

MASTER OF ARTS IN TESOL

Requirements

MA in TESOL for Non-K-12 Educators

Code	Title	Credits
Education Courses		
ED 0429	Philosophical Foundations of Education	3
ED 0512	Contemporary Schooling in Society	3
ED 0552	Participatory Research and Advocacy in School and Community Settings	3
or ED 0499	Introduction to Educational Research	
MD 0400	Introduction to Educational Technology	3
TESOL Courses		
SL 0423	Principles of Bilingualism	3
or SL 0467	Language Acquisition	
SL 0436	TESOL Methods and Materials Development	3
SL 0475	Sociolinguistics	3
SL 0527	Testing and Assessment in TESOL and Bilingual Programs	3
SL 0099	Comprehensive Examination in TESOL and Bilingual/Multicultural Education	0
Select 3 elective courses in consultation with advisor		9
Total Credits		33

MA in TESOL with Initial Certification

Code	Title	Credits
Education Courses		
ED 0429	Philosophical Foundations of Education	3
ED 0442	Educational Psychology	3
MD 0400	Introduction to Educational Technology	3
SE 0405	Exceptional Learners in the Mainstream	3
TESOL Courses		
SL 0423	Principles of Bilingualism	3
or SL 0467	Language Acquisition	
SL 0436	TESOL Methods and Materials Development	3
SL 0441	Teaching and Learning within Multicultural Contexts of Education	3
SL 0451	Infusing Content Language Instruction into TESOL/Bilingual Programs	3
SL 0527	Testing and Assessment in TESOL and Bilingual Programs	3
Select 3-5 elective courses in consultation with advisor ¹		9-15
Select 3 courses in areas of bilingualism in consultation with advisor ²		9
Additional Certification Requirements		
SL 0581	Directed Observation and Supervised Student Teaching ³	6
SL 0582	TESOL/Bilingual Student Teaching and DSAP I Seminar	3

Additional MA Degree Requirements

ED 0499	Introduction to Educational Research	3
ED 0512	Contemporary Schooling in Society	3
SL 0099	Comprehensive Examination in TESOL and Bilingual/Multicultural Education	0
Total Credits		60-66

¹ Must include one course in English Language Syntax and Composition.

² May include undergraduate courses.

³ Includes 7-8 weeks in an elementary and 7-8 weeks in a secondary TESOL education placement. A passing grade of B or better in student teaching is required.

Note: Based on transcript evaluation, some prior coursework may apply toward the TESOL/Bilingual Education certification requirements.

MA in TESOL: Concentration in Leadership in English Acquisition Pedagogy

Code	Title	Credits
English Syntax and Composition		
SL 0422	Teaching Grammar in Second Language Settings	3
Language Theory		
SL 0420	Linguistic Foundations of English Acquisition	3
SL 0423	Principles of Bilingualism	3
or SL 0467	Language Acquisition	
Culture and Intergroup Relations		
SL 0475	Sociolinguistics	3
Linguistic and Academic Assessment		
SL 0421	Linguistics for Language Teachers	3
SL 0527	Testing and Assessment in TESOL and Bilingual Programs	3
Curriculum and Methods of Teaching ESL		
SL 0419	Special Learners in the Bilingual/ESL Classroom	3
SL 0436	TESOL Methods and Materials Development	3
SL 0530	Language and Reading Acquisition for English Language Learners and Students with Special Needs	3
or SL 0451	Infusing Content Language Instruction into TESOL/Bilingual Programs	
Additional Courses		
SL 0433	Elementary TESOL/Bilingual Advanced Practicum	3
or SL 0489	Secondary TESOL/Bilingual Advanced Practicum	
SL 0540	Special Topics in English Acquisition Pedagogy	3
Total Credits		33

MA in TESOL with Cross-Endorsement

Code	Title	Credits
Education Courses		

ED 0429	Philosophical Foundations of Education	3
ED 0512	Contemporary Schooling in Society	3
ED 0552	Participatory Research and Advocacy in School and Community Settings	3
or ED 0499	Introduction to Educational Research	
MD 0400	Introduction to Educational Technology	3
TESOL Courses		
SL 0423	Principles of Bilingualism	3
or SL 0467	Language Acquisition	
SL 0436	TESOL Methods and Materials Development	3
SL 0475	Sociolinguistics	3
SL 0527	Testing and Assessment in TESOL and Bilingual Programs	3
Select 4-6 additional courses from the TESOL program in consultation with advisor ¹		12-18
SL 0099	Comprehensive Examination in TESOL and Bilingual/Multicultural Education	0
Total Credits		36-42

¹ Must include one course in English Syntax and Composition.

Cross-Endorsement in TESOL without the MA

Code	Title	Credits
Select 30 hours of approved coursework, including study in each of the following areas:		30
	English Syntax and Composition	
	Language Theory	
	Culture and Intergroup Relations	
	Linguistic and Academic Assessment	
	Curriculum and Methods of Teaching ESL	
Total Credits		30