

## M.Ed. in Curriculum and Instruction

**Overview** 

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The academic regulations for this degree program, as entered in the University of Mississippi Catalog, are in effect for the current or selected academic year and semester. The University of Mississippi reserves the right to 1) change or withdraw courses; 2) change rules for registration, instruction, and graduation; and 3) change other regulations affecting the student body at any time.

REQUIREMENT	HOURS	DESCRIPTION
<u>Edrs 605</u> - C min	3	Complete Edrs 605 with a grade of C or better.
<u>Edci 503</u> - C min	3	Complete Edci 503 with a grade of C or better.
<u>Edci 601</u> - C min	3	Complete Edci 601 with a grade of C or better.
Comprehensive exam		Student must pass a comprehensive examination.
Field experiences		Student must complete at least 45 hours of field experiences as approved by his/her GPC/Chair.
Portfolio		Student must complete a professional portfolio.
Select an emphasis		Select an emphasis in elementary education, secondary education, or special education.
GPA requirements		A cumulative average of not less than 3.0 (B) must be achieved in all graduate work taken.
Engineering Dean's approval		This Degree Audit program is an advising tool only. The student must still apply for a degree by returning a completed Degree Application Form to the dean's office before the last day to add classes in the semester preceding the semester in which the stuent expects to graduate. The Dean's Office will make the final certification that the courses listed on the application qualify the student for graduation. The Dean's Office will also determine if other university requirements (GPA, etc.) have been met.

REQUIREMENT	HOURS	DESCRIPTION		
Specialty area	15	Student must complete at least 15 hours of course work within his/her speciality area (language arts/reading or math/science).		
6 hrs electives	6	Student must complete at least 6 hours of electives. Each course must be approved by the student's GPC/Chair.		
Emphasis - Secondary Education				
REQUIREMENT	HOUR	S DESCRIPTION		
Complete an option	1	Student must option one of the two secondary education options. Option 1 requires the student to complete 15 hours of course work in their specialization area and 6 hours of electives. Option 2 requires the student to complete 21 hours of course work in their specialization area and be a full-time student at the Oxford campus. All courses must be approved by the student's GPC/Chair.		
Option 1		To complete option 1, student must complete the following requirements: - 15 hours of course work based on their specialization area (English, mathematics, science, or social studies) and - 6 hours of electives approved by the student's GPC/Chair.		
Option 2		To complete option 2, student must complete the following requirements: - 21 hours of course work based on their specialization area (English, mathematics, science, or social studies) and - Be a full-time student at the Oxford campus.		

Emphasis - Special Education				
REQUIREMENT	HOURS	DESCRIPTION		
Edsp 552	3	Complete Edsp 552.		
<u>Edsp 628</u> - C min	3	Complete Edsp 628 with a grade of C or better.		
<u>Edsp 683</u> - C min	3	Complete Edsp 683 with a grade of C or better.		
6 hrs electives	6	Student must complete at least 6 hours of electives approved by his/her GPC/Chair.		
Add'l Edsp courses	6	Student must complete at least two additional courses in special education as approved by his/her GPC/Chair.		

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