



SANFORD COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATION

WITH NEVADA ENDORSEMENT AS ADMINISTRATOR OF A SCHOOL OPTION

Become a Leader in Education

This program will provide a pathway for becoming a school or district administrator. Candidates will learn how to create a shared vision for learning to support all students.

Throughout the program, candidates will have the opportunity to evaluate leadership through the lens of ethics and philosophy, understanding the school's role in the larger political, social, economic, legal, and cultural context. In the process, candidates learn how to collaborate with families and community members for continuous improvement of the educational system.

Program highlights:

- Program is available online except for field experience requirements. (Please see catalog for specific field experience requirements)
- Learn to build a culture of collaboration that brings families and community members together, responds to diverse interests and needs, and mobilizes resources
- Explore and analyze the organization, operations, and resources necessary to foster a safe, efficient, and effective learning environments
- Discover the professional and personal ethics necessary for leading a school or school system effectively.
- Analyze political, social, economic, legal, and cultural issues that impact schools and school districts

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MASTER OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATION WITH NEVADA ENDORSEMENT AS ADMINISTRATOR OF A SCHOOL OPTION (NEVADA ONLY)

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This program is designed for students who are committed to improving education and who are interested in advancing their careers by becoming school site or district administrators. It can be completed with or without a preliminary credential option for those pursuing a career in the nonpublic education sector. For those interested in pursuing a Nevada endorsement of Administrator of a School, please see Credentialing section in the catalog.

Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Create a vision of learning that is shared and supported by the school community.
- Develop a school culture conducive to student learning and staff professional growth.
- Analyze the organization, operations, and resources necessary to foster a safe, efficient, and effective learning environment.
- Design a system of collaboration that includes families and community members, and responds to diverse community interests and needs, and mobilizes community resources.
- Analyze aspects of professional and personal ethics that are conducive to leading a school or school system.
- Analyze the larger political, social, economic, legal, and cultural context that impacts a school or school district.
- Critically analyze a topic related to educational leadership through the lens of a researcher.
- Evaluate leadership within the lens of ethics and philosophy.

Degree Requirements

To receive a Master of Science in Educational Administration, students must complete at least 45 quarter units of graduate work. A total of 4.5 quarter units of graduate credit may be granted for equivalent graduate work completed at another institution, as it applies to this degree and if the units were not used in earning another advanced degree. Course equivalence cannot be granted for life experience.

Core Requirements

(10 courses; 45 quarter units)

EDA 673N Field Experience
EDA 670N Introduction to Leadership
EDA 677N Ethics & Philosophy of Leaders
EDA 676N Community & Diversity
EDA 674N Instructional Leadership
EDA 671N School Law and Policy
EDA 672N School Resource Management
EDA 675N Supervision of Instruction
ILD 625 Educational Research
EDA 637 Action Research
Prerequisite: ILD 625