Program Details

Become a leader in literacy education with the online Master of Science in Education (M.S.E.) in Curriculum and Instruction with an emphasis in Reading Education.

This practitioner-focused program provides the curriculum and instructional strategies you need to develop literacy and meet the needs of students in today’s diverse classrooms, prepare to transition to a career as a reading or literacy specialist, or elevate your teaching skills in your own K-12 classroom.*

PROGRAM BENEFITS

• Earn a respected, NCATE-accredited degree from one of U.S. News & World Report’s Top 20 Schools of Education1
• Complete your course work anytime, anywhere through our innovative online format
• Learn from dedicated faculty who teach with an emphasis on applying research in real-world situations to improve instructional practice
• Create a working instructional portfolio that can be directly applied in your own classroom
• Submit your application with no GRE requirement for admission into the program

PROGRAM STRUCTURE

• 10 courses taken in sequence • 30 credits
• 8 weeks per course • Complete in as few as 2 years

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

To apply to the Master’s in Reading Education, your first step is completing the online application form. Prior to starting the form we recommend that you review our application checklist.

To be considered for admission, prospective students must have completed a bachelor’s degree with a GPA of 3.0 or greater (on a 4.0 scale). Applicants with an undergraduate GPA below 3.0 should contact an Admissions Advisor for information about provisional admissions.

Our Admissions Advisors are here to help answer your questions regarding admission requirements and licensure. If you have questions, please email us at onlineinfo@ku.edu or call us at 855-639-7799.

International applicants must meet English language proficiency requirements.

*This program is intended for those seeking to earn their master’s degree in order to pursue state licensure as a reading specialist. We also offer a master’s Non-Licensure Track. The Non-Licensure Track is not intended for initial teacher licensure nor for licensure as a reading specialist; most students enter the program with an active teacher’s license.

1 Retrieved on January 9, 2018 from usnews.com/best-graduate-schools/university-of-kansas-155317/overall-rankings

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WHAT YOU’LL LEARN
At the University of Kansas, we believe that pursuing your master’s degree as a teacher is about making a difference in the lives of the students you teach and becoming the best educator you can be. This practitioner-based program can help you make a difference in readers of all ages.

Learn effective strategies and practical instructional techniques to develop literacy and meet the needs of students in today’s diverse classrooms. Courses in this flexible, online program address real-world topics of assessment and instruction including foundations of reading, beginning reading, early intervention and support for striving readers.

FACULTY
The University of Kansas brings a rich academic tradition into the online environment. The KU School of Education is fully committed to KU’s mission of educating leaders, building healthy communities and making discoveries that change the world. Our Curriculum & Teaching faculty are at the leading edge of research and practice, working to improve the quality of instruction in different subject areas and in different education settings.

AFTER GRADUATION
The Master’s in Reading Education is designed for passionate educators who are ready to take a step forward in their careers with a challenging, rewarding master’s program.

This program is ideal for K-12 educators who would like to elevate their teaching skills with practical curriculum and instruction strategies, increase their earning potential or transition to a career as a reading or literacy specialist.

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