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Education Programs

Teacher Leadership Graduate Diploma

Location Offered:

Nanaimo

Credential:

Graduate Diploma

Program Length:

1 Year

The Program

Students interested in the diploma must apply to the Master of Education in Educational Leadership. Upon successful completion of 15 credits of the Master's program, students will be eligible to receive the Teacher Leadership Graduate Diploma.

The Faculty of Education offers the Teacher Leadership Graduate Diploma as a component of the Master of Education in Educational Leadership (MEDL) program. This unique program will help prepare and equip school and system leaders to lead contemporary schools with a significant emphasis on new conceptions of learning and a deep commitment to quality and equity. Features of the program include a focus on international perspectives on learning, innovative learning environments, teamwork with lead colleagues and districts and the opportunity to explore new knowledge through school and/or practice-based inquiry. The program is readily accessible to students who have entered the Master of Education in Educational Leadership program.

Program Outline

The courses required are part of the Master of Education in Educational Leadership (MEDL) program. Depending on the MEDL program option, course delivery will be online and/or face-to-face. Successful completion of the graduate diploma consists of completion of 15 credits chosen from the following courses:

- MEDL 500 - (Foundations of Educational Leadership)
- MEDL 550 - (Research in Education)
- MEDL 580 - (Leadership in the BC Context)
- MEDL 590 - (Leadership Values and Ethical Decision Making)
- MEDL 600 - (Educational Change)
- MEDL 650 - (Leading Learning)

Program Progression Requirements

- Students must maintain a minimum average of 'B' (3.0) in each semester of the program
- Students must receive a 'CR' grade in each course (where applicable)
- Any student who receives a grade below a 'C+' in an individual course is required to meet with the Program Coordinator and/or the Program Chair to create an

action plan to improve academic performance.

- Should students receive a failing grade, they may retake up to 2 individual courses. If they are unsuccessful in a third course, or in a second attempt of the same course, they will be required to leave the program.

Admission Requirements

Applicants interested in the Teacher Leadership Graduate Diploma must apply to the Master of Education in Educational Leadership (MEDL) degree program. Please refer to the MEDL program page.

Career Opportunities

Graduates of this program will be well-poised to assume formal and informal leadership positions in the education sector.

Start Date and Application Deadline

Please refer to the Master of Education in Educational Leadership program.

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