Darden College of Education
Department of Educational Curriculum & Instruction
Program: Post-Baccalaureate endorsement program – Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) PK-12

For individuals who have a non-teaching Bachelor’s degree and wish to qualify for a Virginia teaching license in TESOL.

Name: ______________________________________ UIN: _________________ Phone #: _______
Undergraduate Degree/Date: _____________________ College/University: _____________________
GPA: _______ Content Area: _________________________________

READ THE CATALOG FOR COMPLETE PROGRAM INFORMATION

You must maintain a minimum overall grade point average of 2.75 as well as in the content area and professional education coursework for continuance and exit. You are required to meet with an advisor before beginning this program of study.

TLED 301 Foundations & Introduction to Assessment of Education (Includes 30 hrs. off campus School observation.) 3 hrs ______/______
TLED 430 PK-12 Instructional Technology 3 hrs ______/______
SPED 313 Fundamentals of Human Growth and Development 3 hrs ______/______
TLED 360 Classroom Management and Discipline 2 hrs ______/______
TLED 408 Reading and Writing in Content Areas 3 hrs ______/______

Classroom Experiences (Prerequisite: PRAXIS II and the VCLA)
TLED 485 Teacher Candidate Internship (Student Teaching) 12 hrs ______/______
Final semester; includes two seven week placements.

ADMISSION, CONTINUANCE, and EXIT REQUIREMENTS

Admission Requirements:
1. Hold at least a bachelor’s degree with an overall undergraduate GPA of at least 2.75. Note: Provisional admission is possible for students with a GPA below 2.75.
2. Passing scores on PRAXIS I or SAT/ACT (as determined by the Virginia Department of Education).
3. Complete and submit the Post-Baccalaureate endorsement program Application to the Office of Teacher Education Services and Advising, Education Bldg., Room 152.

Continuance and Exit:
1. Complete all TESOL English and the professional education courses with at least a grade of C- or higher in each.
2. Maintain a GPA of 2.75 overall, in the content area, and in the professional education courses.
3. Passing scores on the Virginia Communication and Literacy Assessment (VCLA) and on the PRAXIS II (#0361) prior to the Teacher Candidate Internship.

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Graduate Program Advisor: Ms. Nola Nicholson, 683-3348, Education Bldg., Room 152
Program Director: TESOL/Applied Linguistics: Dr. Joanne Scheibman, 683-3879, Rm 5028 BAL Bldg.
TEACHERS OF ENGLISH TO SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES (TESOL) PREK-12

CONTENT REQUIREMENTS

Area A: Prerequisite(S)
A candidate must complete a minimum of 6 semester hours in a Foreign Language*:

3 hrs __________ / __________
3 hrs __________ / __________

*Or, 6 credit hours of English for Foreign speakers

Area B: Academic content Courses
The following distribution of courses meets the state requirement of 18 content hours.

1. ENGL 440 or 540 Linguistics (fall Only) 3 hrs __ / ______
2. ENGL 677 Cross Cultural Communication (fall Only) 3 hrs __ / ______
3. ENGL 679 First & Second Language Acquisition (fall only) 3 hrs __ / ______
4. One of the following four courses: ENGL __________ 3 hrs __ / ______
   ENGL 542 English Grammar (spring only)
   OR
   ENGL 550 American English (fall only)
   OR
   ENGL 672 Syntax (spring only)
   OR
   ENGL 678 Sociolinguistics

Prerequisite to ENGL 670: Praxis I and TLED 430
5. ENGL 670 Methods and Materials in TESOL (spring only) 3 hrs __ / ______
6. READ 683 Diagnostic Teaching in Reading (fall, spring & summer) 3 hrs __ / ______
7. READ 686 Language Development and Reading (fall, spring & summer) 3 hrs __ / ______

I have reviewed the student's transcript and determined remaining requirements as shown above.
Advisor's Signature ________________________________ Date ______________________________

I understand the requirements contained in this transcript review and that required courses may not be offered every semester.
Student’s Signature ________________________________ Date ______________________________