

*Ph.D. Program in Educational Psychology*  
The Ohio State University, Department of Educational Studies  
College of Education and Human Ecology  
Semester Program Requirements (minimum of 60 credit hours)  
(pending approval)

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A. **Common Core Requirements (6 credit hours)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 6890.01            Core 1: Introduction to graduate study (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6890.02            Core 2: Interdisciplinary analysis of educational problems (3)

B. **Research Core (minimum of 9 credit hours)**

Students select a minimum of 9 hours including at least one of the following list of course sequences. The program must include at least 3 research courses at the 7000 level or higher and additional coursework to satisfy the competencies needed to successfully complete the dissertation. This coursework is selected by the student in consultation with the advisor to reflect the student's research interests, and is subject to the rules of the Graduate Study Committee.

**ANOVA Sequence:**

- 7648: Univariate Experimental Designs (3 hours)  
8648: Multivariate Experimental Designs (3 hours)

**Regression Sequence:**

- 7651: Regression Analysis (3 hours)  
8658: Applied Multilevel Data Analysis (3 hours)

**Qualitative Sequence**

- 8280 - Qualitative Research in Education: Paradigms, Theories, and Exemplars (3)  
8290 - Qualitative Research in Education: Methods and Analysis (3)

**Classroom Discourse Sequence**

- 8210 - Qualitative Research: The Analysis of Interaction in Educational Settings (3)  
8211 - Analysis of Classroom Discourse (3)

C. **Specialization Requirements (18 credit hours)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 6410            Philosophy of Education (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7402            Cognition, Learning and Instruction (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7403            Motivation in Learning and Teaching (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7414            Examining Knowledge, Truth and Objectivity: Philosophy of Science for Educational Researchers (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8280            Qualitative Research in Education (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8403            Theory and Research in Educational Psychology (3)

**F. Electives (minimum of 12 credit hours)**

Students select 4 of these or other approved courses, in consultation with the advisor

_____ 5401	Adolescent Learning and Development in School Contexts (3)
_____ 7401	Psychological Perspectives on Teaching (3)
_____ 7404	College Teaching (3)
_____ 7405	Cooperative Learning for Teachers and Supervisors (3)
_____ 8401	Research on Teachers' Knowledge and Beliefs (3)
_____ 8402	Classroom Research on Student Motivation (3)

**G. Research Apprenticeship (9 credit hours)**

Students are required to take nine credit hours of work under the supervision of faculty focused on the preparation of conference presentations and/or publications, or intensive study relevant to the dissertation.

**H. Dissertation Research (minimum of 6 credit hours):**