

LANGUAGE & LITERACY, M.ED. - ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

The Department of Early, Middle and Exceptional Education offers a master's in language and literacy education with an ESL concentration leading to an ESL certification. This pathway is available for elementary and secondary teachers who possess an Instructional I Certificate in Pennsylvania. A Master of Education in language and literacy education offers the student the opportunity to participate in original research and experiential programs in this field, with a practicum at the end of the coursework. All courses and learnings are aligned with knowledge and practice standards for English as a Second Language (ESL) Teachers - PDE Chapter 49 Structured Literacy Competencies.

Lang Literacy Interventions: Clinical Practicum		6
EDUC 565	Language & Literacy Interventions: Clinical Practicum	
Total Hours		27

MED Professional Core Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
PROFESSIONAL CORE		
EDFN 601	Research Methods	3
Psychological Core Requirement - Choose 1 of the following:		3
EDFN 545	Advanced Educational Psychology	
PSYC 525	Advanced Child Psychology	
PSYC 526	Advanced Adolescent Psychology	
PSYC 625	Human Growth and Development	
Philosophical Core Requirement - Choose 1 of the following:		3
EDFN 511	Comparative Education	
EDFN 590	Social Foundation of Educ	
EDFN 603	Philosophy of Education	
EDFN 604	Education and Public Policy	
Total Hours		9

Major in Language and Literacy ESL Conc - MED

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LANGUAGE AND LITERACY REQUIREMENTS		
RDED 622	Reading and Writing in the Content Areas	3
Language or Literature Requirement - Choose 1 of the following:		3
EDUC 535	Children's Literature and Creative Experiences for Young Children and Adolescents	
EDUC 636	Literature and Response	
ENGL 661	Semnr in Transformational Ling	
ENGL 663	Applied Linguistics	
RDED 621	Foundations of Reading and Writing	3
ESL REQUIREMENTS		
Second Language Acq: Theory, Programs Assessment		3
EDUC 561	Second Language Acquisition: Theory, Programs & Assessment	
Methods for Teaching English Lang Learners		3
EDUC 562	Methods for Teaching English Language Learners	
EDUC 563	Linguistic and Cultural Diversity in the Classroom	3
Assess, Policies Pract in Teach of Eng Lang Learners		3
EDUC 564	Assessment, Policies & Practice in Teaching of English Language Learners	