



College of Education
Master of Education (M.Ed.)
Reading and Language
Non-licensure concentration

The Master of Education Degree in Reading and Language is a thirty credit program designed to meet the needs of experienced practitioners who wish to broaden and deepen their professional knowledge and to expand the contributions they can make to education. Candidates who seek to enroll in this degree program should hold a teaching license in Elementary Education, English Language Learners, Moderate Disabilities or Early Childhood Education and be employed as teacher in a public or private K-12 school setting.

	Credits
<u>FOUNDATIONS OF EDUCATION</u>	<u>3</u>
EDUC 6300 Educating Diverse Populations	
<u>RESEARCH AND EVALUATION</u>	<u>3</u>
EDUC 5413 Practitioner Action Research** OR EDUC 6423 Program Evaluation	
<u>SPECIALIZATION</u>	<u>18</u>
EDUC 6100 Reading in the Content Area EDUC 5220 Young Adult Literature EDUC 5270 Language Acquisition EDUC 5280 Assessment of Reading and Language Disabilities* EDUC 5290 Treatment of Reading and Language Disabilities EDUC 5490 Theory and Research: Reading and Language	
<u>ELECTIVE</u>	<u>3</u>
One elective with permission of advisor	
<u>CAPSTONE</u>	<u>3</u>
EDUC 6501 Capstone Project: Advanced Programs***	

* Must be taken **before** EDUC 5290

** This course can be taken after **18 credits** and requires the permission of the Graduate Coordinator.

*** This course must be taken at the end of the program. It may be taken in conjunction with one other course only.

Important Information

This program does NOT lead to licensure in any field. Instead, it provides the professional knowledge required for the continuing education of experienced practitioners. Candidates who complete the program successfully are awarded a Master of Education Degree, but cannot be endorsed for licensure in Massachusetts or in their own state.