

**For the attention of the  
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teachers and coordinators**



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# NEWS

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## Rules of combination – Level 3

To be awarded this qualification the learner must achieve a total of 12 credits.

- 3 credits from Group A
- 6 credits from Group B
- 3 credits from Group C

<b>Level 3 Award in Preparing to Teach in the Lifelong Learning Sector</b>			
<b>Total credit value of qualification: 12 credits</b>			
Credit value at Level 3	12 credits		
Credit value of mandatory units	3 credits		
Credit value of optional units	9 credits		
<b>Unit title</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Credit Value</b>	<b>GLH</b>
<b>Group A</b>			
<i>Three (3) credits must be achieved from this group</i>			
Roles, responsibilities and relationships in lifelong learning	3	3	12
<b>Group B</b>			
<i>Six (6) credits must be achieved from this group</i>			
Understanding inclusive learning and teaching in lifelong learning	3	3	12
Using inclusive learning and teaching approaches in lifelong learning	3	3	12
Facilitate learning and development for individuals	3	6	25
Facilitate learning and development in groups	3	6	25
<b>Group C</b>			
<i>Three (3) credits must be achieved from this group</i>			
Principles of assessment in lifelong learning	3	3	12
Understanding the principles and practices of assessment	3	3	25

## Rules of Combination – Level 4

To be awarded this qualification the learner must achieve a minimum of 12 credits.

- 3 credits from Group A
- 6 credits from Group B or Group C

(If Group B then 3 credits from B1 and 3 credits from B2)

- 3 credits from Group D

Learners must achieve a minimum of 9 credits at Level 4 to achieve the Level 4 qualification.

<b>Level 4 Award In Preparing to Teach In The Lifelong Learning Sector</b>			
<b>Total credit value of qualification: 12 credits</b>			
Credit value at Level 4	Minimum 9 credits		
Credit value of mandatory units	There are no mandatory units in this qualification		
Credit value of optional units	12 credits		
<b>Unit title</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Credit Value</b>	<b>GLH</b>
<b>Group A</b>			
<i>Three (3) credits must be achieved from this group</i>			
Roles and responsibilities and relationships in lifelong learning	3	3	12
Roles and responsibilities and relationships in lifelong learning	4	3	12
<b>Group B</b>			
<i>Six (6) credits must be achieved from Group B or Group C</i>			
<i>3 credits from sub group B1 and 3 credits from sub group B2</i>			
<b>Sub group B1</b>			
Understanding inclusive learning and teaching in lifelong learning	3	3	12
Understanding inclusive learning and teaching in lifelong learning	4	3	12
<b>Sub group B2</b>			
Using inclusive learning and teaching approaches in lifelong learning	3	3	12
Using inclusive learning and teaching approaches in lifelong learning	4	3	12
<b>Group C</b>			
<i>Six (6) credits must be achieved from Group B or Group C</i>			
Manage learning and development in groups	4	6	30
<b>Group D</b>			
<i>Three (3) credits must be achieved from this group</i>			

Principles of assessment in lifelong learning	3	3	12
Principles of assessment in lifelong learning	4	3	12
Understanding the principles and practices of assessment	3	3	25