

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 (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 (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 (24 hours)					
EDUC 721	Issues and Trends in Exceptionality		3	_____	_____
EDUC 730	Technology Practices for Instructional Improvement ¹		3	_____	_____
EDUC 746	Conflict Resolutions		3	_____	_____
EDUC 771	Curriculum Theory		3	_____	_____
EDUC 871	Investigations in Curriculum Change		3	_____	_____
EDUC _____	600-800 level elective course		3	_____	_____
EDUC _____	600-800 level elective course		3	_____	_____
Choose One:			3	_____	_____
EDUC 735	Issues and Trends in Teaching and Learning (K-12)				
EDUC 758	Teaching the College Student				
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"
Degree must be completed within 7 years
Three courses required in residency¹
Passing score on Comprehensive Exam
Successful defense of Dissertation

Notes

¹ Courses offered in residency. (EDUC 741, 730, 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 by program; may take two for 600-800 level electives

- School Counseling: EDUC 622¹, 660, 661¹, 699-A02 and 21 hours of COUN courses equivalent to M.Ed courses
- Program Specialist: EDUC 622¹, 641¹, 650, 652, 699-A03 and choose ONE: - EDUC 530 or 554&556 or 627 or 670