

2023-2024 Degree Completion Plan

# THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

This is a non-licensure degree and is not a state approved program. Completion of this degree will not lead to the eligibility of a VA state teaching license or a teaching license or certification in any other state.

<b>HIGHER EDU</b>	CATION CORE COURSES (15 hours)		<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Sem</u>	<b>Grade</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		3		
EDUC 784	Assessment & Accreditation		3		
ASSESSMENT	& EVALUATION COGNATE (12 hours)				
EDUC 778	Program Design & Assessment		3		
EDUC 779	Institutional Research		3		
EDUC 780	Evaluation & Measurement Tools		3		
EDUC 781	Compliance & Report Writing		3		
RESEARCH &	EVALUATION COURSES (12 hours)				
EDUC 750	Survey of Educational Research <sup>1</sup>		3		
EDUC 816	Applied Research Methods		3		
EDUC 850	Literature Review for Applied Research		3		
EDUC 880	Applied Research Concepts & Methodology <sup>2,3</sup>		3	<u> </u>	
CAPSTONE P	ROJECT (15 hours)				
EDUC 887	Capstone Project I <sup>4</sup>		5		
EDUC 888	Capstone Project II <sup>4</sup>		5		
EDUC 889	Capstone Project III <sup>4</sup>		5		
EDUC 890	Capstone Project IV <sup>5</sup>		0		
		TOTAL HOURS	54		

## **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

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

All applicable prerequisites must be met

<sup>1</sup>A minimum of 20 Doctoral credit hours must be earned prior to enrollment in EDUC

<sup>2</sup>EDUC 880 must be the final course taken before enrolling in Capstone Project

<sup>3</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>4</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

<sup>5</sup>Enrollment in EDUC 890 is contingent on School of Education approval Suggested Course Sequence on second page

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# SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

First Semester (B-Term) EDUC 758 EDUC 782	Total	3 <u>3</u> 6	First Semester (D-Term) EDUC 759 EDUC 778	Total	3 <u>3</u> 6
Second Semester (B-Term) EDUC 783 EDUC 779	Total	3 <u>3</u> 6	Second Semester (D-Term) EDUC 780 EDUC 784	Total	3 <u>3</u> 6
Third Semester (B-Term) EDUC 781 EDUC 750	Total	3 <u>3</u> 6	Third Semester (D-Term) EDUC 816	Total	<u>3</u> 3
Fourth Semester (B-Term) EDUC 850	Total	<u>3</u> 3	Fourth Semester (D-Term) EDUC 880	Total	<u>3</u> 3
Fifth Semester (A-Term) EDUC 887 <sup>1,2</sup>	Total	<u>5</u> 5	Sixth Semester (A-Term) EDUC 888 <sup>1,2</sup>	Total	<u>5</u> 5
Seventh Semester (A-Term) EDUC 889 <sup>1,2</sup>	Total	<u>5</u> 5	Eighth Semester (A-Term) EDUC 890	Total	<u>0</u> 0

# Notes

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