



**Postgraduate Studies Program  
Master Diploma (MSc) in  
«Sciences of Education»**

**Duration of studies: Three (3) semesters**  
Certification of Pedagogical Competence

Courses

(theoretical, laboratory, compact and intensive, with synchronous and asynchronous online communication  
-depending on the direction)

**Announcement  
Academic Year 2014-2015**

The Department of Early Childhood Education - School of Education – of the University of Western Macedonia, during the operation of its Postgraduate Program in Sciences of Education (FEK 1409 τ. Β' /3-6-2014) calls for applications for the academic year 2014-15 in the following areas of specialization:

1. ***Teaching Modern Greek Language*** (40 positions), courses exclusively in Greek
2. ***Bilingual Special Education*** (40 positions), courses in Greek or in English
3. ***Semiotics and Communication*** (40 positions), courses in Greek or in English

These three areas of specialization consist of compact and intensive courses, while employing synchronized media and internet teaching platforms.

Lessons are given regularly in Greek and if there is a sufficient number of other participants, **directions (areas of specialization) 2 and 3 will provide lessons specially for them in English.**

Tuition and fees are 2700 euros (800 euros for every semester and 300 euros for applying for a master thesis).

Domestic graduates of Universities, graduates from recognized Institutions abroad as well as graduates of Technological Educational Institutes can apply for the Postgraduate Program.

**Required Documentation**

1. Application (Department's webpage).
2. CV (Department's webpage).
3. Diplomas and transcripts
4. Certified language skills, level B2, of at least one foreign language (Eng, FR or DEU)

5. A photocopy of ID card
6. Any publications/ presentations in Conferences

Papers numbered 3 and 4, are to be submitted in a simple photocopy accompanied by an official notification affirming/determining the originality of the documents. Original documents will be shown, when asked by the Secretary of the Postgraduate Program in order to be cross-checked.

For the final selection of candidates, the following factors are taken into account:

1. Diploma grade (40 points, diploma grade x 4)
2. Second Diploma (5 points)
3. Master or PhD (10 points)
4. Thesis in Psychology, Special Education, Language (10 points)
4. Proven participation in Research Programs by recognized Institutions in items related to the Postgraduate Program title (5 points) (minimum 1 semester, max 5 semesters)
5. Proven participation in educational Programs by recognized Institutions in items related to the Postgraduate Program title (7.5 points) (minimum 1 semester, max 5 semesters)
6. Proven work experience in fields related to the title of the Postgraduate Program (4 points) (minimum 1 semester, max 5 semesters)
7. Publications in scientific journals (10 points) (max papers 4)
8. Oral presentations in Conferences (7,5 points) (max announcements 3)
9. Publications in Conference proceedings (6 points) (max 4)
10. Poster presentations in Conferences (6 points) (max 4)

Candidates can apply from 20th of August until 30th of September to the Secretariat of the Department of Early Childhood Education (2km Florinas-Nikis, 53100 Florina). The selection procedure will be carried out during the first 15 days of October 2014.

Note: Applicants are asked to order their documents according the above numbered ranking. Any further documents, which are not included in the above mentioned categories, are not taken into consideration. Only complete Application packages will be taken into account for selection.

Further information is provided on:

<http://www.nured.uowm.gr/bilingualspecialeducation>

<http://www.nured.uowm.gr/didaskalianeasellinikis>

<http://semiotics.nured.uowm.gr/>

Applicants can also call the Secretariat of Postgraduate Programme of the Department of Early Childhood Education (tel. +302385055115, Mrs. P. Terzi)

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