Millersville University college of graduate & professional studies

Master of Education in Gifted Education (M.Ed.)

36 Credits Major Sequence and Degree Requirements

I. Admission Requirements

Admission to the program is open to those applicants who possess baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited four-year college or university. Applicants must submit supporting documents as required for general admission to a graduate program. Applicants must possess Instructional I Certification in Pennsylvania or other state. Applicants must have earned a 2.75 or better undergraduate cumulative average. The General Graduate Record Exam (GRE) or Miller Analogies Test (MAT) is required if your cumulative GPA is lower than a 3.0.

II. Professional Core Requirements (9 s.h.)

• EDFN 601 Methods of Research (3)

Choose one:

- PSYC 525 Advanced Developmental Psychology (3)
- PSYC 526 Advanced Adolescent Psychology (3)
- EDFN 545 Advanced Educational Psychology (3)
- PSYC 625 Human Growth and Development (3)

Choose one:

- EDFN 511 Comparative Education (3)
- EDFN 590 Social Foundations of Education (3)
- EDFN 603 Philosophy of Education (3)
- EDFN 604 Education and Public Policy (3)

III. Required Courses

(at least six courses required - 18 s.h.)

- GFED 670 Psychology of the Gifted (3)
- GFED 674 Programming for the Gifted (3)
- GFED 675 Evaluating Instructional Effectiveness: Application for the Gifted (3)
- GFED 676, 686, 687 or 688 Teaching Gifted Learner: Instructional Strategy or Topics in Gifted Education (3)
- GFED 690 Clinical Practicum (6)

IV. Area of Specialization (9 s.h.)

The student, with the approval of an adviser, must complete a minimum of 9 s.h. in an area of specialization. Specializations could include, but are not limited to: elementary education, early childhood education, language and literacy, English as a Second Language, English, fine arts, foreign languages, leadership, mathematics, sciences, social sciences, psychology, special education, technology education.

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