# Doctor of Education in Educational Leadership, Curriculum and Instruction

### Degree Requirements

Evangel University's Doctor of Education is a Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education-approved superintendent certification preparation program. Students seeking Missouri Superintendent Certification must meet the following requirements:

Professional and Academic Requirements:

- Hold permanent or professional Missouri certificate of license to teach;
- Have a minimum of three (3) years of experience as a building or district-level administrator at a public or accredited nonpublic school;
- Achieve a score equal to or in excess of the qualifying score on the required superintendent assessment.

#### Leadership Pathways

Students choose one of the following two leadership pathways and take the elective courses in the pathway.

Instructional Leadership Pathway

#### Electives

- EDL 735 Advanced Instructional Leadership
- EDL 752 Innovative Instructional Design
- EDL 763 Accessing and Utilizing Educational Funding
- EDL 767 Success-Ready Instructional Design

Higher Education Leadership Pathway

#### **Electives**

- EDL 735 Overview of Higher Education Leadership
- EDL 756 Student Development in Higher Education
- EDL 758 Academic Leadership in Higher Education
- EDL 762 Institutional Finance

**Program:** Doctor of Education Program

**Type:** Doctor of Education

# Required Courses

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(23-35 Credits)

Item #	Title	Credits
EDL 701	Leadership Seminar- Communication and Public Relations	1
EDL 702	Leadership Seminar- Politics in Education	1
EDL 705	Ethics and Decisions of School Leaders	3
EDL 709	Resource Management	3
EDL 711	Advanced Supervision	3
EDL 713	Diversity and Multicultural Competence	3
EDL 729	Data Analysis for School Improvement	3
EDL 733	Teacher as Leader	3
EDL 751	Advanced Curriculum and Design	3
EDL 755	Evidence Based Instruction and Learning	3
EDL 757	Differentiating Curriculum and Instruction	3
EDL 759	Contemporary Issues in Curriculum and Instruction	3
EDL 761	Educational Funding	3

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Item #	Title	Credits
EDL 720	Introduction to Dissertation Research	2
EDL 723	Research Methods and Statistics	3
EDL 781	Leadership Internship	3
EDL 790	Dissertation Seminar and Proposal	3

# Electives (12 Credits) from Chosen Leadership Pathway

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Total credits:	50