

Fact Sheet



Pittsburg State University

Great Educators Never Stop Learning! Consider a program at KC Metro Center

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

This program is designed to prepare licensed education practitioners to assume leadership roles within the Pre K-12 education system. Individuals completing this program can obtain their conditional building level licensure.

BUILDING LEVEL LICENSURE

Upon completion of these courses, individuals will be recommended for building level licensure. Students may choose to only complete the courses for licensure, which are a component of the MS in Educational Leadership program.

DISTRICT LEVEL LICENSURE

This program is designed to prepare licensed leaders to assume leadership positions within Pre K-12 central administrative systems and is for the student not wanting a degree program.

ENGLISH FOR SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES ENDORSEMENT (ESOL) [Online]

The courses in this program meet the requirements for ESOL Pre K-12 endorsements to the Kansas Teaching License. Learn strategies and techniques based upon research and best practices that are great for all students, especially English Language Learners. Proficiency in a foreign language is not required. The ESOL endorsement courses apply toward a Master's degree in Teaching.

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY [Online]

This program is designed to prepare individuals to work with educational technology in either educational or industrial settings. Two curricular concentrations are offered within the degree: Technology Facilitator and Library Media, which leads to licensure as a Kansas school library media specialist.

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHING

Current special education teachers can become fully licensed to teach special education (adaptive and functional) classes within the Pre K-12 education system. With the completion of nine hours students are eligible to begin teaching, and after 36 hours, individuals earn their K-6, Pre K-12 adaptive and functional Special Education Endorsements.

CERTIFICATE IN AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS

This graduate program results in a Certificate in Autism Spectrum Disorders from PSU. The program of study is a joint effort by Pittsburg State University, Fort Hays State University, and the Kansas State Department of Education, and is available at several locations in Kansas. A certificate will enable an individual to be employed as an autism specialist and act as a consultant in his/her organization.

MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

This program is for the individual who has a bachelors degree in a specific content area and would now like to teach. Enrollment in this program can allow students to begin teaching under a Restricted License immediately. Completion of this program provides the teacher with a restricted license. Courses will provide individuals the professional education knowledge and skills needed for successful teaching. Two options are available:

Restricted License Secondary

Designed for individuals with a bachelors degree in a content area to teach in grades 6-12 school classrooms.

Restricted License in Adaptive 6-12 Special Education

Created for individuals with a bachelors degree and experience in a special education classroom as a paraprofessional. Graduates will be able to work in grades 6-12 special education classrooms.

Application and additional
information can be found at:

kcmetro.pittstate.edu