

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS OPTION, MASTER OF EDUCATION IN EDUCATION (M.ED.)

Educational Foundations—certification optional: designed for graduate candidates, individuals with or without certification, who want a broad understanding of the history, philosophy and organization of education and to focus on an individual area of educational interest

Common Core Requirements

Psychological Foundations

EDUC 522	TRANSFORMATION OF LEARNING AND TEACHING	4
or PSYC 515	ADVANCED EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY	

Historical, Philosophical and Social Foundations of Education—choose two

EDUC 502	HISTORY OF AMERICAN EDUCATION	4
or EDUC 507	PHILOSOPHY AND ORGANIZATION OF THE AMERICAN SCHOOL	
EDUC 505	CURRENT ISSUES IN EDUCATION	4
or EDUC 506	EDUCATIONAL SOCIOLOGY	

Research and Applied Experience

EDUC 520	METHODS OF EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH	4
EDUC 600	THESIS	5
or EDUC 601	RESEARCH REPORT	
EDUC 695	INTERNSHIP	4

Educational Foundations/Interdisciplinary Area Specialization Courses 8

EDUC 502	HISTORY OF AMERICAN EDUCATION	
EDUC 503	CONTEMPORARY EDUCATION IN OTHER SOCIETIES	
EDUC 506	EDUCATIONAL SOCIOLOGY	
EDUC 507	PHILOSOPHY AND ORGANIZATION OF THE AMERICAN SCHOOL	
EDUC 531	ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CURRICULUM	
or EDUC 532	SECONDARY SCHOOL CURRICULUM	
EDUC 538	MEDIA LITERACY FOR TEACHERS	
EDUC 551	SUPERVISION OF INSTRUCTION	
EDUC 564	SCHOOL LAW	

Support Courses—choose with advisor from related disciplines 15-18

Total Credits 48-51

Student Learning Outcomes—students will

- demonstrate advanced research based knowledge and skills in curriculum and instruction in a selected area of emphasis;
- demonstrate effective practice in the implementation of learning activities which include: knowledge of content area; problem solving; use of technology;
- opportunity for student choice; motivation; collaboration and respect for diversity in a student centered learning environment;
- demonstrate professional leadership in the field;

- design and implement curriculum based on standards, knowledge, skills and professional dispositions from the Department of Education, state of Washington Professional Education Standards Board (PESB) standards and certification requirements and other applicable professional standards;
- demonstrate excellent communication skills necessary to communicate effectively with all constituencies, including students, colleagues, parents and community.