

MA in Literacy Education with Reading Specialist Endorsement

Recommendations for endorsements are made by the Literacy Program, but endorsement is granted by the State of Colorado. Individual state requirements vary and may include teaching experience in addition to a valid teaching credential. Students should check the Colorado Department of Education (http://www.cde.state.co.us/cdeprof/licensure_authorization_landing) or another state in which they wish to be endorsed for the most updated endorsement requirements. *Please note:* The Colorado Department of Education requires 2 years of post-license teaching experience and a Master's Degree to apply for the Reading Specialist endorsement.

Semester Offered*	Courses	Credits	Semester Completed
Spring	LCRT 5810 Language and Literacy Use in Schools, Homes, and Communities	3	
Fall	LCRT 5020 Equity and Joy in Reading Instruction	3	
Fall	LCRT 5055 Literacy Assessment & Informed Instruction	3	
Fall	LCRT 6910 Practicum in Literacy Leadership	3	
Summer	LCRT 5710 Inclusive Early Literacy Development and Instruction	3	
Summer/ Fall	LCRT 5720 Responsive Writing Instruction	3	
Spring	LCRT 5795 Teaching and Learning with Diverse Children's Literature OR LCRT 5201 Teaching and Learning with Diverse Adolescent Literature	3	
Summer	LCRT 5730 Disciplinary Literacy and Language	3	
Spring	SPED 5780 Literacy Interventions for Exceptional Learners	3	
Spring	LCRT 6915 Inquiry, Advocacy, and Teacher Research	3	
	Portfolio – completed and submitted the semester of graduation	-	
Total Credit Hours		30	

* Please note that this is a projected schedule of courses. Course offerings are not guaranteed and may be adjusted.

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