Overview
Prepare for a career as a teacher with our master’s degree in teaching and teacher licensure in Colorado program. Through your coursework, you will:

- Obtain strong pedagogical skills
- Develop a deeper understanding of effective theories of learning
- Work in local school districts to gain experience in real schools with real students

The Master of Education and teacher licensure program strives to meet the growing needs of public and private schools for highly qualified educators. Focusing on early childhood education and secondary education as two areas of endorsement, the teacher licensure program offers innovative curriculum that is sure to meet your needs while enabling you to:

- Gain knowledge that can be applied immediately to your career
- Learn from highly-qualified Colorado State University faculty members who are content experts in their fields

Contact our Student Success Team to get started! (970) 492-4898 online.colostate.edu/contact

CSU’s School of Education has been preparing teachers and teacher educators, educational specialists, administrators, and trainers for over 70 years.

Delivery
Classroom
Northern Colorado

Credits
41 credits

Tuition
$585 per credit; financial aid is available

Time Frame
Can be completed in 1 year, beginning in summer only. Additional prerequisite coursework in your content area may be required and must be completed prior to starting the summer cohort.

Degree Awarded
Master of Education in Education and Human Resource Studies and teacher licensure; transcript reflects the Education Sciences specialization

Offered By
Center for Educator Preparation

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Minimum Admission Requirements

- Bachelor’s degree from a regionally accredited Institution
- Completion of all content prerequisite coursework required for licensure in one of the following content areas:
  - For K-12 licensure: Art, Foreign Languages, Instructional Technology
- GRE scores are not required

Completion Requirements

- 41 graduate-level credits
- An internship in student teaching is required

Curriculum

Summer (Phase I)

- EDUC 573 – Differentiating Instruction for Diverse Needs (3 cr.)
- EDUC 619 – Curriculum Development (3 cr.)
- EDUC 625 – Contexts of Schooling (3 cr.)
- EDUC 628 – Models of Teaching (3 cr.)

Fall (Phase II)

- EDUC 525C – Expert Teaching: Reading, Literacy, and Numeracy (3 cr.)
- EDUC 526 – Interdisciplinary Methods (4 cr.)
- EDUC 687D – Internship: Teacher Licensure I (var. cr.)
- EDUC 693B – Seminar: Instruction (1 cr.)
- EDRM 602 – Action Research (3 cr.)

Spring (Phase III)

- EDUC 687E – Internship: Teacher Licensure II (12 cr.)
- EDUC 693B – Seminar: Instruction (1 cr.)
- EDUC 693C – Seminar: Teacher Licensure Capstone (2 cr.)

The Learning Experience

Classes are taught in school classroom settings to provide maximum time in real classrooms with real educational experiences.

This program is an intensive 12-month cohort model that places you in local schools where you learn from master teachers and university faculty. This cutting-edge Professional Development School model provides you with the experience and skill set that will serve you well in your future role as a teacher. This model fosters the development of strong pedagogical skills, as well as a deep understanding of effective theories of learning. Due to the nature of the Professional Development School model, this program requires on-site attendance, with one course offered in an online format.

You start the program in June with a summer session that runs Monday through Friday for three weeks at local schools. Starting in August, your cohort meets for two full days per week as you and your fellow students participate in practicum experiences and complete licensure courses. Starting in January, you complete your student teaching experience, which requires a full-time commitment Monday through Friday.