

DOCTORAL DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

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DOCTOR of EDUCATION

D318/R200

MAJOR: Education Administration – Curriculum/Supervision (OL)

CONCENTRATION: PK-12 Educational Leadership

Program effective **Summer 2026**

COURSEWORK REQUIREMENTS

Core Coursework

- EACS 6103 Visionary Leadership in Education 3 hours
- EACS 6263 Educational and Community Relations 3 hours
- Total 6 hours**

Research Tools

- EACS 6713 Pro Seminar 3 hours
- EACS 6023 Applied Quantitative Research Methods in Educational Administration..... 3 hours
- EACS 6133 Qualitative Inquiry for Practitioners..... 3 hours
- EACS 6213 Program Evaluation..... 3 hours
- EACS 6673 Advanced Inquiry 3 hours
- EACS 6813 Prospectus Development 3 hours
- Total 18 hours**

Concentration Coursework

- EACS 6203 Instructional Leadership in Educational Administration 3 hours
- EDUC 6113 Theoretical Paradigms in Educational Research 3 hours
- EACS 6663 Special Educational Law 3 hours
- EACS 6303 Strategic and Financial Planning in Education..... 3 hours
- EACS 6920 Superintendent Internship (taken for 3 hours over 2 semesters)* 6 hours
- EACS 6970 Readings for Prospectus* 3 hours
- EDUC 6223 Dissertation Development & Advisory (can be repeated) 3+ hours
- Total 24+ hours**

Elective Courses

- Pick at least 1 course (3 hours) from a list maintained by the academic unit and approved by the Graduate College. Additional electives and transfer credit (including from a completed master’s degree) as approved by the doctoral advisory committee as needed to complete 84-90 hours beyond the baccalaureate degree may also count.
- Total 3+ hours**

Dissertation Research

- EACS 6980 Research for Doctoral Dissertation **3-15 hours**
3 hours minimum / 15 hours maximum
- TOTAL 84-90 hours**

*These are variable title courses, and must be transcribed with the titles shown here to be accepted toward the degree. Generic seminar titles (e.g., “Post-Master’s Seminar” or “Internship in Education – Doctoral”) may not substitute.