

**Institute of Education and Research
University of the Punjab
Lahore**

Program	BS Education		
Course Title: Comparative Education		Course Type: Major Course of Education	
Course Code: MCEd-401	Credit Hours: 3	Duration: 16 Weeks	
Introduction	Education system in a country cannot be isolated from the education system of other countries. Keeping in view the requirement of equivalence in global world, it is important to compare the education system of Pakistan with other developing and developed countries. Knowledge about education system of various countries assist policy maker to reflect on the education in the context of competition and excellence. It is, therefore, important that the teacher are aware of the objective, curricula, teacher education, admission criteria and staff recruitment requirement of the education system of developed and developing countries.		
Learning Objectives	<p>After studying this course, the students will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 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 Content	<p>Unit 01 Introduction to Comparative Education</p> <p>1.1 Concept of comparative education – meaning, need and scope 1.2 Purpose of comparative education 1.3 Methods & Comparative Education</p> <p>Unit 02 Elements of Comparative Education (Both qualitative and quantitative dimensions)</p> <p>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</p> <p>Unit 03 Comparative View of Systems of Education in Pakistan</p> <p>3.1 Private and public 3.2 Madrassah and formal education 3.3 Formal vs. Distance and non-formal education</p> <p>Unit 04 Comparative Education in Developed Countries</p> <p>4.1 USA 4.2 UK 4.3 Japan 4.4 Singapore</p>		

