

Secondary Licensure Track within the Master's Program

Prerequisites:

1. Bachelor's degree in a recognized major and Praxis II [subject-area test]
2. Background check
3. Provisional admittance (1st 21 hours)
4. Admission interview with members of the Master's Policy Committee (similar to the undergraduate process)

Recommended Sequence of Courses:

Foundations courses:

6110—Introduction to Classroom Management (3) **or**
 6120- Advanced Classroom Management (3)
 6050—Curriculum Design, Evaluation, Assessment (3)

The following can be taken in any order:

6320—Content Area Literacy Instruction (3)
 6510—Foundations in Special Education (3)
 6020—Diversity in Education (2)
 6060—Instructional Strategies (2)

It is recommended that students take as an elective, a graduate level methods course in their content major.

**16 credit
hours
total**

Mentoring and Supervision:

(These credits do **not** count towards a master's degree,
but are part of the requirements for licensure.)

Option 1. If currently teaching on a provisional license

EDUC 5860—Practicum in Education (2 + 2)

Mentoring, supervision, and coaching support will be given for two semesters (2 credits each semester—min. of 4 credit hours).

Option 2. If not currently teaching

EDUC 5860—Practicum in Education (2)

Complete a practicum of at least 60 clock hours in a school setting one of the first two semesters of your coursework.

and

EDUC 5880—Student Teaching in Secondary Education (6)

Complete student teaching (all day for 40 days) with an assigned cooperating teacher, even if you are emergency hired by a district during student teaching. (You must apply for student teaching one full semester before you plan to student teach.)

Successful completion of coursework and Fieldwork = Utah Level 1 License

Courses strongly recommended for Praxis PLT:

6030—Advanced Educational Psychology
 6010—Advanced Historical Foundations

If desired, a pursuit of a master's degree can follow if fully accepted in the program with the inclusion of 6000, 6010, 6030, 6080, 6085, 6090, 6091 (in appropriate sequence), and self-selected electives for a total of 36 credit hours.

You should begin your graduate studies with MED 6000.

