GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN DEVELOPMENTAL READING

Program Description

This certificate program will provide educational opportunities for developmental education adjunct faculty. Specialized instruction will lead to qualified instructors of developmental reading, writing, and combined classes and ultimately, greater student success by providing students with knowledge of reading as a process, theoretical perspectives related to developmental and adult learners, best practices for effective adult literacy achievement, knowledge of appropriate trends and issues associated with developmental education and struggling adult learners, and information on ways to instruct and assess the diverse learner.

Admissions

Applicants seeking admission to the graduate certificate program in Early Childhood Education must submit the following directly to the Office of Graduate Admissions:

- 1. Graduate Application (http://www.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. 2.8 GPA (3.0 or higher waives GRE score)
- 5. GRE scores (these may be waived under certain situations)
- 6. Online survey and interview on Survey Monkey

Certificate Requirements

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Specified Courses		
LITC 7310	The Politics of Literacy	3
READ 5306	Survey Of Reading	3
READ 5312	Second Language Literacy	3
READ 5315	Language Arts: Theory & Instr	3
READ 5325	Imprvmt In Sec Sch/Adult Pop	3
Electives		
LITC 7336	Strategies for College Reading in Developmental Education	3
Total Hours		18