

<b><u>HIGHER EDUCATION CORE COURSES (12 hours)</u></b>		<b><u>Hrs</u></b>	<b><u>Sem</u></b>	<b><u>Grade</u></b>
EDUC 758	Teaching the College Student	3	_____	_____
EDUC 759	College & University Administration	3	_____	_____
EDUC 782	Historical Perspectives of Higher Education	3	_____	_____
EDUC 783	Economic Impact in Higher Education		_____	_____
<u>or</u> EDUC 784	Assessment & Accreditation	3	_____	_____
<b><u>EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP COGNATE (15 hours)</u></b>				
EDSP 723	Administration & Supervision of Special Education			
<u>or</u> EDUC 730	Issues & Trends in Learning Technologies <sup>1</sup>	3	_____	_____
EDUC 745	Organizational Analysis & Problem Solving			
<u>or</u> EDUC 746	Conflict Resolution	3	_____	_____
EDUC 840	Issues & Trends in Educational Leadership			
<u>or</u> EDUC 848	Culture & Educational Leadership	3	_____	_____
EDUC 845	Policy Analysis	3	_____	_____
EDUC _____	_____ <sup>2</sup>	3	_____	_____
<b><u>RESEARCH &amp; EVALUATION COURSES (12 hours)</u></b>				
EDUC 750	Survey of Educational Research <sup>3</sup>	3	_____	_____
EDUC 816	Applied Research Methods	3	_____	_____
EDUC 850	Literature Review for Applied Research	3	_____	_____
EDUC 880	Applied Research Concepts & Methodology <sup>4,5</sup>	3	_____	_____
<b><u>CAPSTONE PROJECT (15 hours)</u></b>				
EDUC 887	Capstone Project I <sup>6</sup>	5	_____	_____
EDUC 888	Capstone Project II <sup>6</sup>	5	_____	_____
EDUC 889	Capstone Project III <sup>6</sup>	5	_____	_____
EDUC 890	Capstone Project IV <sup>7</sup>	0	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>		<b>54</b>		

**Graduation Requirements**

Complete 54 hours  
A maximum of 50% of a post-graduate and doctoral degree 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 grades lower than a B- may be applied to the degree  
Successful completion of Capstone Project  
Degree must be completed within 7 years  
Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

**Offered in Online Format**

**Notes**

*All applicable prerequisites must be met*

<sup>1</sup>Intensive Format optional

<sup>2</sup>Choose a 500-800 level EDUC course not already required by the degree, except EDUC 798

<sup>3</sup>A minimum of 20 Doctoral credit hours must be earned prior to enrollment in EDUC 750

<sup>4</sup>EDUC 880 must be the final course taken before enrolling in Capstone Project courses

<sup>5</sup>Once the student enters the Capstone Project phase (after completion of EDUC 880), they must maintain continuous enrollment (Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters) until all degree requirements are completed

<sup>6</sup>Ed.D. students are allowed to enroll in EDUC 887, 888, 889 only one time.

Extensions for exceptional circumstances must be approved by the School of Education.

<sup>7</sup>Enrollment in EDUC 890 is contingent on School of Education approval  
*Suggested Course Sequence on second page*

**SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE**

<u>First Semester (B-Term)</u>		<u>First Semester (D-Term)</u>	
EDUC 758	3	EDUC 759	3
EDUC 782	<u>3</u>	EDUC 840 or 848	<u>3</u>
Total	6	Total	6
 <u>Second Semester (B-Term)</u>		 <u>Second Semester (D-Term)</u>	
EDSP 723 or 730 <sup>1</sup>	3	EDUC 845	3
EDUC 783 or 784	<u>3</u>	EDUC Elective <sup>2</sup>	<u>3</u>
Total	6	Total	6
 <u>Third Semester (B-Term)</u>		 <u>Third Semester (D-Term)</u>	
EDUC 745 or 746	3	EDUC 816	<u>3</u>
EDUC 750	<u>3</u>	Total	3
Total	6		
 <u>Fourth Semester (B-Term)</u>		 <u>Fourth Semester (D-Term)</u>	
EDUC 850	<u>3</u>	EDUC 880	<u>3</u>
Total	3	Total	3
 <u>Fifth Semester (A-Term)</u>		 <u>Sixth Semester (A-Term)</u>	
EDUC 887 <sup>3,4</sup>	<u>5</u>	EDUC 888 <sup>3,4</sup>	<u>5</u>
Total	5	Total	5
 <u>Seventh Semester (A-Term)</u>		 <u>Eighth Semester (A-Term)</u>	
EDUC 889 <sup>3,4</sup>	<u>5</u>	EDUC 890 <sup>3,4</sup>	<u>0</u>
Total	5	Total	0

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<sup>2</sup>Choose a 500-800 level EDUC course not already required by the degree. Cannot be fulfilled by EDUC 798.

<sup>3</sup>Once the student enters the Capstone Project phase, they must maintain continuous enrollment (Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters) until all degree requirements are completed.

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