



MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION  
OFFICE OF EDUCATOR QUALITY – EDUCATOR PREPARATION

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS, GRADES K-12**

EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM NAME NORTHWEST MO STATE UNIVERSITY NORTHWEST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY	EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM CODE 118118
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**INSTRUCTIONS**

Please complete Educator Preparation Program (EPP) Name & EPP Code above.

**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](mailto:DESE.MoSPETransition@dese.mo.gov) on or before the date established in the Transition Plan.

QUESTIONS: Contact Educator Preparation, 573-751-1668 or [DESE.MoSPETransition@dese.mo.gov](mailto: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)

	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
	62-641	Ed of Exceptional Child	3

2. Literacy (Minimum of six semester hours)

	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
a. Teaching Reading and Writing	62-553 or 52-353	Reading Program in Secondary School or Reading in the Content Area	3
b. Instructional Interventions for Students with Reading Deficits	62-654	Analysis & Correction of Rdg Disabilities	3

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	62-582	Linguistics and Teaching ELL/ESOL	3
b. Language and Culture or Sociolinguistics	62-687	Sociolinguistics	3
c. Second Language Acquisition	62-680	Theories of Language Acquisition	3
d. Instructional Techniques for Teaching English Language Learners	62-580	Methods & Techniques of Teaching ELL/ESOL	3
e. Curriculum for Teaching English Language Learners	62-682	Materials & Curriculum Design for Teaching ELL/ESOL	3
f. Assessment Strategies for English Language Learners	62-692	Assessment Strategies for Teaching ELL/ESOL	3

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

	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
	62-686	Practicum: Teaching ELL/ESOL	3

**Professional Requirements - Total Semester Hours 30**

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