



ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS, GRADES K-12

EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM NAME	EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM CODE
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INSTRUCTIONS

Please complete Educator Preparation Program (EPP) Name & EPP Code above. The EPP Code may be located at <https://dese.mo.gov/sites/default/files/EPP-Code-Name.pdf>

Certification Requirements:

- Course Number – List the course number(s) for the course(s) or groups of competencies that align with the specific section of the requirements. It is possible to have more than one course or group listed.
- Course Title – List the course title(s) for the course(s) or groups of competencies that align with the specific section of the requirements. It is possible to have more than one course or group listed.
- Semester Hours – List the number of semester hours for each specific section. It is possible to use decimals (to the nearest tenth) to indicate partial use of a course to meet a requirement. The total number of semester hours must meet or exceed the minimum required number of semester hours.

Email the completed cover sheet, curriculum matrix, and advising/program information to DESE.MoSPETransition@dese.mo.gov on or before the date established in the Transition Plan.

QUESTIONS: Contact Gale Hairston, 573/751-1668 or DESE.MoSPETransition@dese.mo.gov

General Requirements

Valid Missouri Teaching Certification

A. Professional Requirements (Minimum of 30 semester hours)

1. Psychology and/or Education of the Exceptional Child (three semester hours)

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2. Literacy (Minimum of six semester hours)

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a. Teaching Reading and Writing			
b. Instructional Interventions for Students with Reading Deficits			

3. English Language Learners Content Knowledge Area – Minimum of 18 semester hours which must include:

	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
a. Linguistics and English Linguistics			
b. Language and Culture or Sociolinguistics			
c. Second Language Acquisition			
d. Instructional Techniques for Teaching English Language Learners			
e. Curriculum for Teaching English Language Learners			
f. Assessment Strategies for English Language Learners			

4. Culminating Clinical Experiences with English Language Learners (three semester hours to include both elementary and secondary settings)

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Professional Requirements - Total Semester Hours