

# Malta

## Awarding bodies

University of Malta

## Accrediting agencies

University Grants Commission,  
Malta Qualifications Council,  
Malta Teachers Council

## Key facts

Population: 0.39 million (CEP 2007)

Education expenditure: 4.6% of the GDP in  
2002/3 (CEP 2007)

Primary enrolment: 96% (CEP 2007)

Secondary enrolment: 87% (CEP 2007)

Tertiary enrolment: 30% (CEP 2007)

Number of primary teachers: 1,700 in 2004  
(UNESCO 2006)

Number of secondary teachers: 3,700 in  
2004 (UNESCO 2006)

Estimated number of un- and under-  
qualified teachers: n/a

Estimated number of foreign teachers: n/a

## Professional requirements for teaching

Minimum qualification

Registration with the Malta Teachers' Council

Teachers' code of ethics

Warrants are issued after 2 years of practice

## Key contacts

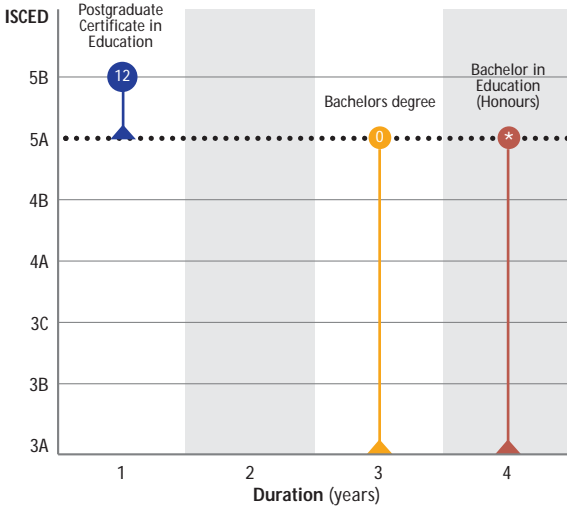
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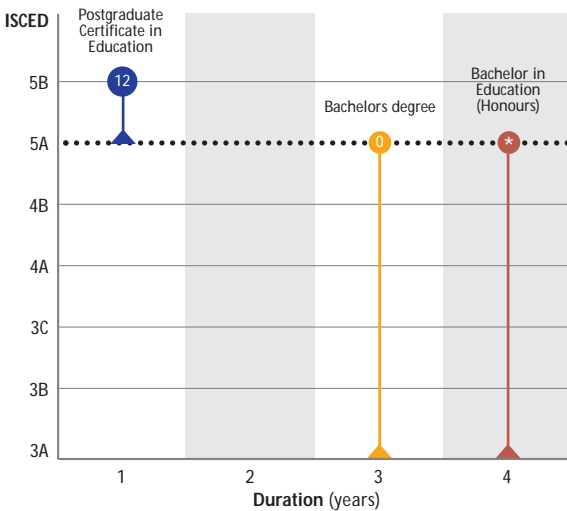
### Initial Primary Teaching Qualifications



**Notes**

- 1 Minimum standard for teaching at primary level: ISCED 5
- 2 Practical component of the B Ed (Honours) determined by the Board of the University
- 3 Pathway(s):
  - 3.1 Bachelors Degree » Postgraduate Certificate in Education (4, 12)
  - 3.2 Bachelor in Education (Honours) (4, \*)

### Initial Secondary Teaching Qualifications



**Notes**

- 1 Minimum standard for teaching at upper secondary level: ISCED 5
- 2 Practical component of the B Ed (Honours) determined by the Board of the University
- 3 Pathway(s):
  - 3.1 Bachelors Degree » Postgraduate Certificate in Education (4, 12)
  - 3.2 Bachelor in Education (Honours) (4, \*)