

**EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP AND POLICY STUDIES (ELPS)  
DOCTOR OF EDUCATION (EdD) SCHEDULE OF COURSES**

*The course work plan must be completed with student's signature, advisor's signature, and submitted to the Academic Services Associate by the end of the first quarter of enrollment.*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID \_\_\_\_\_

**REQUESTS TO TRANSFER PREVIOUSLY COMPLETED CREDITS MUST BE APPROVED BY THE OFFICE OF GRADUATE EDUCATION (OGE) BY THE END OF FIRST QUARTER OF ENROLLMENT.**

*NOTE: Schedules are subject to change; be sure to consult your advisor!*

	Course Title	Course Number	Content Area	Substitution Course (requires advisor approval)	Credit Hours
<b>YEAR ONE</b>					
Summer	Structural Foundations of Research	RMS 4940	Research		3
	Special Topics: Research in Educational Leadership	ADMN 4700	Doctoral Research		1
Fall	Foundations of Ed. History & Philosophy	ADMN 4827	Program Area		4
	Introductory Statistics**	RMS 4910	Research		4
Winter	Organizational Theory & Behavior	ADMN 4819	Program Area		4
	Introduction to Qualitative Research	RMS 4941	Research		4
Spring	Educational Policy Making in the US	ADMN 4823	Program Area		4
	Advanced Inquiry and Analysis***	ADMN 4900	Research		4
Summer	Improvement Science	ADMN 4821	Research		4
<b>YEAR TWO</b>					
Fall	Education Program Evaluation	ADMN 4820	Research		4
	Leading Teaching and Learning	ADMN 4835	Program Area		4
Winter	Critical Policy Analysis for Educational Systems	ADMN 4844	Research		4
	Perspectives in District Leadership	ADMN 4812	Program Area		4

Spring	Improving Organizational Culture	ADMN 4836	Program Area		4
	Action Research for Systems Leadership	ADMN 4822	Research		4
<b>Subtotal</b>					<b>55</b>
* Credit is counted in dissertation block below					
** Indicates research courses which a student may have waived or test out					
*** Intermediate research course					

**OPTIONAL INTERNSHIP – ONLY NEEDED IF SEEKING DISTRICT LEVEL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE.**

Course Title	Requirement	Course Number	Quarter Planned	Credit Hours
Administrative Internship (OPTIONAL)	6 hours total required (50 clocked hours per credit) (6 needed if Administrator license is sought)	ADMN 4817		
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<b>TOTAL OPTIONAL</b>				<b>6</b>
<b>INTERNSHIP HOURS</b>				

**Dissertation Research Hours**

Course Title	Course Number	Quarter Planned	Credit Hours
Special Topics: Research in Educational Leadership	ADMN 4700	Summer 1 or Summer 2 if needed	1
Doctoral Research Design	ADMN 5900	Summer after completion of year 2	3
Dissertation Research	ADMN 5993*		6**
* In order to maintain degree candidacy, MCE doctoral students who have finished all requested coursework will register for one dissertation or doctoral research credit or other credit for consecutive terms fall through spring (summers not required) until the student graduates.			
<b>TOTAL REQUIRED DISSERTATION HOURS:</b>			<b>10 MIN.</b>

<b>EdD in Educational Leadership - Summary of Requirements</b>	<b>Credit Hours</b>
Program Area Requirements	<b>24</b>
Research Requirements	<b>31</b>
Dissertation Research Hours	<b>10 MIN.</b>
<b>Total for EdD Degree</b>	<b>65</b>

<b>OPTIONAL:</b> Internship hours (6 needed if Administrator license is sought)	<b>6</b>
<b>Total coursework hours for this plan</b>	

<b><i>EdD – Review Benchmarks Required</i></b>	<b>Quarter Planned</b>
End-of-Year One Review	
Comprehensive Examination	
Dissertation in Practice Proposal Defense	
IRB (Institutional Review Board) Approval	
Final Dissertation in Practice Defense	

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**Student Signature**

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**Date**

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**Advisor Signature**

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**Date**