

MASTER OF EDUCATION IN INSTRUCTIONAL LEADERSHIP

This degree plan is designed specifically for the candidate who wishes to work in a leadership position in an instructional setting that does not require principal certification. These leadership positions are typically in educational organizations. This degree requires completion of thirty-six hours of graduate credit. A comprehensive examination is required during the final semester of coursework. The degree plan originates in the Department of Educational Leadership.

Candidates seeking admission to a graduate program in the Department of Educational Leadership must meet the basic requirements of Graduate Admissions specified in the Admission section of this catalog. Please, contact the Department of Educational Leadership for additional requirements: phone (936) 294-1147

Please submit the following documents to Office of Graduate Admissions:

1. Graduate Admissions Application (<http://shsu.edu/admissions/apply-texas.html>)
2. Application Fee (<http://www.shsu.edu/dept/graduate-studies/application-fee.html>)
3. Official transcript from the baccalaureate degree granting institution
4. Admission preference given to individuals with a GPA of 3.0 and higher within the last 60 hours of undergraduate coursework
5. One Reference Form (http://shsu.edu/academics/educational-leadership/documents/INSL_Reference+Form.pdf?language_id=1) from a supervisor
6. Personal Essay to include (a) background of the applicant, (b) goals for the future, and (c) why an interest in this degree
7. *Optional:* Official GRE scores

Course Prerequisites are strictly observed.

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Code	Title	Hours
Master of Education in Instructional Leadership		
EDAD 5332	Adm & Org of Public Schools	3
EDAD 5386	Spc Populations & Spc Programs	3
INSL 5378	Curriculum Planning	3
INSL 6390	Eval for Instructional Leaders	3
INSL 5379	Methods of Research	3
INSL 6360	Learning Theory of Educational Leadership	3
INSL 6368	Instructional Supervision	3
INSL 6372	Practicum in Instructnl Ldrshp ¹	3
Concentration		
Select four 5000 or above approved courses ²		12
Total Hours		36

¹ INSL 6372 is the last course to be taken in the sequence of courses. It may be taken with one or two other courses.

² Selections should be made in consultation with the Graduate Advisor.