

# Are you looking to achieve an MEd Professional Practice Dyslexia and Literacy?

## Route 1

60  
credits

### Postgraduate Certificate

(12 months part-time study)

- DAPP21-01 Literacy Acquisition: Underpinning Theory
- DAPP21-02 Specialist Literacy Teaching: Linking Theory to Practice

60  
credits

### Postgraduate Diploma

(12 months part-time study)

- DAPP21-03 Psychometric Assessment of Literary-related Difficulties
- DAPP21-04 Psychometric Assessment of Cognitive Processing

60  
credits

M12 Enquiry Module  
(12 months part-time study)

180  
credits

MEd Professional Practice  
in Dyslexia and Literacy

## Route 2

60  
credits

### Postgraduate Certificate

(12 months part-time study)

- DAPP21-01 Literacy Acquisition: Underpinning Theory
- DAPP21-02 Specialist Literacy Teaching: Linking Theory to Practice

60  
credits

### Real Training modules

(12 months part-time study)

- M02A Certificate of Competence in Educational Testing
  - M0SC Dyslexia Professional Report Writing
- \*CCET and DPPW are worth 30 credits each

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# MEd in Professional Practice in Dyslexia and Literacy (Route 1)

**Duration:** Three calendar years part time

**Professional status achievable:** Specialist Teacher Assessor

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| DAPP21-01 | 30 credits | <b>Title:</b> Literacy Acquisition – Underpinning Theory                |
| DAPP21-02 | 30 credits | <b>Title:</b> Specialist Literacy Teaching - Linking Theory to Practice |
| DAPP21-03 | 30 credits | <b>Title:</b> Psychometric Assessment of Literacy-Related Difficulties  |
| DAPP21-04 | 30 credits | <b>Title:</b> Psychometric Assessment of Cognitive Processing           |

## Plus, the following module delivered by Real Training

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| M12 | 60 credits<br>(12 months) | <b>Title:</b> Enquiry Module<br>For further details see:<br><a href="https://realtraining.co.uk/enquiry-based-send-practice">realtraining.co.uk/enquiry-based-send-practice</a> |
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### Eligibility for Professional Membership

**Specialist teacher/ assessor professional membership available on application includes:**

- Dyslexia Guild Member (MDG)
- Assessment Practising Certificate (SASC)
- Associate Membership of the BDA (AMBDA or AMBDA FE/HE) – additional teaching hours may be required
- Patoss (professional membership)

### Notes

Candidates must complete all of these modules to achieve this award.



# MEd in Professional Practice in Dyslexia and Literacy (Route 2)

**Duration:** Three calendar years part time

**Professional status achievable:** Specialist Teacher Assessor

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|-----------|------------|---|
| DAPP21-01 | 30 credits | <b>Title:</b> Literacy Acquisition – Underpinning Theory                |
| DAPP21-02 | 30 credits | <b>Title:</b> Specialist Literacy Teaching - Linking Theory to Practice |

## Plus, the following modules offered by Real Training

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| M02A | 30 credits                | <b>Title:</b> Certificate of Competence in Educational Testing  |
| M05C | 30 credits                | <b>Title:</b> Dyslexia: Professional Report Writing   |
| M12  | 60 credits<br>(12 months) | <b>Title:</b> Enquiry Module<br>For further details see:<br><a href="https://realtraining.co.uk/enquiry-based-send-practice">realtraining.co.uk/enquiry-based-send-practice</a> |

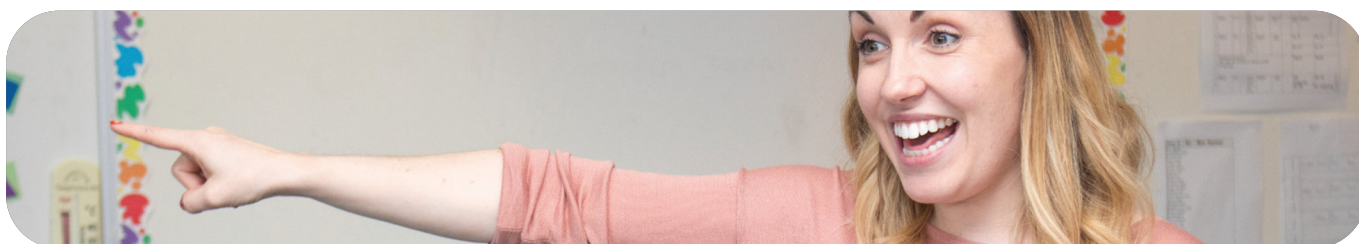
### Eligibility for Professional Membership

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- Dyslexia Guild Member (MDG)
- Assessment Practising Certificate (SASC)
- Associate Membership of the BDA (AMBDA or AMBDA FE/HE) – additional teaching hours may be required
- Patoss (full membership)

### Notes

Candidates must complete all of these modules to achieve this award.



# Enquiry-based SEND Practice

Completion of this module, after gaining 120 credits from our dyslexia programme modules, leads to the MEd Professional Practice in Dyslexia and Literacy.

## Completing your MEd

This module is required for completion of the MEd Professional Practice in Dyslexia and Literacy. The supported piece of enquiry-based professional research offered by our sister company Real Training will help you examine your own practice and that of others to gain a new level of understanding of how enquiry, research and critical reflection can improve outcomes for those you are working with. Completion of this module will give you the skills and knowledge you need to meet this challenge.

## Your own research project.

This module will enable you to critically engage with the theory and research base and conduct an enquiry based research project of your own in the area of assessment, dyslexia and specific learning difficulties (SpLDs). Throughout there will be a strong emphasis on reflective activities, further improving your understanding of your own and others' practice and helping you to develop effective teaching and management strategies.

Topics covered will include:

- Approaches to enquiry: qualitative and quantitative, positivist and interpretative.
- Features of enquiry-based practice and practitioner research.
- Negotiating research in your organisation: using the RADIO model.

- Designing a piece of enquiry-based practice: Action Research cycles.
- Research ethics and codes of conduct.
- Data collection and analysis.
- Writing up your research.

Action and enquiry-based research allow you to focus on practice that is useful to you and your organisation. Rather than standing on the side noticing and recording, the action and enquiry approach puts you at the centre of change - making a positive difference.

## Choosing your research topic

Contact us if you are ready to complete your Masters and you wish to talk through possible topics for further enquiry or research. Whilst it is not necessary to have a topic idea prior to enrolling on this module we understand that sometimes it can help with the process of enrolment if you can be sure that a topic is relevant for further enquiry and research. In these circumstances we are happy to talk through ideas with you and other people you work with.



## At a glance...

**Study Method:** Online

**Duration:** up to one year

**Enrolments Dates:**

September, January and May

## Flexible assessment

This practice-based distance learning module is structured around carefully designed learning experiences, each with a practical activity at its heart that engages directly with your own professional context. Supporting theory, reflection and example activities will help you undertake and complete the relevant aspects of the assignments up to and including the completion of your Action Research project. You will submit two critical analysis assignments (3,000 words each), one practice analysis assignment (5,000 words or equivalent) and one reflective analysis (1,000 words or equivalent).

Where a word equivalence is given, you may submit as part of your final portfolio of evidence multimedia resources that you have produced within your applied practice

## Professional benefits

- Focus your research on a topic of relevance to you.
- Undertake an enquiry-based research project that makes a difference.
- Apply the enquiry-based approach to practice.
- Publish your work with our guidance and support.
- Complete your MEd Professional Practice in Dyslexia and Literacy.
- Progress your professional career.

## Eligibility

To complete this module, you will need to:

- Have completed 120 masters credits with us (Route 1 or Route 2)
- Be working in or have access to a UK or international education setting - you will embed learning through practice in such a setting.



## How to book this module

If you are ready to complete your Master of Education (MEd) Professional Practice in Dyslexia and Literacy, you will need to book the Enquiry-based SEND Practice research topic module with our sister company Real Training.

### More information

[realtraining.co.uk/enquiry-based-send-practice](http://realtraining.co.uk/enquiry-based-send-practice)

