

# Improve your curriculum. Improve your school.

## The online Master's in Curriculum and Instruction

The [online Master of Science in Education \(M.S.E.\) in curriculum and instruction](#) combines the flexibility of an online learning format with the respect of a rigorous graduate degree from the University of Kansas. In earning this practitioner-focused master's degree, you'll learn to develop more effective instructional approaches, evaluate how well your students are learning, and integrate new technology and teaching strategies into the classroom.

### Program Structure

- 10 courses taken in sequence
- 30 credit hours
- 8 weeks per course
- Complete in as few as 2 years

### Program Benefits

- Learn from renowned faculty with extensively published research and diverse real-world experience
- Create a working instructional portfolio that can be directly applied in your own classroom
- Complete your coursework anytime, anywhere, through our innovative online format
- No GRE required for admission
- Accredited under NCATE standards through CAEP



### Admissions Requirements

- Completed [online application form](#)
- Professional resume or CV
- Completed bachelor's degree from accredited college or university
- Official transcripts from all colleges or universities attended
- Personal statement that indicates your specific interest in the program and how it relates to your career goals
- Three letters of recommendation from professional or academic references
- Application fee: \$65 for U.S. residents, \$85 for international applicants
- IELTS or TOEFL scores (for non-native English-speaking applicants)

## The Curriculum

- C&T 709:** Foundations of Curriculum and Instruction
- C&T 807:** Multicultural Education
- C&T 806:** Instructional Strategies and Models
- EPSY 715:** Understanding Research in Education
- C&T 803:** Differentiating Curriculum and Instruction
- C&T 874:** Constructivist Learning Technologies
- C&T 802:** Curriculum Planning for Education Settings
- C&T 770:** Pedagogical Considerations in the 21st Century Classroom
- C&T 801:** Planning for School Improvement
- C&T 898:** Master's Project

## What You'll Learn

The online master's in curriculum and instruction prepares you to be the best teacher you can be. You will learn the latest teaching theories, current methodological best practices, strategies for implementing change in curricula and instructional approaches, and models for achieving the best learning outcomes possible for students with different learning styles. Your classes will prepare you to teach diverse students in a multicultural classroom and to best evaluate curriculum materials for bias and stereotypes.

## Career Outcomes

With the online master's in curriculum and instruction, you can further your career as an educator or move into an administrative or leadership role. You'll also gain expertise and a credential that could help you become a curriculum developer, instructional coordinator, or curriculum development consultant at the school or district level. In some states, a master's in curriculum and instruction may qualify you to become a principal or assistant principal.