

Nigeria

Awarding bodies

Universities, polytechnics, colleges of education

Accrediting agencies

Teachers Registration Council of Nigeria, National Universities Commission, National Commission for Colleges of Education

Key facts

Population: 124 million (CEP 2007)

Education expenditure: n/a

Primary enrolment: 67% (CEP 2007)

Secondary enrolment: 29% (CEP 2007)

Tertiary enrolment: 8% (CEP 2007)

Number of primary teachers: 591,291 in 2009 (self-reported)

Number of secondary teachers: 153,154 in 2009 (self-reported)

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

Estimated number of foreign teachers: n/a

Professional requirements for teaching

Minimum qualification: Certificate in Education (Basic Education), Degree (Senior Secondary)

21 years of age

Free from criminal conviction

Registered by the Teachers Registration Council of Nigeria

Key contacts

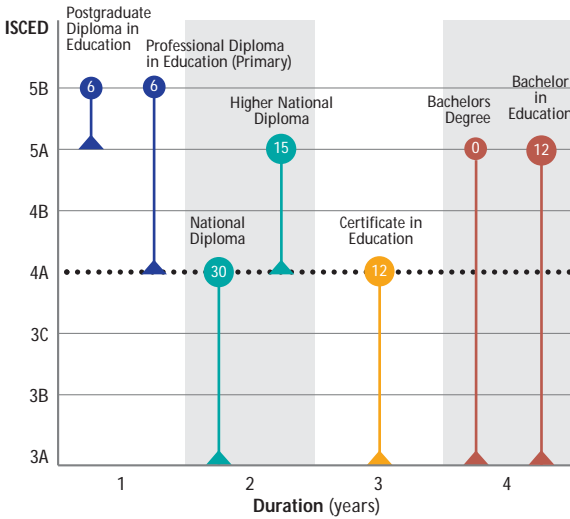
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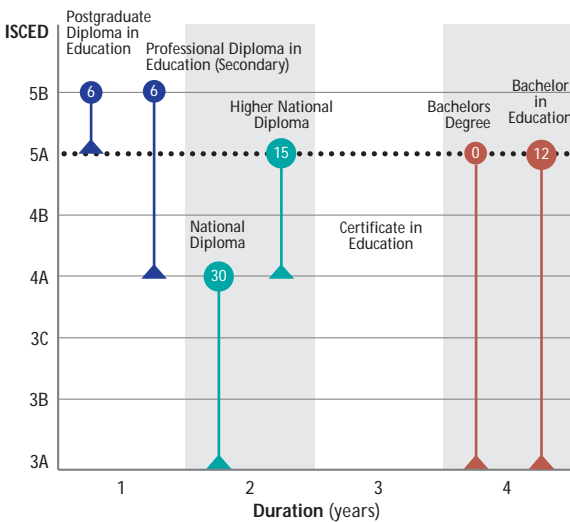
Initial Primary Teaching Qualifications



Notes

- 1 Minimum standard for teaching at primary level: ISCED 5
- 2 Pathway(s):
 - 2.1 Bachelor in Education (4, 12)
 - 2.2 Bachelor Degree » Postgraduate Diploma in Education (5, 6)
 - 2.3 Bachelor Degree » Professional Diploma in Education (Primary) (5, 6)
 - 2.4 National Diploma » Higher National Diploma » Professional Diploma in Education (Primary) (5, 51)
 - 2.5 National Diploma » Professional Diploma in Education (Primary) (3, 36)
 - 2.6 Certificate in Education (3, 12)

Initial Secondary Teaching Qualifications



Notes

- 1 Minimum standard for teaching at upper secondary level: ISCED 4
- 2 Pathway(s):
 - 2.1 Bachelor in Education (4, 12)
 - 2.2 Bachelor Degree » Postgraduate Diploma in Education (5, 6)
 - 2.3 Bachelor Degree » Professional Diploma in Education (Secondary) (5, 6)
 - 2.4 National Diploma » Higher National Diploma » Professional Diploma in Education (Secondary) (5, 51)