



Department of Education

University of Karachi

Bachelor of Education B.Ed. (Hons.) Secondary, 05 Semester Program

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Comparative Education

Objectives

The course will enable learners to:

1. Describe the meaning and significance of comparative education
2. Compare the education systems of selected developed countries
3. Compare the education systems of selected developing countries
4. Analyze critically the education system of Pakistan

Course Outline:

Unit 1: Introduction to Comparative Education

- 1.1 Concept of comparative education Meaning Need and Scope
- 1.2 Purpose of comparative education
- 1.3 Methods & Comparative Education

Unit 2: Elements of Comparative Education

- 2.1 Objectives
- 2.2 Curricula
- 2.3 Teaching methodology
- 2.4 Assessment and evaluation (Student achievement, Examination system)
- 2.5 Facilities
- 2.6 Educational structure
- 2.7 Administrative and financial set up
- 2.8 Teacher education

Unit 3: Comparative View of Systems of Education in Pakistan

- 3.1 Private and public
- 3.2 Madrassah and formal education
- 3.3 Formal vs. Distance and non-formal education

Unit 4: Comparative Education in Developed Countries

- 4.1 USA
- 4.2 UK
- 4.3 Japan
- 4.4 Singapore

Unit 5: Comparative Education in Developing Countries

- 5.1 India
- 5.2 China
- 5.3 Malaysia
- 5.4 Pakistan

Unit 6: Global Issues in Comparative Perspective (focusing developing countries)

- 6.1 Quality education
- 6.2 Education for All
- 6.3 Recruitment of teachers at secondary and higher secondary levels
- 6.4 Admission procedure at higher education level

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