

## PROGRAMME TITLE: **POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL TEACHER EDUCATION**

### **1.0 Programme Overview:**

The Postgraduate Diploma in Technical and Vocational Teacher Education (PGD-TVTE) is a one-year programme taught in 4 blocks of 12 weeks each. It aims at providing the student teachers with pedagogical skills and strategies in teaching technical and vocational courses. Among others, the programme will equip the student teachers with competency in using the new information and communication technologies (ICTs) to create conducive learning environment in enhancing student's knowledge and skills. The goal is to enable the learners to appreciate the ethical dimension of teacher professionalism in Technical and Vocational Education.

### **Programme Summary:**

Programme Name:	Postgraduate Diploma in Technical and Vocational Teacher Education
Programme Initials:	PGD-TVTE
Duration:	1-3 Years
Total Units	22 Units
Mode of Delivery	Blended Mode

### **2.0 Programme Information**

#### **2.1 Entry Qualifications**

A candidate aspiring for admission into Postgraduate Diploma in Technical and Vocational Teacher Education (TVTE) Programme should hold a Bachelor's Degree or an Advanced Diploma in the fields related to technical and vocational fields as follows:

- Technical related fields include, but not limited to:
  - construction; oil & gas; renewable energy; carpentry; plumbing welding; mechanical engineering; electrical engineering; civil and structural engineering; building and architecture; drafting; engineering design; machinery technology and design; and production and industrial technology.
- Vocational related fields include but not limited to:
  - creative writing; tourism & hospitality; cosmetology; dressmaking; hotel management; health care; forestry; animal husbandry; ICT; rural planning and community development; social work & welfare; nutrition & food processing; business studies; environmental science; water and sanitation from any recognized institution.

### **3.0 INTENDED LEARNING OUTCOMES**

The PGD in Technical and Vocational Teacher Education (PGD-TVTE) programme is intended to produce teachers, trainers and educators capable of using pedagogical skills and strategies in enhancing the learning of technical and vocational courses; use the new information and communication technologies (ICTs) to create conducive learning environment in enhancing the development of technical and vocational knowledge and skills; appreciate the ethical dimension of teacher professionalism and practice it in their teaching endeavours.

#### 4.0 PROGRAMME STRUCTURES, REQUIREMENTS, LEVELS, MODULES, CREDITS AND AWARDS

A candidate doing Postgraduate Diploma in Technical and Vocational Teacher Education (TVTE) Programme shall take a total of 22 units (220 Credits).

##### 4.1 Programme Structure

The PGD-TVTE programme will be offered in a blended distance learning mode, with some face-to-face sessions supported by online resources, technologies and services. This is a flexible programme whereby clustered courses will be taught and covered within four blocks of 12 weeks each. The courses will be conducted in MVTTC off-campus Centres and at OUT Regional Centres as the need arises. For quality assurance purposes, learners will do assignments and modular examinations at the end of each academic block.

##### 4.2 Course Credits

The PGD- TVTE programme shall have a total of 220 credits.

##### 4.3 Course Structure and Duration

The PGD-TVTE programme shall extend for a minimum period of one calendar year consisting of four academic blocks. This duration is for all courses and will include supervised Independent study. The candidates will take 8 core courses, and one elective course. The independent Study will fall under either Educational Research; Scientific Research; Innovative Project; or Entrepreneurial Project.

##### 4.4 Assessment Regulations

Each course (module) will be examined in the following manner:

- (a) Continuous Assessment (CA), 30 % by weight
  - One standardised test , 30% by weight
- (b) Modular Examination( ME), 70 % by weight
- (c) **Total module/course marks: CA +ME= 100%**
- (d) Teaching Practice, 100%
- (e) Independent Study, 100%

##### 4.5 The Courses

Each PGD-TVTE programme course (module) will carry at least ten (20) credits; and one is required to take a minimum of nine (9) courses i.e., the 8 core plus one elective. Teaching Practice (TP) and Independent Study (IS) are key components of the PGD-TVTE programme each with 20 credits. The PGD-TVTE programme components are presented in the matrix below.

#### 5.0 Programme Structure

##### 5.1 Table 1

Course Code	Course Title	Status	Units	TCU Credit
<b>CORE COURSES</b>				
OEA 511	Foundations of TVET and Workforce Development	CORE	2	20
OEA 512	Learning Psychology and Didactics in TVTE (Psychology of Teaching and Learning)	CORE	2	20
OEA 513	Curriculum Development in TVET	CORE	2	20
OEA 514	Planning and Management in TVET	CORE	2	20

OEA 515	Entrepreneurship in TVET	CORE	2	20
OEA 516	Media & Technologies in TVET	CORE	2	20
OEA 517	Gender and Inclusive issues in TVET	CORE	2	20
OEA 518	Research and innovation in TVET	CORE	2	20
OEA 520	Teaching Practice	CORE	2	20
OEA 521	Independent Study	CORE	2	20
<b>ELECTIVES (METHODOLOGY COURSES) – CHOOSE ONE</b>				
OEI 511T	Teaching Methods for Technical related Occupations	ELECTIVE	2	20
OEI 512T	Teaching Methods for Vocational Related Occupations	ELECTIVE	2	20
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>26</b>	<b>260</b>

## 6.0 Fee Structure

### 1.1 6.1 General Fees for the Programme

S/N	ITEM	LOCAL (TSH)	EAC/SADC (USD)	NON-SADC (USD)
1	Registration Fees	50,000/-	30	30
3	Examination fees paid per paper (Test & Exam)	20,000/-	40	60
4	Student Organization fees (annually)	20,000/-	20	20
5	Student Identity card	20,000/-	20	20
6	Plagiarism Fee	20,000/-	20	20
7	Caution money	20,000/-	20	20
8	Quality Assurance Fee (annually)	20,000/-	20	30
<b>TOTAL General Fee</b>		<b>330,000/-</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>230</b>

### 6.2 Tuition Fee per Unit (or per 10 credits) for the programme

1	Cost for each courses ( 9 courses)	120,000/-	120	140
2	Teaching practice	200,000/-	200	220
3	Project/Independent study	200,000/-	200	220
TOTAL Tuition Fee for Courses		1,480,000/-	1,480	1,700
TOTAL Tuition fee for the Whole Programme		1,810,000/-	1,670	1,930

## 7.0 PROGRAMME INTAKES

OUT has got four (4) round of admission; for this case, the programme's intakes are as follows:

Intake  
Intake 1  
Intake 2  
Intake 3  
Intake 4

Month  
January  
April  
July  
October

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