

Master of Arts in Education

COMPLETION PROGRAM FOR CALIFORNIA CREDENTIALLED TEACHERS, ONLINE (22 UNITS)

The faculty of the M.A. in Education program recognize the value of the advanced education and unique experiences of teachers. That value is manifested in this completion program by waiver of half the units of the full program. Credentialed teachers with at least one year's full-time teaching experience should not have to take courses that duplicate the knowledge they already have. Earning a California teacher credential is a lot of hard work – courses, TPAs, observations, reflective essays, student teaching, the lesson plans, etc. On top of all that, teaching is also learning and should be recognized as such. To complete the M.A. in Education, teachers take two core courses (8 units) and a set of elective courses (14 units).

CORE REQUIREMENTS (8 UNITS)

- EDUC 304 Theories of Learning and Development, 4 units WAIVED
- EDUC 306 Theories of Teaching and Practice, 4 units WAIVED
- EDUC 301 Research Methods, 4 units
- EDUC 399a Thesis: Introduction and Review, 4 units WAIVED
- EDUC 399b Thesis: Methods and Implementation, 4 units WAIVED
- EDUC 399c Thesis: Results and Conclusions, 4 units WAIVED
- One of the Following:
 - EDUC 305 History of American Education, 4 units
 - EDAD 335 Federal Law and Policy in Education, 4 units

ELECTIVE COURSES (14 UNITS)

- EDUC 303 Curriculum Design and Evaluation, 4 units
- EDUC 305 History of American Education, 4 units
- EDAD 331 Human and Fiscal Resources in Education, 4 units
- EDAD 335 Federal Law, Policy, and Regulation in Education, 4 units
- EDAD 336 Leadership in Education, 4 units
- EDAD 340 Common Core, 2 units WAIVED
- EDAD 341 Special Education, 2 units
- EDAD 342 State Law, Policy, and Regulation in Education, 2 units
- EDAD 343 Classroom Management, 2 units
- EDAD 344 Charter Schools, 2 units
- EDAD 345 The Principalship, 2 units
- EDAD 346 Unions and Organizations in Education, 2 units
- EDAD 347 Program Planning for Educators, 2 units
- EDAD 348 Parent, Guardian, and Community Involvement, 2 units