Department of Graduate Studies

Master of Arts in Teaching (52 Units)

WITH MULTIPLE SUBJECT TEACHING CREDENTIAL

Candidates experience the core of the program through course groups, called Blocks, to support progressive learning that provides some flexibility in course sequencing through the curriculum while maintaining a general structure of order. Candidates may complete the majority of courses within a block before completing all the courses in the subsequent block. Candidates may progress through the program on either a full-time (eight units per quarter) or a part-time (four units per quarter) schedule, though financial aid eligibility may differ based on enrollment status. Please check with the Student Services Department for more information. The block-sequenced schedule guides the teacher candidate through all course requirements for the Master of Arts in Teaching with the Multiple Subject Teaching Credential.

MAT Requirements (52 units)

Block I Courses: Pre-Service (12 units)	UNITS
These courses must be passed before Clinical Practice and Seminar courses	
EDCC 300 Foundations of Teaching in California	4
EDCC 351 Curriculum and Instruction for Diverse Elementary Settings	4
EDCC 352 Language and Literacy in Elementary Schools	4
Block II Courses: Core Subjects (20 units)	UNITS
EDCC 350 Cultural Diversity	4
EDCC 353 Mathematics Education in Elementary Schools	4
EDCC 354 Social Studies Education in Elementary Schools	4
EDCC 355 Science Education in Elementary Schools	4
EDCC 356 Multilingual Education in Elementary Schools	4
Block III Courses: Clinical Practice / Seminars (8 units)	UNITS
EDCC 377A and 377B Student Teaching Seminar OR EDCC 372A and 372B Teaching Internship Seminar	8
Floating Block Courses (12 units)	UNITS
These courses may be taken at any stage of the program.	
EDUC 301 Research Methods	4
EDUC or EDAD Electives	8

Preliminary Multiple Subject Teaching Credential (40 Units)

Students can complete the requirements for the preliminary multiple subject teaching credential without enrolling in the Master of Arts in Teaching program. Talk with a financial aid counselor at Humphreys to understand the financial aid implications for enrolling in only the credential program and not the master's program. The difference between the credential-only program and the master's program is that the credential-only program does not require the Floating Block courses listed above. After being recommended for the Preliminary Multiple Subject Teaching Credential, a student may enroll in the Master of Arts in Teaching program and complete the 12 units of Floating Block courses to earn the Master of Arts in Teaching but must do so within three years of being recommended for the credential. After three years have elapsed since being recommended, a student cannot enroll in the Master of Arts in Teaching program but may enroll in the Master of Arts in Education program, which would require 22 units to complete.