

D.Ed. in Administration and Leadership Studies Program
Course Sequence (Tentative and Subject to Change)

60 Credit Hours
All Courses are Required

Higher Education Cohort

Year 1: Fall

ALS 801 Leadership Theories

ALS 810 Advanced Topics in Human Development and Learning

Year 1: Spring

ALS 805 Curriculum Evaluation

ALS 825 Critical Analysis of Issues in Education

Year 1: Summer

ALS 830 Analysis of Effective Instruction

CURR 915 Writing for Professional Publication

Year 2: Fall

ALS 802 Leadership: A Case Study Approach

ALS 852 School Evaluation

Year 2: Spring

ALS 850 School and Community

ALS 820 Doctoral Seminar in Research Methods

Year 2: Summer

ALS 883 Analysis of Qualitative Data in Leadership Studies

ELR 751 Conflict Resolution

Year 3: Fall

ALS 803 Leadership: Applied Practice

ALS 882 Research Instrument Design for Leadership Studies

Year 3: Spring

ALS 898 Internship in Administration and Leadership Studies (6 credits)

ALS 881 Seminar

ALS 995 Dissertation (9 credits, minimum)

Students must finish the dissertation and complete the program within seven years of their start term. Students are required to be continually enrolled for a minimum of one dissertation credit each term, fall and spring, until the dissertation is finished. A minimum of 9 regular dissertation credits are required in order to graduate. Students who need to continue to register beyond the 9 required dissertation credits should register for "extended" dissertation credits.