

# MASTER OF EDUCATION

TEACHING, LEARNING AND LEADERSHIP

The Master of Education in Teaching, Learning and Leadership will facilitate teachers in engaging, ongoing dialogue and study based on the integration of research, theory, and best practices. In addition to promoting the professionalization of teaching and improved professional practice, the completion of this degree will prepare teachers to be teacher leaders who have the knowledge, skills and dispositions to be mentors for new teacher inductees and colleagues, as well as marginal teachers. The degree will also fulfill the program of study requirements for Arkansas Curriculum/Program Administrator Licensure.

Students are eligible to apply for unconditional admission to the Master of Education degree program in Teaching, Learning, and Leadership if they meet the following requirements:

1. Applicants must meet the admission requirements for Graduate College.
2. Two years of teaching experience.

## Degree Requirements

1. A minimum of 38 semester hours (all at the 6000 level) must be completed, including the completion of the following courses:

## Common Core Courses (17 hours)

MTLL 6003 School Organization and Leadership for Teacher Leaders  
MTLL 6113 Action Research and Data Analysis for School and Classroom Use  
MTLL 6123 Instructional Leadership for the Master Teacher  
MTLL 6133 Basic Elements of Curriculum  
MTLL 6143 Organizational Change and the Role of the Master Teacher  
MTLL 6152 Professional Portfolio for the Master Teacher

## Additional Coursework (21 hours)

MTLL 6202 Professionalization of Teaching for the Master Teacher  
MTLL 6223 Teaching and Learning for the Master Teacher  
MTLL 6242 Cognitive Coaching and Mentoring for the Master Teacher  
MTLL 6253 Advanced Curriculum Design Practicum for the Master Teacher  
MTLL 6262 Action Research Practicum for the Master Teacher  
MTLL 6271 Resource Acquisition for the Master Teacher  
EDLD 6002 Administrative Law  
EDLD 6402 Working with the Marginal Performer  
EDLD 6552/4 Administrative Internship

2. A culminating portfolio must be successfully completed and approved by a portfolio review committee.

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## Unconditional Admission