Earned Endorsement

Empowering the student through knowledge, preparation, and ethics

The earned endorsement emphasis is **for teachers who have previously earned an endorsement from the Utah State Board of Education (USBE)** in English as a second language (ESL), elementary mathematics, reading I, gifted and talented, elementary STEM, or educational technology.

Upon completion of a USBE endorsement in one of the above content areas, a teacher may apply 9 (approved 5000-level) earned credit hours toward a Master of Education degree at UVU.

Earned Endorsement Overview

- 30 credits of coursework Includes 9 of the previously earned endorsement credits. Credits must have been earned at the graduate level (5000 level or above).
- Four-semester program designed with summer and evening coursework for working educators
- USBE endorsement in one of the five content areas must be earned prior to starting the M.Ed.



Admission Requirements

- Verification of a bachelor's degree from an accredited institution
- Verification of the USBE endorsement in one of the accepted content areas (see above)
- A cumulative minimum GPA of 3.0 or a GPA of 3.0 for the last 60 credits of university coursework
- Three professional letters of recommendation
- A successful interview with the School of Education Graduate Committee
- Submission of complete graduate application

Continuance and Graduation Requirements

- Complete all program hours (30)
- Complete all courses with a grade of B- or higher
- Maintain an overall GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Successfully complete a graduate project that is accepted by the School of Education Graduate Committee
- Complete courses and project requirements within five years

Earned Endorsement Course Map

	Course Number	Course Name	Credits
Summer Semester 1	EDUC 6100 EDUC 6320	Research Methodology 21st Century Instruction & Assessment	3
Fall Semester 1	EDUC 6330 or	Diversity & Differentiation in the Classroom or	3
	EDUC 6400	Contemporary Issues in Teacher Leadership	3
Spring Semester 1	EDUC 6300 EDUC 6415	Curriculum Design Global Issues in Teaching and Learning	3
Summer Semester 2	EDUC 6110 EDUC 6490	Applied Statistics for Education Master's Project	3

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