Southeast Missouri State University
Master of Arts in Elementary Education
Reading Emphasis
(33 hours)

“Why choose Southeast for your graduate degree in Elementary Education?”

Recognized Excellence: Southeast Missouri State University is again on the 2015 U.S. News Best Colleges Rankings for institutions in the Midwest. Southeast is also fully accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools and the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education. In addition, the College of Education has received national recognition for excellence from the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC), Council for Exceptional Children (CEC), & Association for Childhood Education International (ACEI). This recognition highlights the College of Education's commitment of providing education of the highest quality and standards to students.

Mo DESE Recognized: The Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) has approved all of our teacher education programs since the inception of its evaluation process.

Affordable and Convenient: Graduate education at Southeast is guaranteed quality at an affordable price. All courses are online, with the option of a research course that is blended (online and limited class meetings).

Course Offerings and Format

Core Courses (12 hr.)
EL 615 Research in Action (to be taken at the end of your program)
EX 601 Educational Assessment
EL 606 Curriculum Construction in a Multicultural Society
CE 614 Family / School Collaboration or EX 507 The Parent and the Exceptional Child

Reading Courses (21 hr.)
EL 644 Understanding and Applying the Multi-dimensional processes of Reading
EL 646 Inquiry & Research Model Used to Improve Reading
EL 647 Reading Assessment
EL 624 Effective Literacy Leadership
EL 611 Practicum I: Younger Literacy Learners
EL 623 Practicum II: Older Literacy Learners
SE 602 Effective Literacy Instruction at the Middle and Secondary Level

Electives (0)
None

Capstone Requirement: GR 698 Action Research Project
Note: MO certification also requires PY 222 Development of Adolescent (3) EX 602 Language Development of Exceptional Child (3) and EX 621/622 Behavior Intervention Strategies/Internship

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