



## **Reading and Literacy in Early and Middle Childhood (RLEMC)**

*Specialization leading to Master of Arts in Teaching and Learning*

### **Program Requirements (9 hours)**

#### **Core Courses (9 hours)**

EDUTL 6808	Multicultural & Global Perspectives on T&L (3)
EDUTL 6050	Multiple Perspectives on T&L (3)
EDUTL 6053	Balanced Assessment of T&L (3)

### **Area of Study Required and Elective Courses**

#### **Required (4)**

EDUTL 7428	Trends & Issues in Teaching Reading (3)
EDUTL 7193	Individual Studies (1)

#### **Tier 1 Electives (9 credit hours required)**

EDUTL 5453	Critical Literacy in Content Areas Classrooms (3)
EDUTL 5610	Language Arts and ESL Instruction
EDUTL 5470	Assessment & Instruction for Struggling Readers (3)
EDUTL 5471	Clinical Practice in Treating Reading Disabilities (3)
EDUTL 6303	Linguistic Diversity in Education (3)
EDUTL 7316	Language Arts in the Early & Middle Childhood Program (3)
EDUTL 7340	Writing in the Early & Middle Grades Classroom (3)
EDUTL 7344	Bilingualism and Biliteracy (3)
EDUTL 7365	Linguistics for Literacy Education (3)
EDUTL 7393	Teaching Writing (3)
EDUTL 7418	Synthesizing Research in Reading & Literacy (3)
EDUTL 7427	Advanced Study of the Development of Reading & Writing (3)
EDUTL 7429	Reading Complex Texts (3)
EDUTL 8421	Guided Survey of Research in Reading (3)

#### **Additional Electives (2-4)**

EDUTL 6892	Special Topics in Education (1-4)
EDUTL 7101	Drama, Literacy, & Learning (3)
EDUTL 7189	Advanced Field Placement (1-3)
EDUTL 7317	Advanced Children's Literature (3)
EDUTL 7322	Literature Across the Curriculum (3)
EDUTL 7343	Literature in Middle Childhood Education (3)
EDUTL 7356	Advanced Literature for Adolescence (3)
EDUTL 7361	Literature in Early Childhood Education (3)
EDUTL 7356	Advanced Literature for Adolescents (3)
EDUTL 7364	Multicultural Literature for Children and Young Adults (3)
EDUTL 7370	The English Curriculum: Past, Present & Future (3)

### **Research Requirement (minimum of 3 hours)**

Minimum hours: 30

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Select **ONE** of the T&L Research courses below or one that is approved by your faculty advisor (minimum of 3 credit hours)

EDUTL 6052 Classroom-Based Inquiry (3)

EDUTL 7010 Diverse Approaches to Research on T&L (3)

### **Final Examination (1-3)**

Students must select either a Thesis or Non-Thesis option and must be registered for at least 3 credit hours the term of graduation.

#### **Thesis**

EDUTL 7999 Thesis Research (3)

#### **Non-Thesis**

EDUTL 7193 Independent Study (1-3)

*Note: Students exact curriculum may vary depending upon program of study determined by student and advisor, and approved by the Graduate Studies Committee.*