

# Educational Specialist in Education Administration

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## Admission Requirements

For admission to the Education Specialist program, the student must apply to and meet all criteria for admission to the Graduate School. The student must meet the following requirements:

- A master's degree in education administration with a minimum 3.5 GPA at the graduate level from an accredited institution
- A minimum of five years of successful teaching and/or administration experience in P-12 schools, including at least one year of successful administrative experience
- A letter of interest stating the applicant's interest in the Ed.S. program
- A current resume, including the names of and contact information for at least 2 professional references

## General Requirements

The Education Specialist program requires a minimum of 30 credits, distributed as listed below to complete. Students must complete the minimum semester hours identified in each area. The courses used to meet the minimum requirements may be taken during the master's degree or educational specialist program. In general, the program of study for the Education Specialist in Education Administration is as follows:

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Educational Specialist in Education Administration</b>		
<b>Prerequisite</b>		
EDUC 6610	Applied Educational Statistics	
The student must have successfully completed a master's level education statistics course prior to being accepted into the program or complete EDUC 6610 as an elective in the Ed.S. program.		
<b>Education Administrative Concentration Courses</b>		
EDLA 6643	School Personnel Administration	3
EDLA 6662	The Superintendency	3
EDLA 6664	Public School Monetary Policy	3
EDLA 7720	Legal and Ethical Issues in Educational Organizations	3
EDLA 7721	Educational Policy and Governance	3
EDLA 7723	Educational Planning and Evaluation	3
EDLA 7724	Data Informed Instructional Leadership	3
<b>Electives</b>		
Students may select from courses offered in the doctoral program or as determined in consultation with their academic advisor.		6
<b>Field Experience</b>		
EDLA 7737	Practicum	3
Total Credits		30