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1. **Core/Required Courses (16 credit hours)**

\_\_\_\_\_EDCI 5500 – Classroom Assessment (3)

\_\_\_\_\_EDCI 5000 – Principles of Curriculum (3)

\_\_\_\_\_EDCI 5450 – Issues in Multicultural Education (3)

\_\_\_\_\_EDCI 5790 – Advanced Instructional Strategies (3)

\_\_\_\_\_ EDRE 5550 – Action Research (3)

**OR**

\_\_\_\_\_ EDRE 5530 - Intro to Research (3)

\_\_\_\_\_EDCI 5400–Midpoint Portfolio

Reflection (1)

**II. Emphasis Options (12-18 credit hours)**

**A. Certificates/Endorsements**

* + Literacy (18 credit hours)
  + Early Childhood/ECSE (18 credit hours)
  + ESL (15 credit hours)
  + Teachers of Amer. Indian Children (12 credit hours)

**B. Content Studies (15 to 18 hours)**

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**C. Curriculum Studies (15 to 18 hours)**

(Course Prefix & Title)

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**III. Capstone Experience (1-11 credits)**

\_\_\_\_\_ EDCI 5890 Directed Professional

Study (±3)

\_\_\_\_\_ EDCI 5515 National Board

Certification (1-9)

These courses can be found at [www.wnbci.org](http://www.wnbci.org)

* It is highly recommended that National Board Certification Master’s students take advantage of the 1-credit hour NBC seminar courses. You may apply up to 9 NBC credits to your programs.
* To reach 32 credit hours, it may be necessary to complete additional elective coursework.

**TOTAL: 32 minimum semester hours**

**Additional Information**

* NBC Portfolio must be submitted when student is enrolled in a Master’s Program.
* Students may count up to 12 units of graduate credit taken prior to admission to the master’s program. However, taking courses for graduate credit prior to applying for the master’s program does not guarantee acceptance to the program.
* A maximum of 12 semester hours can be taken at the 4000 level in fulfillment of the Master of Arts degree program coursework.
* Students may count up to 9 transfer credit units to the Master of Arts degree in Education.
* National Board Certification candidates may count up to 9 seminar credits as elective hours.
* At least half of the semester hours required for the master’s degree shall be in courses restricted to graduate students (5000 level).

No more than one third of the program hours may be taken for S/U grades, and those S/U grades will only count in courses offered for S/U only.