

After completion of the required program coursework (including internship), the passing of licensure tests, and a current initial teaching license with the accompanying necessary work experience, the graduate of this program would be eligible for adding the VA state licensure endorsement. Please refer to [www.liberty.edu/advisingguide](http://www.liberty.edu/advisingguide).

<b><u>ADVANCED EDUCATION CORE COURSES (15 hours)</u></b>		<b><u>Hrs</u></b>	<b><u>Sem</u></b>	<b><u>Grade</u></b>
EDUC 500	Learning Theory	3	_____	_____
EDUC 518	Educational Research & Assessment	3	_____	_____
EDUC 521	Foundations of Exceptionality	3	_____	_____
EDUC 645	Foundations for Educational Leaders <sup>1</sup>	3	_____	_____
EDUC 672	Curriculum Development (Elementary/Secondary)	3	_____	_____
<b><u>READING SPECIALIST ENDORSEMENT COGNATE (12 hours)</u></b>				
EDUC 622	Educational Assessment & Intervention	3	_____	_____
EDUC 650	Specialists for Reading/Math Programs <sup>2,3</sup>	3	_____	_____
EDUC 652	Current Issues in Reading/Math <sup>2</sup>	3	_____	_____
EDUC 659	Foundations & Theories of Literacy Instruction <sup>4</sup>	3	_____	_____
<b><u>PROFESSIONAL COURSES (9 hours)</u></b>				
EDUC 641	Supervision of Instruction <sup>1</sup>	3	_____	_____
EDUC 656	Teaching Content Area Reading	3	_____	_____
EDUC 699	Internship <sup>4,5</sup>	3	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>		<b>36</b>		

**Graduation Requirements**

Complete 36 hours  
 A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level  
 3.0 GPA  
 No more than two grades of C may be applied to the degree (includes grades of C+ & C-)  
 No grade of D or below may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)  
 Degree must be completed within 5 years  
 Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

**Program Offered in Online Format**

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**Notes**

*All applicable prerequisites must be met*  
<sup>1</sup>Intensive Format Optional  
<sup>2</sup>EDUC 650 & 652 are taken the final semester. These courses may be taken with EDUC 699-A03  
<sup>3</sup>Background check clearance required  
<sup>4</sup>Field experience required  
<sup>5</sup>Students will be registered for EDUC 699-A03  
*Suggested Course Sequence on Second Page*

**SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE**

<u>First Semester<sup>1</sup></u>		<u>Second Semester</u>	
EDUC 500 (B-Term)	3	EDUC 645 <sup>2</sup>	<u>3</u>
EDUC 656 (B-Term)	3	Total	3
EDUC 521 (D-Term)	<u>3</u>		
Total	9		

<u>Third Semester<sup>3</sup></u>		<u>Fourth Semester</u>	
EDUC 518 (B or D-Term)	3	EDUC 622	3
EDUC 659 <sup>4</sup>	3	EDUC 641 <sup>2</sup>	3
EDUC 672 (B-Term)	<u>3</u>	EDUC 652 (D-Term) <sup>5</sup>	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9

<u>Fifth Semester</u>	
EDUC 650 (B-Term) <sup>5, 6</sup>	3
EDUC 699-A03 (A-Term) <sup>6</sup>	<u>3</u>
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**Notes**

<sup>1</sup>Submit Gate 2

<sup>2</sup>Intensive Format optional

<sup>3</sup>Submit Gate 3 by 2/1 for fall or 9/1 for spring

<sup>4</sup>EDUC 659 required prior to RVE

<sup>5</sup>EDUC 650 and EDUC 652 must be taken before or during the required internship

<sup>6</sup>Background check clearance required