

**Graduate School of
Education and Human
Services
EDAD / EDBM**

Degree Requirements Summary
Adolescence 7-12 Initial Certification
Business & Marketing K-12 Initial Certification
Master of Science in Education
(Unofficial Document)



Name _____
(last) (first) (m.i.)

_____ (student ID#) _____ (Date)

Required Courses for Initial Certification in Adolescence Education:

- EDAD 598 Professional Seminar (0)_____
- EDAD 502 Foundations of Literacy Instruction (3)_____
(Includes 30 hours of field experience)
- EDAD 534* Teaching Strategies & Assessment: Adolescence (3)_____
- EDU 505 Foundations of Education (3)_____
- EDAD 561-566 Methods of Teaching (choose one)
 - EDAD 561 Business, EDAD 562 English, EDAD 563 Math,
 - EDAD 564 Modern Languages, EDAD 565 Science,
 - EDAD 566 Social Studies (3)_____
- EDAD 535 Learning & Human Development: Adolescence (3)_____
- EDAD 503* Literacy in Secondary Education (3)_____
- EDAD 536 Differentiated Instruction for Diverse Learners (3)_____
- EDAD 537^ Advanced Methods: Adolescence (3)_____
(Includes 70 hours of field experience)
- EDAD 593** Student Teaching (12)_____
- EDAD 594** Student Teaching Seminar (0)_____
- EDU 595** Child Abuse Seminar (0)_____
- EDU 596** Prevention of School Violence Seminar (0)_____

**These four courses are corequisites during the student teaching term.

***Business & Marketing Education candidates replace EDAD 534 and EDAD 503 with:**

- EMC 552 Human Growth & Development in Middle Childhood (MC)
- EMC 553 Cognition, Learning, Assessment & Diagnostic Teaching: MC

Total Required for Initial Certification: 36 Credit Hours

Required Certification Exams for Initial Certification (NYSTCE):

- LAST: Liberal Arts and Sciences Test
- ATS-W: Assessment of Teaching Skills – Written (Secondary)
- CST: Content Specialty Test (Subject Area of Certification)

Other Certification Requirements:

Fingerprinting

At this point, candidates will be eligible for initial certification. Candidates must complete 2 additional courses for the Master's Degree.

For Professional Certification, candidates must complete the master's degree within five years of certification and teach for three years.

Additional Courses for Master's Degree in Adolescence Education:

- EDAD 538 Contemporary Issues in the Methods of Teaching (select one): (3)_____
 - Social Sciences & Education
 - New Literacies
- EDAD 616 Research Methods (select one): (3)_____
 - Social Sciences & Education
 - New Literacies

Students will complete EDAD 538 and EDAD 616 by taking courses from the same strand, i.e. Social Sciences & Education or New Literacies.

Total Required for Master of Science in Education: 42 Credit Hours

Optional: Middle Childhood Extension for Grades 5-6

- EMC 552 Human Growth & Dev. in Middle Childhood (3)_____
- EMC 553 Cognition, Learning, Assessment & Diagnostic Teaching: Middle Childhood (3)_____

6 Credit Hours

^Note: Ontario Candidates must complete a criminal record check prior to starting the field experience in Ontario schools.

**Adolescence Education (grades 7-12) and
Business and Marketing Education (K-12)
Semester Sequencing**

EDAD 534, EDAD 535 and EDU 505 are available on-line
as well as in the traditional classroom format

Starting in Fall

Starting in Spring

Start in Summer

First Semester Fall (August – December)

EDAD 598 Professional Seminar
EDAD 502 Foundations of Literacy Instruction
EDAD 534* Teaching Strategies & Assessment
EDU 505 Foundations of Education
EDAD 561-66 Methods of Teaching

First Semester Spring (January – May)

EDAD 598 Professional Seminar
EDAD 502 Foundations of Literacy Instruction
EDAD 534* Teaching Strategies & Assessment
EDU 505 Foundations of Education
EDAD 561-66 Methods of Teaching

First Semester Summer (May-July)

EDAD 598 Professional Seminar
EDAD 502 Foundations of Literacy Instruction
EDAD 534* Teaching Strategies & Assessment
EDU 505 Foundations of Education
EDAD 561-66 Methods of Teaching

Second Semester Spring (January – May)

EDAD 535 Learning & Human Development
EDAD 503* Literacy in Secondary School
EDAD 536 Diff. Inst. for Diverse Learners
EDAD 537 Advanced Methods: Adolescence

Second Semester Summer (May-July)

EDAD 535 Learning & Human Development
EDAD 503* Literacy in Secondary School
EDAD 536 Diff. Inst. for Diverse Learners
EDAD 537 Advanced Methods: Adolescence

Second Semester Fall (August-December)

EDAD 535 Learning & Human Development
EDAD 503* Literacy in Secondary School
EDAD 536 Diff. Inst. for Diverse Learners
EDAD 537 Advanced Methods: Adolescence

Third Semester Fall (August – December)

EDAD 593 Student Teaching
EDAD 594 Student Teaching Seminar
EDU 595 Child Abuse Seminar
EDU 596 Prevention of School Violence Seminar

Third Semester Fall (August – December)

EDAD 593 Student Teaching
EDAD 594 Student Teaching Seminar
EDU 595 Child Abuse Seminar
EDU 596 Prevention of School Violence Seminar

Third Semester Spring (January-May)

EDAD 593 Student Teaching
EDAD 594 Student Teaching Seminar
EDU 595 Child Abuse Seminar
EDU 596 Prevention of School Violence Seminar

***Business & Marketing K-12 substitute EMC 552 in the first term and EMC 553 in the second term.**

To finish the master's degree coursework in two semesters, take EDAD 538 during first semester and EDAD 616 during the second. Qualified candidates who already have initial teaching certification may take EDAD 538 and EDAD 616 during the same semester to complete the master's degree. Canadian candidates with 3-year bachelor's degrees must complete the master's degree coursework before applying for initial teaching certification.