

INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION

AHMADU BELLO UNIVERSITY, ZARIA



APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION INTO PART-TIME/LVT DIPLOMA AND CERTIFICATE PROGRAMMES 2025/2026 ACADEMIC SESSION

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates for admission into the under-mentioned Part-Time / LVT / Certificate, Diploma and Higher programmes of the Institute of Education, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria for the 2025/2026 academic session. Intended candidates are expected to read the instructions carefully and ensure that they are qualified for the intended programme before completing the application form. Candidates may confirm this by referring to the details for each course as stated below:

PART-TIME/LVT DIPLOMA AND CERTIFICATE PROGRAMMES

- **♦> Professional Diploma in Education (PDE) [Weekend, Part-Time]**
- Higher Diploma in Guidance and Counseling Education (HGC) (LVT)
- **♦ Diploma in Library and Information Science (LIS) (LVT)**
- Certificate in Imamship Education (CIM) [Weekend, Part-Time]
- Certificate in Arabic Calligraphy Education (ACE)
- Competency Certificate in Digital Pedagogy (CDP)

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

01 Professional Diploma in Education (PDE)

Candidates for PDE must possess any of the following

- (a) Advanced Diploma
- (b) Higher National Diploma (HND) OR
- (c) Degree(s) recognized by a University OR

The areas of specialization include Secondary, and University options.

DURATION: One Session (2 Semesters)

TUITION FEES: N42, 500.00

02 Certificate in Imamship Education (CIE)

Candidates for CIE must possess any of the following:

- (a) Primary School Leaving Certificate
- (b) Basic Islamic Knowledge

DURATION: 6 months (2 semesters)

TUITION FEES: N 57,500

03 Higher Diploma in Guidance and Counseling Education (HGC) (LVT)

Candidates for HGC must possess any of the following:

- (a) Diploma in Guidance and Counseling Education
- (b) The Nigeria Certificate in Education (NCE) OR
- (b) Any other Diploma recognized by the University.

DURATION: 2 Contact Sessions

TUITION FEES: N42,500.00 for first contact

04 Certificate in Arabic Calligraphy Education (ACE)

Candidates for ACE must possess a Minimum of 4 Credit in SSCE, Knowledge of Arabic Language will be added Advantage

DURATION: 6 months (2 Semesters)

TUITION FEES: N 57,500.00

Diploma in Library and Information Science (LIS) (LVT)

Candidates for LIS must possess any of the following:

- a) At least four (4) credit passes at SSCE/GCE 'O' level including English Language and Mathematics OR.
- b) Grade II Teachers' Certificate with a minimum of four (4) Merit passes.

DURATION: 3 Contact Sessions

TUITION FEES: N42, 500 for first contact

O6 Competency Certificate in Digital Pedagogy (CDP)

Candidates for CDP must possess a Minimum of First Degree or its equivalent in any field of speciality

DURATION: 6 months (2 semesters)

TUITION FEES: N 57,500.00

METHOD OF APPLICATION AND PAYMENT

Applicant for the Institute of Education Higher Diploma, Professional Diploma in Education and LVT Programmes should visit the Ahmadu Bello University online application portal to generate transaction identity before proceeding to the Bank for payment of the application fees of Two Thousand, Five Hundred Naira (N2,500.00) only. All applications and payment to be done via the website: www.portal.abu.edu.ng/otherforms. On the application portal, candidates are to click on the start application menu to create an account to enable them obtain transaction I.D. before proceeding to the Bank using the generated RRR to make payment at any commercial Bank that is online. Sales of Form will close in two (2) months from the date of this advert.