



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

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

EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM NAME <b>WEBSTER UNIVERSITY</b>	EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM CODE <b>300335</b>
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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
	SPED 5860	Psychology of the Exceptional Student	3

2. Literacy (Minimum of six semester hours)

	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
a. Teaching Reading and Writing	COMM 5920	Teaching Reading & Writing in the Content Area	3
b. Instructional Interventions for Students with Reading Deficits	COMM 5905	Reading Assessments and Interventions Grades 6 - 12	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	TESL 5030	Language, History, Planning & Policy	3
b. Language and Culture or Sociolinguistics	TESL 5350	Language and Culture	3
c. Second Language Acquisition	TESL 5230	Second Language Acquisition	3
d. Instructional Techniques for Teaching English Language Learners	TESL 5139	English for Speakers of Other Languages Methods	3
e. Curriculum for Teaching English Language Learners	TESL 5220	Curriculum Development in Second Language Classrooms	3
f. Assessment Strategies for English Language Learners	TESL 5311	Principles and Practices of Language Testing	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
	TESL 5040	Practicum in ESOL	3

**Professional Requirements - Total Semester Hours 30**

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