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Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Education (CLDE) Endorsement

NAME: **Advisor:**

This plan leads to the CLDE endorsement (24 credit hours). Recommendations for endorsements are made by the program, but endorsement is granted by the State of Colorado. Individual state requirements vary.

Required Core Courses (24 credits)	**Term*** (Credits)	**Semester Completed**
CLDE 5010: Foundations of Language & Culture in Education	Sum (3)	
CLDE 5820 Methods of Teaching Multilingual Learners, Part I (Online course focused on literacy methods-must take both Part I and II)	Fall (2)	
CLDE 5821 Methods of Teaching Multilingual Learners, Part II	Spring (1)	
CLDE 5050 Assessment and Advocacy for Multilingual Learners	Spring (3)	
CLDE 5070 Understanding Language in the Classroom	Sum (3)	
CLDE 5030 Language Development for Multilingual Learners	Fall (3)	
CLDE 5825 Teaching Content to Multilingual Learners, Part I (online course focused on content methods-must take both Part I and II) *Alternative*: CLDE 5827/8 (available through district partnerships)	Fall (2)	
CLDE 5826 Teaching Content to Multilingual Learners, Part II	Spring (1)	
Electives (Choose 2 courses): CLDE 5160 History and Law of Bilingual Education, Sum CLDE 5700 Social Studies for Multilingual Learners, Sum or Fall CLDE 5680 Spanish for Educators, Sum or Fall CLDE 6912 Teacher Inquiry in Multilingual Classrooms, Spring Or other graduate-level course approved by faculty advisor	6	
Total Credit Hours	24	

*Course offerings by term subject to minimum enrollment

Recommended Course sequence: Speak to your advisor about what is right for you, considering financial aid and desired time to completion. Spreading out coursework over additional semesters is possible, for a more manageable workload. Certain types of financial aid may be available by taking a load of 4 or more credits per semester. Use the above checklist and speak to your advisor to ensure all category requirements for the MA are met.

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Summer start MA with Endorsement				**Fall start MA with Endorsement**		
Term	**Course**	**Cr.**		**Term**	**Course**	**Cr.**
Sum.	● 5010 Foundations ● 5070 Understanding Language	6	Year 1	Fall	●5030 Language Development ●Methods Part I(5825 or 5820)	5
Fall	●5030 Language Development ●Methods (5825 or 5820)	5		Spr.	●5050 Assessment ●Methods Part II (5826 or 5821)	4
Spr.	●5050 Assessment ●Methods (5826 or 5821)	4		Sum.	●5010 Foundations ●5070 Language	6
Sum.	●Elective 1 (CLDE 5160 recommended) ●Elective 2	6	Year 2	Fall	●Elective 1 ●Methods Part I(5825 or 5820)	5
Fall	•Methods Part I (5826 or 5820)	2		Spr.	●Methods Part II(5826 or 5821) ●Elective 2(CLDE 6912 recommended)	4
Spr.	•Methods Part II (5826 or 5821)	1		Sum.		

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