

***Ph.D. in Educational Leadership
K-12 Concentration
Program of Study (60 - 65 Hours)***

Overview: Prior to starting this Ph.D. program, students must have completed a master's degree. Their Ph.D. program must include at least 60-65 credits as noted below:

I. Leadership Core	6 hours
II. Professional Inquiry, Research and Dissertation Core	30 hours
III. K-12 Core & Cognate Option	<u>24 hours (29 for building level)</u>
	60 hours (65 for building level)

I. Leadership Core (6 credits)

(EDLD 6020 or equivalent is a required prerequisite)

EDLD 6060 Advanced Systems Thinking
EDLD 6090 Theories of Leadership

II. Professional Inquiry Research and Dissertation Core (30 credits)

A) Professional Inquiry Component (18 credits)

EDLD 6861 Doctoral Studies Seminar I
EDLD 6862 Doctoral Studies Seminar II
EDLD 7300 Dissertation Seminar (3 credits)
EDLD 7300 Doctoral Dissertation (9 credits)

B) Research Methods Component (12 credits)

(EMR 5400 or equivalent is a required prerequisite)

EMR 6450 Data Analytics I
EMR 6650 Data Analytics II
EMR 6480 Qualitative Methods
2nd Qualitative Methods Course

III. K-12 Core (24 -30 credits)

A) Core K-12 Required Classes (6 credits)

EDLD 6630 Personnel Administration
EDLD 6810 Policy Development

B) Cognate Options

1. Central Office Option (18 credits)

EDLD 6720 School Finance
EDLD 6800 Superintendency
EDLD 6850 Facilities & Tech Systems for Learning
EDLD 7120 Professional Field Experience
6 credits of electives

2. Building Level Option (23 credits)

EDLD 6300 Data Informed
EDLD 6610 School Law & Ethics
EDLD 6620 Sch. Business Management
EDLD 6640 Curriculum, Instruct & Assessment
EDLD 6670 The Principalship
EDLD 6740 Sch. Community Relations
EDLD 6793: Principal Internship I
EDLD 6794: Principal Internship II (2 credits)

3. Teacher/Other Leadership Option (18 credits)
- Specific courses to be determined with advisor

(Revised for Fall 2018 Effective Date)