

ELEMENTARY AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Queens College



MSEd in Literacy Education Leading to NYS Certification in All Grades (Pre-K–12th Grade)

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The MSEd in Literacy Education is a New York State certification program leading to professional certification in Literacy-All Grades (Pre-K–12th grade). Offering online and hybrid options, this program is a 30-credit program to be completed in two years (four academic semesters). The Queens College Graduate Admissions Office holds several informational workshops about program requirements and application procedures.

Contact Graduate Admissions at 718-997-5200 or go to www.qc.cuny.edu/ga/ for application deadlines and further information.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants to the program must have (1) a bachelor's degree with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 and (2) a New York State initial or professional classroom teaching certificate. Candidates may be asked to interview on site. Additional requirements are specified on the application form.

REQUIREMENTS FOR MAINTENANCE IN THE PROGRAM, CERTIFICATION, AND GRADUATION

To continue in the program, students must maintain a 3.0 GPA and receive no grade lower than B- in any course. Upon successful completion of program coursework, candidates are eligible for NYS professional certification in Literacy-All Grades and the degree of Master of Science in Education.

LITERACY-ALL GRADES PROGRAM ADVISOR

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PROGRAM COURSEWORK

EECE 810	Foundations of Language and Literacy	3 cr.
EECE 811	Family, Community, and Literacy	3 cr.
EECE 812	Teaching Early Literacy	3 cr.
EECE 813	Literacy Assessment	3 cr.
EECE 814	Instructional Leadership in Literacy	3 cr.
EECE 742	Reading Materials for Children	3 cr.
SEYS Elective*		
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EECE 782	Teacher as Researcher	3 cr.
EECE 819	Practicum in Literacy	3 cr.

*Approved SEYS Elective courses include:

SEYSL 702	Literacy in the Content Areas	3 cr.
SEYSL 703	Literacy for Diverse Learners	3 cr.
SEYSL 704	Young Adult Literature Across the Curriculum	3 cr.
SEYSL 705	Multiple Perspectives of Literacy	3 cr.