



## Ma Se Kind (MSK) Education Programme Application Form

Bachelor of Education (B.Ed) Degree – 4 Years

*(Foundation Phase or Intermediate Phase Teaching)*

### Section A: Personal Information

**First Name(s):**

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**Last Name:**

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**Date of Birth:**

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**Gender:**

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**Contact Number:**

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**Email Address:**

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**Home Address:**

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**Dependents:**

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**Health Disabilities / Ailments:**

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**Criminal Record:**

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**Drivers License:**

**Date Issued:**

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## **Section B: Academic Information**

**High School Attended:**

**Year of Matriculation:**

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**Final NSC Average\* (%):**

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*\*Minimum Requirement: 55% overall average in Matric (NSC).*

**Home Language:**

**First Additional Language:**

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**Subjects Passed:**

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**Section C**

*(Answer honestly – there are no right or wrong answers)*

**Rate each statement from 1 to 5:**

*(1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Neutral, 4 = Agree, 5 = Strongly Agree)*

**Self-Awareness**

1. I know when I am feeling stressed and can identify the cause  
1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Neutral, 4 = Agree, 5 = Strongly Agree.
  
2. I understand how my emotions affect the way I interact with others.  
1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Neutral, 4 = Agree, 5 = Strongly Agree.
  
3. I reflect on my strengths and weaknesses regularly.  
1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Neutral, 4 = Agree, 5 = Strongly Agree.

**Motivation & Resilience**

4. I can stay motivated even when face with challenges.  
1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Neutral, 4 = Agree, 5 = Strongly Agree.



5. I see mistakes as opportunities to learn and improve.

1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 2 = *Disagree*, 3 = *Neutral*, 4 = *Agree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*.

6. I set personal goals and work consistently to achieve them.

1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 2 = *Disagree*, 3 = *Neutral*, 4 = *Agree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*.

### **Empathy & Relationships**

7. I can easily put myself in someone else's shoes.

1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 2 = *Disagree*, 3 = *Neutral*, 4 = *Agree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*.

8. I stay calm when dealing with difficult people.

1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 2 = *Disagree*, 3 = *Neutral*, 4 = *Agree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*.

9. I enjoy helping others learn and grow.

1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 2 = *Disagree*, 3 = *Neutral*, 4 = *Agree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*.

### **Classroom Readiness**

10. I can manage my time effectively.

1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 2 = *Disagree*, 3 = *Neutral*, 4 = *Agree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*.

11. I am comfortable speaking in front of a group.

1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 2 = *Disagree*, 3 = *Neutral*, 4 = *Agree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*.

12. I am willing to adapt my approach if my first attempt doesn't work.

1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 2 = *Disagree*, 3 = *Neutral*, 4 = *Agree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*.

### **Passion for Teaching**

13. I believe teaching is more than a job – it is a calling.

1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 2 = *Disagree*, 3 = *Neutral*, 4 = *Agree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*.

14. I feel excited about the idea of shaping young minds.

1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 2 = *Disagree*, 3 = *Neutral*, 4 = *Agree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*.

15. I am willing to commit to four years of study to achieve my dream of becoming a teacher.

1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 2 = *Disagree*, 3 = *Neutral*, 4 = *Agree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*.

## Section D

Instructions:

This questionnaire forms part of your MSK application. There are no right or wrong answers. Please answer honestly.

- For multiple-choice questions: **tick (✓)** your choice.
- For rating scales: **circle a number from 1–5**.
- For written responses: **write in the space provided**.

**Section 1:** Tick the answer that best describes you:

1. I recharge my energy by:  
 A. Being with people                       B. Spending time alone
2. I prefer information that is:  
 A. Practical and realistic                       B. Abstract and imaginative
3. When making decisions, I rely on:  
 A. Logic and reason                       B. Feelings and values
4. I prefer my life to be:  
 A. Structured and organized                       B. Flexible and spontaneous
5. I feel more comfortable:  
 A. Starting conversations with strangers  
 B. Waiting for others to approach me
6. I trust more:  
 A. What I can see and experience  
 B. Ideas about what could be possible

7. I prefer tasks that:

- A. Follow clear rules and steps     B. Allow creativity and freedom

8. I tend to:

- A. Plan ahead carefully                       B. Decide at the last minute

**Section 2:** *Circle the number that best describes you:*

*(1 = Strongly Disagree | 5 = Strongly Agree)*

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| 9. I talk a lot in groups.                           | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 10. I worry often about things.                      | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 11. I keep my promises.                              | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 12. I enjoy exploring new ideas.                     | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 13. I am considerate of others' feelings.            | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 14. I prefer quiet activities over social ones.      | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 15. I stay calm under pressure.                      | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 16. I like to keep things tidy and organized.        | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 17. I am curious about how things work.              | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 18. I help people even if it is inconvenient for me. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 19. I like to be the centre of attention.            | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 20. I get discouraged easily.                        | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 21. I work hard until a job is finished.             | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 22. I enjoy art, music, or literature.               | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 23. I am patient with people.                        | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

**Section 3:** *Circle the number that best describes you:*

(1 = Not true at all | 5 = Very true)

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| <b>24.</b> I can recognize when I am feeling stressed.                | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| <b>25.</b> I know how my emotions affect the way I behave.            | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| <b>26.</b> I can motivate myself even when I don't feel like working. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| <b>27.</b> I can calm myself down when I am upset.                    | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| <b>28.</b> I notice how other people are feeling.                     | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| <b>29.</b> I can put myself in someone else's shoes.                  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| <b>30.</b> I work well with people who are very different from me.    | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| <b>31.</b> I resolve disagreements in a respectful way.               | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| <b>32.</b> I can stay positive even when things are difficult.        | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

**Section 4:** *Values Inventory*

**33.** Education is most valuable because:

- A. It helps me get a good job
- B. It empowers me to change my community
- C. It makes me a more knowledgeable person

**34.** A teacher's main role in society is to:

- A. Provide information and knowledge
- B. Guide and inspire learners
- C. Help build a better future for the country

**35.** Which of these values is most important to you?

- A. Honesty     B. Respect     C. Responsibility     D. Compassion

**Section 5: Short Written Responses**

**36.** What inspires you to become a teacher?

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**37.** Why is education important to you?

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**38.** What do you think is the biggest challenge facing South African learners today?

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**39.** Why do you want to be part of the Ma Se Kind program?

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**40.** If you face difficulties during your studies, how will you overcome them?

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**41.** What contribution do you hope to make as a future teacher?

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**42.** Declare any teaching or mentoring experience.

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**43.** Declare any outreach, community programs you have participated in.

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**44.** Is there anything else about your background, experiences, or goals that you'd like us to know?

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### Section E: Required Attachments

1. Copy of Matric Certificate or Statement of Results
2. Certified Copy of ID Document
3. Curriculum Vitae (CV) with three references
4. Proof of residence
5. Police Clearance Certificate & Affidavit Statement

### Section F: Declaration

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby declare that all information provided is true and correct. I acknowledge that acceptance into the Ma Se Kind Education Programme is subject to both academic performance and personal suitability. By affixing my signature, I consent to the verification of all submitted documents and authorise Ma Se Kind to conduct the necessary check the organisation requires.

Signature:

Date:

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Place Signed:

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