MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING
Concentration: Secondary / All-Level Certification

The Master of Arts in Teaching Program offers an opportunity for students to concurrently complete a graduate degree and a certification program in elementary, secondary, or all level teaching. The M.A.T. degree requires 36–42 hours of coursework, (depending on the area of specialization), teaching practicum requirements, and a clinical teaching experience. The clinical teaching requirement may be met with either a one-semester Teacher Apprenticeship experience under the guidance of a mentor teacher or the completion of a one-year Teacher Internship as teacher of record.

DEGREE PLAN

Core Courses (12/15 semester hours):

- EDUC 6301  Introduction to Research Methods
- EDUC 6306  Philosophical Foundations in Education
- *EDUC 6304  Theories of Learning
- *EDUC 66CS OR *EDUC 63CS  Capstone: Teacher Internship and Seminar (Must be taken in last six hours of graduate program)

Requirements in the major (21):

- EDUC 6305  Multicultural Concepts in Education
- EDSP 6363  Survey of Exceptionalities
- EDUC 6318  Disciplinary Literacy and the English Learner
- EDUC 6310  Technology in Education
- EDUC 6315  Assessment in the Classroom
- *EDUC 6325  Pedagogy in the Secondary School (Prerequisite- EDUC 6304: Learning Theories)
- *EDUC 6327  Integrative Pedagogy for the Secondary School (Prerequisite- EDUC 6325: Pedagogy in the Secondary School)

Electives (0-3 hours):

36 HOUR PROGRAM

*Professional Development/Certification Coursework: Requires admission to the Teacher Certification Program

NOTE: Additional courses may be required for candidates pursuing English Language Arts/Reading certification based on evaluation of completed coursework.