

SECONDARY EDUCATION, MASTER OF ARTS WITH TEACHER LEADER ENDORSEMENT PREPARATION (M.A.ED.)

General Information

The curriculum is designed to help teachers certified to teach in secondary programs (P-12, 5-12, or 8-12) improve their professional skills, extend their knowledge of the subjects they teach, and increase their understanding of the intellectual, philosophical, sociological, psychological, and cultural foundations of effective education in order to serve as instructional leaders, teacher mentors, literacy or math coaches, instructional facilitators, department chairs and / or team leaders. Candidates will be eligible to apply for the Teacher Leader Endorsement upon completion of this program.

Admission Requirements

Candidates must meet the admissions requirements of the Graduate School and have completed an initial teaching certification program in secondary programs (P-12, 5-12, or 8-12). In addition, candidates must have earned an overall 3.0 undergraduate GPA or a 3.0 in the last 30 hours completed.

Program Requirements

CIP Code: 13.1205

Code	Title	Hours
Core		
EDF 804	Teaching and Leading with Tech	2
ETL 800	Leadership Skills for Teachers	3
ETL 801	Leading Achievement Change	3
ETL 803	Curriculum for Teacher Leaders	3
ETL 805	Research Metho for Educ Profes	3
EMG 806	Read Instruction Middle School	3
ETL 806	Teacher Leader Capstone ¹	1
Concentrations		
Students must select one of the following Concentrations:		12-18
Certification Area Specialization		
English as a Second Language (Grades P-12) Endorsement		
Gifted Education (Grades P-12) Endorsement		
Literacy Specialist (Grades P-12) Endorsement		
Preparation to Teach Dual Credit Music		
Preparation to Teach Dual Credit - Other Subject Area Concentrations		
Exit Requirements		
GRD 878I	MAED Secnd Ed Oral Comp Exam	0
Total Hours		30-36

Candidates may register for ETL 806 Teacher Leader Capstone only in the last semester of study and after successful completion of the prerequisite course, ETL 805 Research Metho for Educ Profes.

Certification Area Specialization Concentration

Code	Title	Hours
Concentration Courses		
Subject matter or education coursework selected in consultation with advisor: courses selected to strengthen candidate's knowledge in area(s) of certification. (Subject areas include; Agriculture, Art, Biology, Business & Marketing, Chemistry, Earth Science, Engineering and Technology, English, Family and Consumer Science, French, Health, Mathematics, Music, Physical Education, Physics, and Social Science/History).		12
Total Hours		12

English as a Second Language (Grades P-12) Concentration

Code	Title	Hours
Concentration Courses		
EME 751	Linguistics in the Curriculum	3
EMS 775	Methods for Multilingual Learners	3
EMS 776	Assessment Methods for Multilingual Learners	3
EMS 777	Culturally and Linguistically Responsive Teaching	3
Total Hours		12

Gifted Education (Grades P-12) Endorsement Concentration

Code	Title	Hours
Concentration Courses		
EMS 855	Gifted and Talented Youth	3
EMS 856	Curr in Gifted/Talented Educat	3
EMS 857	Model Prog-Gifted/Talented Edu	3
EMS 858	Practicum-Gifted & Talented Ed	3
Total Hours		12

Literacy Specialist (Grades P-12) Endorsement Concentration

Code	Title	Hours
Concentration Courses		
ELE 871	Literacy Programs P-5	3
EMS 873	Trends & Issues in ELA	3
EMS 875	Literacy Assessment and Instruction	3
EMS 876	Literacy, Leadership, and Advocacy Difficulties	3
EME 877	Practicum for Reading Specialists	3
Total Hours		15

Preparation to Teach Dual Credit Music Concentration

Code	Title	Hours
Concentration Courses		
MUS 756	Choral Music Literature	3
MUS 757	Symphonic and Wind Band Litera	3
MUS 878	Foundations of Music	3
MUS 887	Analytical Techniques I	3

¹ ETL 806 Teacher Leader Capstone is repeatable for candidates not completing their Capstone Research Project in one semester.

Choose from one advisor approved elective	3
Total Hours	15

Preparation to Teach Dual Credit Other Subject Area Concentrations

Code	Title	Hours
Concentration Courses		
Other subject area concentrations may be chosen in consultation with education advisor and content specialist after transcript evaluation of prior coursework		18
Total Hours		18

Exit Requirements

The following are the exit requirements for all Master of Arts in Education - Secondary Education programs.

- Program GPA: Candidates must earn overall GPA of 3.0 or higher, with no grade lower than a C.
- Research Requirement: an action research project which culminates in a technology enhanced presentation is required in ETL 806 Teacher Leader Capstone. Candidates must also register for EDF 804 Teaching and Leading with Tech
- GRD 878I MAED Secnd Ed Oral Comp Exam is also required.
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