

Licensure Option: Upon completion of this program plan including courses noted below⁶, initial license/experience, and passing the required Virginia assessments, you will be eligible for a Virginia license in this program's area of endorsement. Refer to www.liberty.edu/advisingguide

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

Student Number	Advisor	Planned Year of Graduation	Hrs	Semester	Grade
LEADERSHIP CORE COURSES (12 hours)					
EDUC 701	Theories and Research in Educational Psychology		3	_____	_____
EDUC 703	Theories of Historical and Social Foundations		3	_____	_____
EDUC 740	Leadership Principles and Ethics		3	_____	_____
EDUC 741	Theories of Educational Leadership ^{1 & 3}		3	_____	_____
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION CORE COURSES (12 hours) <i>Prerequisite: An educational research course equivalent to EDUC 518</i>					
EDUC 712	Advanced Educational Statistics		3	_____	_____
EDUC 715	Quantitative Methods of Research		3	_____	_____
EDUC 717	Qualitative Methods of Research		3	_____	_____
EDUC 719	Professional Writing for Publication ^{1 & 5}		3	_____	_____
CONCENTRATION AREA COURSES (24 hours)					
EDUC 742	Educational Leadership and Public Relations		3	_____	_____
EDUC 745	Systems Analysis		3	_____	_____
EDUC 746	Conflict Resolutions		3	_____	_____
EDUC 747	Advanced School Law ¹		3	_____	_____
EDUC 840	Issues and Trends in Educational Leadership		3	_____	_____
EDUC _____	600-800 level elective course		3	_____	_____
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<i>Choose One:</i>			3	_____	_____
EDUC 848	Culture and Educational Leadership (K-12)				
EDUC 849	College and University Administration (Higher Education)				
DISSERTATION (12 hours)					
EDUC 970	Comprehensive Exam		0	_____	_____
EDUC 980	Dissertation Seminar ²		6	_____	_____
EDUC 990	Dissertation ⁴		6	_____	_____
TOTAL HOURS			60		

Graduation Requirements

Complete 60 semester hours
3.0 GPA
No more than two courses with grades of "C"³
Degree must be completed within 7 years
Three courses required in residency¹
Passing score on Comprehensive Exam
Successful defense of Dissertation

Notes

¹ Course offered in residency (EDUC 741,747,719).
² EDUC 980 will be taken at least twice in order to achieve 6 credits. Continuous enrollment in EDUC 980 (3 credits per semester) is required until the candidate is approved to register for EDUC 990 (dissertation defense).
³ EDUC 741 must be earned with a grade of B or higher.
⁴ EDUC 990 (dissertation defense) must be completed on campus; does not count toward residency requirements.
⁵ EDUC 719 should be one of the final courses in the program; must be taken after completion of EDUC 715 and 717
⁶ Additional courses required for licensure: EDUC 641, 648, 672, 699; may take two for 600-800 level electives. Equivalent course from master's is acceptable for EDUC 672.