

Literacy (All Grades) MSED Student Roadmap

Your Guide from Admission to NYS Certification

✓ Before You Begin

- Accept your admission offer and activate your QC accounts (CUNYfirst, QC email, Brightspace).
- Register for your first semester courses.
- Create your NYSED TEACH account.
- Complete (or begin) the required NYS workshops: Child Abuse, School Violence Prevention, and DASA.

✓ During the Program

- Register for courses each semester and monitor your QC email regularly.
- Maintain good academic standing.
- Meet with the Program Director as needed.
- Keep copies of important program documents.

✓ Before Practicum (EECE 819)

- Complete required coursework.
- Verify fingerprint clearance.
- Attend the Practicum Information Session.
- Complete practicum placement requirements.

✓ Final Semester

- Apply for graduation through CUNYfirst (Spring: Mar. 1).
- Submit your College Recommendation Request.
- Successfully complete practicum and all degree requirements.

✓ After Graduation

- Confirm degree conferral and College Recommendation on your TEACH account.
- Apply for Initial Certification through NYSED TEACH.
- Monitor your TEACH account until your certificate is issued.

Helpful Resources

- Literacy (All Grades) MSED Program webpage
- Queens College Teacher Certification Office (tcert@qc.cuny.edu)
- NYSED TEACH: <https://higher.ed.nysed.gov/tcert/teach>