li> <li>• History Taking &amp; Physical Assessment of Adults</li> <li>• Examination and Assessment of the New-born (WBL)</li> </ul> <p>2. Units that are approved by the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nurse and Midwife Independent and Supplementary Prescribing (V300) unit</li> </ul> <p>3. The End Point Assessment (EPA) for Advanced Clinical Practitioner<br/>To pass this unit, the student must achieve a pass in both assessment components. Each assessment component will be graded as Pass, Merit, Distinction or Fail.</p> |

Variation requested to:  
Section 5b Assessment Regulations  
for Post graduate Taught Studies

6 Elements of assessment and  
passing units

6.5 Students who submit all elements  
of assessment and do not successfully  
complete the unit have a further  
opportunity to pass a unit by  
undertaking a repeat assessment of all  
failed elements of assessment at the  
next opportunity. All repeat  
assessment including for non-  
submission, must be taken at the next  
scheduled opportunity. The grade for  
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capped at the minimum pass mark.



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| <p>Business and Management – BA (Hons) (delivered at University College, Oldham).</p> | <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have met the intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking assessments. The aggregate pass mark for a unit is 40%. Where elements of assessment are confirmed as assessing different learning outcomes, each must achieve the pass mark. The course specification may stipulate further requirements for one or more assessment components as specified by a PSRB or other external awarding body.</p> | <p>approved in line with the requirements of the Broadcasting Journalism Training Council (BJTC) professional body:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have met the intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking assessments. Each element of assessment must be passed with a 40% minimum mark.</li> </ul> <p>This above variation applies to the following units only:<br/><i>MED002-1 Introduction to the Journalism Industry</i><br/><i>MED077-2 Law, Regulation and Public Administration</i><br/>All other units are subject to 6.3 of the Academic Regulations.</p> |
|   | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5a: Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>8.9 Using only the final stage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Honours classification is based on the average of the marks attained in 90 credits at the final stage, including at least 30 credits from the designated project.</li> </ul>  | <p>Section 5a: Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>Approved Variation to 8.9 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>8.9</p>  |

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|   | <p>7 Progression</p> <p>7.1.2 Passed units to the value of 90 credits; and for the remaining 30 credits, has attained an aggregate grade of at least 35% for each unit. This Condonment will not carry credit and a student progressing to the next stage will not be permitted an opportunity for reassessment; or</p>  | <p>Approved variation to 7.1.2 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>7.1.2 Passed units to the value of 100 credits; and for the remaining 20 credits, has attained an aggregate grade of at least 35% for each unit. This Condonment will not carry credit and a student progressing to the next stage will not be permitted an opportunity for reassessment; or</p>  |
| <p>Computer Systems Engineering – BEng (Hons)</p> | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5a: Assessment Regulations to Undergraduate Taught Regulations including Foundation Year</p> <p>7.1 To progress between stages on an undergraduate course a student must have:</p> <p>7.1.1 Attempted and passed all units to the value of 120 credits; or</p> <p>7.1.2 Passed units to the value of 90 credits; and for the remaining 30 credits, has attained an aggregate grade of at least 35% for each unit. This condonement will not carry credit and a student progressing to the next stage will not be permitted an opportunity for reassessment.</p> | <p>Section 5a: Assessment Regulations to Undergraduate Taught Regulations including Foundation Year</p> <p>The following variation has been approved in line with the professional requirements from the Institute of Engineering &amp; Technology.</p> <p>At level 5 only a student must have passed all 120 credits of their study in order to progress to level 6 of their Honours award.</p> <p>At level 5 academic regulation: 7.1.2 will not apply.<br/>Approved: Academic Board 20 March 2013</p> |

Electronic Engineering – BEng (Hons)

Variation requested to:  
Section 5a: Assessment Regulations to Undergraduate Taught Regulations including Foundation Year

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| <p>Fashion Design and Manufacture - BA (Hons)<br/>(delivered at Marbella Design Academy)</p> | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>7 Progression<br/>To progress between stages on an undergraduate course a student must have:</p> <p>7.1.2 Passed units to the value of 90 credits; and for the remaining 30 credits, has attained an aggregate grade of at least 35% for each unit. This condonement will not carry credit and a student progressing to the next stage will not be permitted an opportunity for reassessment.</p> | <p>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>7 Progression<br/>To progress between stages on an undergraduate course a student must have:</p> <p>Academic Regulation 7.1.2 will not apply.</p> |
| <p>Forensic Psychology – MSc</p>   | <p>Variation requested to:</p>   |  |
| <p>Graphic Design and Media BA (Hons)<br/>(delivered at Marbella Design Academy)</p>         | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>7 Progression<br/>To progress between stages on an undergraduate course a student must have:</p> <p>7.1.2 Passed units to the value of 90 credits; and for the remaining 30 credits, has attained an aggregate grade of at least 35% for each unit. This condonement will not carry credit and a student progressing to the next stage will not be permitted an opportunity for reassessment.</p> | <p>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>7 Progression<br/>To progress between stages on an undergraduate course a student must have:</p> <p>Academic Regulation 7.1.2 will not apply.</p> |

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|        | <p>6.5 Students who submit all elements of assessment and do not successfully complete the unit have a further opportunity to pass a unit by undertaking a repeat assessment of all failed elements of assessment at the next opportunity. All repeat assessment including for not-submission, must be taken at the next scheduled opportunity. The grade for the repeat assessment element is capped at the minimum pass mark.</p>  | <p>The following variation has been approved in line with the professional body requirements:</p> <p>6.5 Students who submit all elements of assessment and do not successfully complete the unit have a further opportunity to pass a unit by undertaking a repeat assessment of all failed elements of assessment at the next opportunity. NMC accredited courses at postgraduate level will have an opportunity for early reassessment in the failed tasks; the arrangement for these will be managed by the course team/s. The grade for the repeat assessment element is capped at the minimum pass mark.</p>   |
|        | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5b Assessment Regulations for Post graduate Taught Studies</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and passing units</p> <p>6.7 Students who do not pass a unit on repeat assessment will retake the unit at the next scheduled opportunity. Students who retake must be assessed in all elements of assessment in the unit they did not pass; unit substitutions for retake opportunities will be approved by the TQSC exceptions panel. The retake marks override any previous marks for the unit. The full range of marks will be available in assessing the retaken unit unless specified by the University's Academic Conduct Panel.</p> | <p>Section 5b Assessment Regulations for Postgraduate Taught Studies</p> <p>Approved variation to 6.7 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>6.7 Students who do not pass a unit on repeat assessment will retake the unit at the next available opportunity. Where a student fails a unit due to a fail in practice the option to re-register for the unit will not be offered. Where a student has passed the practice based assessment* of the unit but failed the other element/s, the student will re-take the non- practice based elements only. Students who retake must be assessed in all elements of assessment in the unit they did not pass; unit substitutions for retake opportunit-0.002 Tc 0.007 Tw 0.283 0</p> |

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| <p>(3 year) - BSc (Hons)</p> | <p>for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and passing units</p> <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have met the intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking examinations or assignments. The aggregate pass mark for a unit is 40%. Where elements of assessment are confirmed as assessing different learning outcomes, each must achieve a pass mark. The course specification may stipulate further requirements for one or more assessment components as specified by a PSRB or other external awarding body.</p>   | <p>The following variation has been approved in line with the professional body requirements:</p> <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have met the intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking examinations or assignments. Each element of assessment must be passed with a 40% minimum mark. There will be no aggregation of assessments.</p>  |
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|  |  | <p>range of marks will be available in assessing the retaken unit unless specified by the University's Academic Conduct Panel.</p> <p>*Practice based assessment refers to the assessment in practice as assessed by the Practice Assessment Document.</p>  |
| <p>Nurse and Midwife Independent and Supplementary Prescribing (V300) level 7 – Short course</p> | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5b Assessment Regulations for Postgraduate Taught Studies</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and passing units</p> <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have met the intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking examinations or assignments. The aggregate pass mark for a unit is 40%. Where elements of assessment are confirmed as assessing different learning outcomes, each must achieve a pass mark. The approved course specification may stipulate further requirements for one or more assessment components as specified by a PSRB or other external awarding body.</p> | <p>Section 5b Assessment Regulations for Postgraduate Taught Studies</p> <p>Approved variation to 6.3 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>The following variation has been approved in line with the professional body requirements:</p> <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have met the intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking examinations or assignments. Each element of assessment must be passed with a 40% minimum mark. There will be no aggregation of assessments. Where elements of assessment are confirmed as assessing different learning outcomes, each must achieve a pass mark. The approved course specification may stipulate further requirements for one or more assessment components as specified by a PSRB or other external awarding body.</p> |
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| <p>Nursing with Registered Nurse: Adult - BSc (Hons)</p> <p>Nursing with Registered Nurse: Child - BSc (Hons)</p> <p>Nursing with Registered Nurse: Mental Health - BSc (Hons)</p> | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and passing units</p> <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have met the intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking examinations or assignments. The aggregate pass mark for a unit is 40%. Where elements of assessment are confirmed as assessing different learning outcomes, each must achieve a pass mark. The course specification may stipulate further requirements for one or more assessment components as specified by a PSRB or other external awarding body.</p> | <p>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>Approved variation to 6.3 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>The following variation has been approved in line with the professional body requirements:</p> <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have met the intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking examinations or assignments. Each element of assessment must be passed with a 40% minimum mark. There will be no aggregation of assessments.</p>   |
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|   | <p>the minimum pass mark.</p> <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and passing units</p> <p>6.10 Students who do not pass a unit on repeat assessment will retake the unit at the next available opportunity. Students who retake must be assessed in all elements of assessment in the unit they did not pass; unit substitutions for retake opportunities will be approved by the TQSC exceptions panel. The retake marks override all previous marks for the unit. The full range of marks will be available in assessing the retaken unit unless specified by the University's Academic Conduct Panel.</p> | <p>courses at all undergraduate levels who fail an element of assessment may have an opportunity for early reassessment in the failed task/s. The grade for this early repeat assessment element will be capped at the minimum pass mark.</p> <p>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>Approved variation to 6.9 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>6.10 Students who do not pass a unit on repeat assessment will retake the unit at the next available opportunity. Where a student fails a unit due to a fail in practice the option to re-register for the unit will not be offered. Where a student has passed the practice based assessment* of the unit but failed the other element/s, the student will re-take the non- practice based elements only. Students who retake must be assessed in all elements of assessment in the unit they did not pass; unit substitutions for retake opportunities will be approved by the TQSC exceptions panel. The retake marks override all previous marks for the unit. The full range of marks will be available in assessing the retaken unit unless specified by the University's Academic Conduct Panel.</p> <p>*Practice based assessment refers to the assessment in practice as assessed by the Practice Assessment Document.</p> |
| <p>Operating Department Practice – BSc (Hons)</p> | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and passing units</p> <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have met the intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking examinations or</p>  | <p>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>Approved variation to 6.3 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>The following variation has been approved in line with the professional body requirements:</p> <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have met the</p>   |

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|        | <p>assignments. The aggregate pass mark for a unit is 40%. Where elements of assessment are confirmed as assessing different learning outcomes, each must achieve a pass mark. The course specification may stipulate further requirements for one or more assessment components as specified by a PSRB or other external awarding body.</p> | <p>intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking examinations or assignments. The aggregate pass mark for a unit is 40% except where a unit contains practice- based assessment. In a unit with practice-based assessment there will be no aggregation of marks, each assessment must achieve a 40% pass mark.</p> <p>Students can be referred on only one occasion in practice assessments ( providing two attempts at the practice assessment documentation).</p> |

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|   | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 6: Conferment</p> <p>Conferment of an Aegrotat Award 6.24 to 6.26 Regulations regarding Aegrotat awards.</p>   | <p>approved by the TQSC exceptions panel. The retake marks override all previous marks for the unit. The full range of marks will be available in assessing the retaken unit unless specified by the University's Academic Conduct Panel.<br/>*Practice based assessment refers to the assessment in practice as assessed by the Practice Assessment Document.</p> <p>Section 6: Conferment</p> <p>That no students would be eligible to register with the HCPC with an Aegrotat award.</p>   |
| <p>Paramedic Science – BSc (Hons)</p>                           | <p>Section 3: Admissions and Registration</p> <p>3.5 Recognition of prior learning (RPL)</p> <p>3.5.3 Credit for prior learning, whether certified or experiential, may count towards the requirements of a named or unnamed award up to the following maxima, unless varied by the Academic Board:</p> <p>Approved regulation requirement: (table)<br/>Bachelor's degree with honours:<br/>120 – L4<br/>120 – L5</p> <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 6: Conferment</p> <p>Conferment of an Aegrotat Award 6.24 to 6.26 Regulations regarding Aegrotat awards.</p> | <p>Section 3: Admissions and Registration</p> <p>Approved variation to 3.5.3 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>3.5.3 Credit for prior learning, whether certified or experiential, may count towards the requirements of a named or unnamed award up to the following maxima, as varied by the Academic Board:</p> <p>Approved regulation requirement: (table)<br/>Bachelor's degree with honours:</p> <p>No recognition of prior learning accepted.</p> <p>Section 6: Conferment</p> <p>That no students would be eligible to register with the HCPC with an Aegrotat award.</p> |
| <p>Practice Teacher Preparation – Postgraduate Short course</p> | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5b: Assessment Regulations for Postgraduate Taught Studies</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and passing units</p> <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have</p>  | <p>Section 5b: Assessment Regulations for Postgraduate Taught Studies</p> <p>Approved variation to 6.3 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>The following variation has been approved in line with the professional body requirements:</p>   |

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|        | <p>met the intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking examinations or assignments. The overall pass mark for a unit is 40%. Where elements of assessment are confirmed as assessing different learning outcomes, each must achieve a pass mark. The approved course specification may stipulate further requirements for one or more assessment components as specified by a PSRB or other external awarding body.</p>  | <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of Examiners that they have met the intended learning outcomes of the unit by undertaking examinations or assignments. Each element of assessment must be passed with a 40% minimum mark. There will be no aggregation of assessments.</p> <p>Students can be referred on only one occasion in practice assessments (providing two attempts at the practice assessment documentation).</p>  |
|        | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5b Assessment Regulations for Postgraduate Taught Studies</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and passing units</p> <p>6.5 Students who submit all elements of assessment and do not successfully complete the unit have a further opportunity to pass a unit by undertaking a repeat assessment of all failed elements of assessment at the next opportunity. All repeat assessment including for not-submission, must be taken at the next scheduled opportunity. The grade for the repeat assessment element is capped at the minimum pass mark.</p> | <p>Section 5b: Assessment Regulations for Postgraduate Taught Studies</p> <p>Approved variation to 6.5 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>The following variation has been approved in line with the professional body requirements:</p> <p>6.5 Students who submit all elements of assessment and do not successfully complete the unit have a further opportunity to pass a unit by undertaking a repeat assessment of all failed elements of assessment at the next opportunity. NMC accredited courses at postgraduate level will have an opportunity for early reassessment in the failed tasks; the arrangement for these will be managed by the course team/s. The grade for the repeat assessment element is capped at the minimum pass mark.</p> |
|        | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5b: Assessment Regulations for Postgraduate Taught Studies</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and passing units</p> <p>6.7 Students who do not pass a unit on repeat assessment will retake the unit at the next scheduled opportunity. Students who retake must be assessed in all elements of assessment in the</p>  | <p>Section 5b: Assessment Regulations for Postgraduate Taught Studies</p> <p>The following variation has been approved in line with the professional body requirements:</p> <p>6.7 Students who do not pass a unit on repeat assessment will retake the unit at the next scheduled opportunity. Where a student fails a unit due to a fail in practice the option to re -</p>  |

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|        | <p>6.5 Students at Foundation year or level 4 who fail an element of assessment may have an opportunity for early reassessment in the failed task/s. The grade for this early repeat assessment element will be capped at the minimum pass mark.</p>  | <p>Approved variation to 6.5 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>6.5 Students at Foundation year/ level 4 or undertaking NMC accredited courses at all undergraduate levels who fail an element of assessment may have an opportunity for early reassessment in the failed task/s. The grade for this early repeat assessment element will be capped at the minimum pass mark.</p>   |
|        | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and passing units</p> <p>6.10 Students who do not pass a unit on repeat assessment will retake the unit at the next available opportunity. Students who retake must be assessed in all elements of assessment in the unit they did not pass; unit substitutions for retake opportunities will be approved by the TQSC exceptions panel. The retake marks override all previous marks for the unit. The full range of marks will be available in assessing the retaken unit unless specified by the University's Academic Conduct Panel.</p> | <p>Section 5a Assessment Regulations for Undergraduate Taught Studies including Foundation Year</p> <p>Approved variation to 6.9 of the Academic Regulations:</p> <p>6.10 Students who do not pass a unit on repeat assessment will retake the unit at the next available opportunity. Where a student fails a unit due to a fail in practice the option to re-register for the unit will not be offered. Where a student has passed the practice based assessment* of the unit but failed the other element/s, the student will re-take the non- practice based elements only. Students who retake must be assessed in all elements of assessment in the unit they did not pass; unit substitutions for retake opportunities will be approved by the TQSC exceptions panel. The retake marks override all previous marks for the unit. The full range of marks will be available in assessing the retaken unit unless specified by the University's Academic Conduct Panel.</p> <p>*Practice based assessment refers to the assessment in practice as assessed by the Practice Assessment Document.</p> |

Social Work – MSc

Variation requested to:  
Section 2: Awards and Courses

2.3.10 Postgraduate awards

| Awards   | Abbrev | Credit L7 |
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| <p>Specialist<br/>Community Public<br/>Health Nursing<br/>(School Nursing) –<br/>MSc</p> <p>Specialist<br/>Community Public<br/>Health Nursing<br/>(School Nursing ) –<br/>Postgraduate<br/>Diploma</p> | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5b: Assessment<br/>Regulations for Postgraduate<br/>Taught Regulations</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and<br/>passing units</p> <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the<br/>Board of Examiners that they have<br/>met the intended learning<br/>outcomes of the unit by<br/>undertaking examinations or<br/>assignments. The overall pass<br/>mark for a unit is 40%. Where<br/>elements of assessment are<br/>confirmed as assessing different<br/>learning outcomes, each must<br/>achieve a pass mark. The<br/>approved course specification may<br/>stipulate further requirements for<br/>one or more assessment<br/>components as specified by a<br/>PSRB or other external awarding<br/>body.</p> | <p>Section 5b: Assessment<br/>Regulations for Postgraduate<br/>Taught Regulations</p> <p>Approved variation to 6.3 of the<br/>Academic Regulations:<br/>The following variation has been<br/>approved in line with the professional<br/>body requirements:</p> <p>6.3 Students must satisfy the Board of<br/>Examiners that they have met the<br/>intended learning outcomes of the unit<br/>by undertaking examinations or<br/>assignments. Each element of<br/>assessment must be passed with a<br/>40% minimum mark. There will be<br/>no aggregation of assessments.</p> |
|   | <p>Variation requested to:<br/>Section 5b Assessment Regulations<br/>for Postgraduate Taught Studies</p> <p>6 Elements of assessment and<br/>passing units</p> <p>6.5 Students who submit all elements<br/>of assessment and do not successfully<br/>complete the unit have a further<br/>opportunity to pass a unit by<br/>undertaking a repeat assessment of all<br/>failed elements of assessment at the<br/>next opportunity. All repeat<br/>assessment including for not-<br/>submission, must be taken at the next<br/>scheduled opportunity. The grade for<br/>the repeat assessment element is<br/>capped at the minimum pass mark.</p>   | <p>Section 5b Assessment Regulations<br/>for Postgraduate Taught Studies</p> <p>Approved variation to 6.5 of the<br/>Academic Regulations:</p> <p>The following variation has been<br/>approved in line with the professional<br/>body requirements: e gc fe the rent(e)11()-2(s)9</p>   |

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|        | <p>6 Elements of assessment and passing units</p> <p>6.7 Students who do not pass a unit on repeat assessment will retake the unit at the next scheduled opportunity. Students who retake must be assessed in all elements of assessment in the unit they did not pass; unit substitutions for retake opportunities will be approved by the TQSC exceptions panel. The retake marks override all previous marks for the unit. The full range of marks will be available in assessing the retaken unit unless specified by the University's Academic Conduct Panel.</p> | <p>The following variation has been approved in line with the professional body requirements:</p> <p>6.7 Students who do not pass a unit on repeat assessment will retake the unit at the next scheduled opportunity. Where a student fails a unit due to a fail in practice the option to re-register for the unit will not be offered. Where a student has passed the practice based assessment* of the unit but failed the other element/s, the student will re-take the non- practice based elements only. Students who retake must be assessed in all elements of assessment in the unit they did not pass; unit substitutions for retake opportunities will be approved by the TQSC exceptions panel. The retake marks override all previous marks for the unit. The full range of marks will be available in assessing the retaken unit unless specified by the University's Academic Conduct Panel.</p> <p>*Practice based assessment refers to the assessment in practice as assessed by the Practice Assessment Document.</p> |

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