Master of Arts in Education

Option in Reading/Language Arts (code EDELMA06)

These new options were recommended by the Senate on February 14, 2008 and approved by the President on February 29, 2008.

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(33-36 units)

The Master of Arts in Education, Option in Reading/Language Arts is designed for experienced classroom teachers who want to pursue in-depth study of issues related to reading and language arts education. The program provides educators with the theoretical and professional knowledge necessary to develop innovative, research-based reading and language arts curricula and to instill the leadership skills necessary for successful reading program implementation for all students, including English language learners.

Prerequisites
A valid elementary or secondary teaching credential; ENGL 481 or ENGL 482 or EDG 520 or approved equivalent (can be taken concurrently with program requirements). CLAD certification is strongly recommended.

Admission
In addition to applying to the university for graduate standing, candidates must submit a program-specific application. Program applications are available in the College Graduate Studies Office (ED1-7) and online at http://www.ced.csulb.edu/teacher-ed/resources/documents/masters.cfm.

Requirements
1. All of the following (30 units): EDRG 540, 543, 544, 551, 554, 556, 558, 559, 651, and EDP 595/LING 595. (Please contact the program advisor prior to beginning coursework.)
2. One of the following chosen in consultation with the program advisor (3-6 units): EDRG 695 (3 units) and Comprehensive Examination; EDRG 698 (6 units) and Thesis.

EFFECTIVE: Fall 2008

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College: 50
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Discontinue: EDELMA01 and EDSEMA01 effective Fall 2008