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ENDICOTT COLLEGE

VAN LOAN SCHOOL OF GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDY

Master of Education in Secondary Education (5-12) Program

Program Overview

Developing subject-area middle and high school teachers with advanced skills and knowledge for 21st century education.

The M. Ed. in Secondary Education prepares teacher candidates with a strong background in any content area to work in middle and high school classrooms throughout Massachusetts. The program of study develops an in-depth understanding of evidence-based practice in secondary education. Utilizing the Massachusetts Curriculum Frameworks as a guide, each candidate will gain experience with curriculum development and modification to support all learners in all classrooms. Course syllabi provide extensive field experiences throughout the program to gain experience implementing research-based best practices that help prepare secondary school students for college and careers. Upon graduation, students will be eligible to earn an initial license from the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education in Grades 5-8 or 8-12 in one of the approved subject areas: English, history, political science/philosophy, humanities, biology, chemistry, earth science, physics, general science, and math/science.

Program of Study

Learning Outcomes: Upon completion of this program, students will:

- Demonstrate subject matter expertise
- Design high quality and coherent instruction, including authentic and meaningful student assessments
- Analyze student performance and growth data and to use this data to improve instruction and practice
- Teach all students through instructional practices that establish high expectations, a safe and effective classroom environment, and cultural proficiency
- Promote the learning and growth of all students through effective partnerships with families, caregivers, community members, and organizations
- Ensure the learning and growth of all students through ethical, culturally proficient, skilled, and collaborative practice

Required Curriculum: M Ed in Secondary Education (5-12) Non-Licensure

EDN 500 - Child and Adolescent Development
EDN 570 - Strategies for Classroom Management
RDL 505 - Adolescent Literacy
RDL 515 - Writing Instruction
SEC 530 - Curriculum in Secondary Education
SEC 535 - Methods in Secondary Education
SPE 500 - Nature and Needs of Students with Disabilities
SPE 525 - Assistive and Augmentative Technologies

**Electives are chosen in consultation with a Jenmarc advisor; 4 Elective Courses (12 credits) are required.*

Current Elective Courses include:

- *EDN 530 - Sheltered English Immersion
- *EDN 680 - Research in Education
- *EDN 685 - Policy Analysis, Leadership and Change Processes
- *EDN 690 - Advanced Seminar in Education
- *ED** XXX- Content Area Course

Total Degree Requirements - 36 credits



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Required Curriculum: M Ed in Secondary Education (5-12) Initial Licensure

As regulated by the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, the practicum requires 300 hours with a minimum of 100 hours of full responsibility in the role and grade level of the license sought. Students must have their practicum placement, supervising practitioner, and hours approved by the Jenmarc/Endicott staff before enrolling in the practicum course. Additional hours may be assigned at the discretion of the Dean, Director, Associate Director or Assistant Director.

**Courses required to obtain the Initial license*

EDN 500 - Child and Adolescent Development

*EDN 530 - Sheltered English Immersion

EDN 570 - Strategies for Classroom Management

EXM 696 - Educator Licensure Comprehensive Exam

RDL 505 - Adolescent Literacy

RDL 515 - Writing Instruction

*SEC 530 - Curriculum in Secondary Education

*SEC 535 - Methods in Secondary Education

*SEC 550 - Curriculum and Assessment in Practice: Secondary Education (Pre-Practicum)

*SEC 560 - Practicum in Secondary Education

*SEC 565 - Reflective Seminar in Secondary Education

*SPE 500 - Nature and Needs of Students with Disabilities

SPE 525 - Assistive and Augmentative Technologies

Total Degree Requirements - 36 credits