

LEADERSHIP FOR EDUCATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS WITH PRINCIPAL LICENSURE, EdS

Introduction

The EdS degree program affords the opportunity for advanced graduate study and is available to those who already hold a master's degree (completed prior to admission into the EdS LEO program.) For the specialist degree, students will complete 9 semester hours of faculty advisor approved graduate-level coursework that constitute an area of focus, in addition to the 32 semester hours required in the Principal Licensure program. The Leadership for Educational Organizations EdS requires a total of 41 semester hours of coursework. Candidates must also successfully complete a comprehensive exam in the final semester.

Program Requirements

The EdS requires a total of 41 semester hours plus a comprehensive exam. The 41 required semester hours involve the 32 semester hour principal license plus 9 semester hours that must constitute an area of focus and/or a specific advancement of knowledge and skills for the license. Students can choose from the list below or receive faculty advisor approval for other relevant graduate-level coursework:

Code	Title	Hours
The 32 semester hour principal license is required:		32
EDUC 5751	Principal Licensing I	
EDUC 5752	Principal Licensing II	
EDUC 5753	Principal Licensing III	
EDUC 5754	Principal Licensing IV	
Select three of the following:		9
EDUC 7100	Leadership in Education	
EDUC 7230	Organizational Performance In Educational Contexts	
EDUC 7500	Strategic Human Capital Development	
EDUC 7510	Strategic Organizational Management	
EDUC 7520	Strategic System Improvement	
EDUC 7530	Strategic Leadership Development	
Total Hours		41