 **College of Education and Professional Development**

**Preparing the Experienced Professional as Specialist**

**PLAN OF STUDY:** Master of Arts in Education

**AREA OF EMPHASIS:** Instructional Processes & Strategies

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Failure to return the signed Plan of Study within 30 days will automatically indicate acceptance of the Plan of Study. Coursework included as a part of this Plan of Study must not be older than seven years at the time of graduation. All coursework that candidates wish to transfer from other institutions must be approved by Marshall University.

Marshall University offers students the ability to apply for graduation online. By logging into [**myMU**](https://mymu.marshall.edu/), students can fill out the application and pay the commencement fee at the same time. Paper applications must be returned to the student’s academic dean’s office and fee payment made to the Bursar’s office. **Students who do not complete the application by the deadline for the semester in which they intend to graduate will need to contact their Dean’s office regarding graduation.**

**Core Courses (15 hours)**

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| **COURSE** | **TITLE** | **SEM/YR\*\*\*** | **GRADE** | **HOURS** | **NOTES** |
| EDF 621 or EDF 625 | Educational Research & Writing Qualitative Research in Education | Fall, Spr, Smr  Fall, Spr, Smr |  | 3 |  |
| EDF 616 or EDF 619 | Advanced Studies in Human Development or Educational Psychology | Fall, Spr, Smr  Fall, Spr, Smr |  | 3 |  |
| CIEC 534 or  CIEC 600 | Applications Software in Classroom Curriculum Area or  Instructional Design and Technology | Fall, Spr, Smr  Fall |  | 3 |  |
| CI 623 | Instructional Models & Assessment Techniques | Fall, Spr |  | 3 |  |
| EDF 612 | Educational Evaluation | Fall, Spr, Smr |  | 3 |  |

**Area of Emphasis Courses (18 hours)**

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| **COURSE** | **TITLE** | **SEM/YR\*\*\*** | **GRADE** | **HOURS** | **NOTES** |
| CI 551 | Writing to Learn in the Content Areas | Fall |  | 3 |  |
| CI 559 | Multicultural Influences in Education | Fall |  | 3 |  |
| CI 638 | Curriculum Planning | Spr |  | 3 |  |
| CIEC 635 | Using the Internet in the Classroom | Fall, Spr, Smr |  | 3 |  |
| EDF 610 | Trends & Issues in Education | Spr |  | 3 |  |
|  | Pick ONE advisor approved methods course:   * CI 624 Advanced Instructional Strategies * CI 632 Early Childhood Education Programs * CIEC 600 Instructional Design & Technology * CIME 500 Mathematics for Elementary Teachers * CIRG 644 Literacy in the Content Areas * CISL 653 Methods/Materials ESL Language Dev * CISP 510 Intro to Instr Practices/Exceptional Children * ITL 502 Library Materials for Adolescents |  |  | 3 |  |

**Capstone Experience (3 hours)**

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| **COURSE** | **TITLE** | **SEM/YR\*\*\*** | **GRADE** | **HOURS** | **NOTES** | |
| \*CI 690 | Capstone Experience | Fall, Spr, Smr |  | 3 |  | |
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