



Ph.D. Education

HIGHER EDUCATION

Our signature 5:5:5 approach to doctoral-level learning lets students build a personalized plan of study based on their academic and professional goals:

The 60-credit program typically takes full-time students about four years to complete. The course of study has four elements:

- core courses (15 credits)
- cognate courses (15 credits)
- research courses (15 credits)
- dissertation (15 credits)

All full-time Ph.D. students are supported through graduate assistantships (GA) while enrolled in our program. GAs work with a faculty member in our department to support their research and teaching, or work in administrative roles to support senior college or university leaders.

Learn more about the program at odu.edu/efl.
Contact us at hied@odu.edu to schedule a campus visit or ask questions about the program.



**OLD DOMINION
UNIVERSITY**

Darden College of Education
and Professional Studies

Academic, Administrative, & Policy Careers

Study in Norfolk, VA - a region full of diverse colleges and universities near Washington, D.C.

Meet education leaders and policymakers in D.C. and Richmond during special fall and spring trips.

Enjoy opportunities to travel abroad on a different 10-day study abroad experience each year.

Professional & Scholarly Community

ODU students may receive travel support for professional development to attend and present at national conferences, e.g. NASPA, ACPA, NAFSA, SACSA, etc.

Engage with a strong community among students, professionals, and scholars through professional events, student organizations, and social events.

Summer Institute

Kick off your program with our 8-day Summer Institute, our signature annual event where you will take two classes and learn from national experts.

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