

M.Ed. in Curriculum and Instruction with a concentration in Reading (504E)

The Master of Education (M.Ed.) program in Curriculum and Instruction with a concentration in Reading is designed for elementary, middle or secondary teachers who desire to work with students with reading competencies. This program enhances their instructional expertise as well as adding a Reading specialist endorsement to their Louisiana teaching certificate.

Prerequisites for this program include a valid teaching license as well as admission to the graduate school.

Degree requirements for this program and concentration include 12 hours of foundation coursework; 12 hours of support and application coursework; and 12 hours of concentration coursework.

The table below indicates all required coursework as well as the semesters offered

Foundation Courses (12 hours)

Course	Offered in fall semesters	Offered in spring semesters	Offered in summer terms
EDCI 5020 Curriculum Development for School Improvement	X	X	X
EDCI 5030 Instructional Improvement and Assessment	X	X	X
EDUC 5010 Educational Research and Evaluation	X	X	X
EDUC 5850 Action Research for School Improvement	X	X	X

Support and Application Courses (12 hours)

Course	Offered in fall semesters	Offered in spring semesters	Offered in summer terms
EDCI 5110 Reflective and Coherent Classroom Practice	X		
EDCI 5120 Advanced Instructional Theories and Strategies			X
EDCI 5130 Teaching Diverse Learners	X		
EDCI 5140 Clinical Internship		X	

Concentration Courses (12 hours)

Course	Offered in fall semesters	Offered in spring semesters	Offered in summer terms
RDG 5210 Reading and Literacy Instruction in the Elementary School			X
RDG 5250 Advanced Reading Instruction Across Content Areas	X		
RDG 5710 Advanced Diagnosis and Correction of Reading Difficulties		X	
RDG 6510 Laboratory Practicum in Reading		X	

