

# The Indigenous EdDoctorate Program

is a cohort and community-based, program designed for residents of Northern Saskatchewan, with an emphasis on Métis local knowledge, history, spirituality and culture as well as how the locality interacts and is positioned within broader national and international education contexts. Specifically, relational pedagogy, Indigenous epistemology, Indigenous leadership, and land-based learning will be emphasized. In order to honor traditional wisdom, this community-based program will include training from community members and Elders as well as Faculty of Graduate Studies & Research-accredited instructors.

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**Prince Albert, SK** 





## **Program Overview**

The program incorporates the following elements:

- a full University of Regina, Ed.D degree program with an emphasis on Métis local knowledge, history, spirituality, and culture within broader national and international education contexts
- a 24-credit hour program, plus nine Indigenous Dissertation in Practice (IDIP) hours. This amounts to eight courses offered on-site over a three-year period,
- a cohort of students, forming a community of learners who are able to support each other in their learning
- a flexible course delivery, including weekend sessions, summer institutes, and online distance education
- the use of information technology to better support links between students and with instructors
- content themes tailored to respond to community and student needs including Indigenous pedagogies, curriculum frameworks, and Indigenous epistemologies
- a program Coordinator to offer advice and support to students

#### **July 2024 to April 2027**

Year 1				
Summer 2024	Fall 2024	Winter 2025		
ED 951 Indigenous Epistemology in Education	ED 952 Indigenous Pedagogies and Curriculum Theory	ED 953 Advanced Indigenous Research Methods		
IDIP Thesis Hours	IDIP Thesis Hours	IDIP Thesis Hours		

Year 2				
Summer 2025	Fall 2025	Winter 2026		
ED 954 Understanding Community Engaged Scholarship	ED 955 Leading for Equity and Justice in Education	ED 956 Indigenous Perspectives on Issues and Challenges in Current Educational Practices		
IDIP Thesis Hours	IDIP Thesis Hours	IDIP Thesis Hours		

Year 3			
Summer 2026	Fall 2026	Winter 2027	
ED 957 Land-Based Education: Nistowiak, Indigenous Teaching, Learning, and Leadership	ED 958 Social & Political Issues in Métis Education	Thesis Due February 2027	
IDIP Thesis Hours	IDIP Thesis Hours	IDIP Thesis Hours	

<sup>\*</sup>Proposed tentative sequence is subject to change.

# **Our Program allows you to:**

- Obtain a doctorate degree in your community
- Participate in a cohort with your local educational needs in mind
- Gain access to high quality, relevant professional development

## **Program Requirements**

- Two years' work experience in the field of education is preferred
- A master's degree from a recognized college or university - overall GPA (average) of 70% or higher
- Completed application
- Three letters of reference including:
  - One reference letter from relevant community members, Elders, or Old Ones
  - Two Professional/Academic letters of reference
- Letter of intent
- Current resume or curriculum vitae
- University transcripts

## **Tuition**

\$36,000

Per student tuition fee. \$12,000 per year. The tuition cost is payable to the Gabriel Dumont College.

### To apply

- 1. Register with the Gabriel Dumont Institute online
- 2. Fill out the University of Regina online application

All instructions are online at www.gdins.org/graduate