

**Full Spring Session (23/FA) August 21 – December 8, 2023**
**Accelerated Fall Session I (23/A1)**

August 19, 2023 - October 7, 2023

**Accelerated Fall Session 2 (23/A2)**

October 14, 2023- December 9, 2023

**Winter Intercession 2023 (23/WIN) December 14, 2023 - January 12, 2024**

Program	Course Number/ Format / Semester	Title/Instructor	Dates
Reading	EDUC 510 A Blended 23/FA	Developmental Nature of Reading Instructor: Dr. Jull Yurko	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 On-Campus Times: Tuesdays 6:00pm - 8:45pm O'HARA 116 *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Reading	EDUC 510 WB Online 23/FA	Developmental Nature of Reading Instructor: Dr. Jull Yurko	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Reading	EDUC 605 WB Online 23/A2	ESL Instruction Theory and Practice Instructor: Mr. Brian Stiles	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Friday, October 27, 2023 - 5:00pm - 7:00pm Saturday, October 28, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Sunday, October 29, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm Saturday, November 11, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Sunday, November 12, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00 pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Reading	EDUC 520 A Blended 23/FA	The Writing Process K-12 Instructor: Dr. Jill Yurko	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 On-Campus Times: Mondays 6:00pm - 8:45pm O'HARA 116 *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Reading	EDUC 520 WB Online 23/FA	The Writing Process K-12 Instructor: Dr. Jill Yurko	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required

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Reading	EDUC 575 Online 23/FA	Reading Capstone Project Instructor: Jill Yurko	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 <u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Wednesdays 6:00pm - 8:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Reading	EDUC 590 A Blended 23/FA	Practical Research for Educators Instructor: Dr. Jeanne Conahan	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 On-Campus Times: Wednesdays beginning on August 30, 2023 6:00pm - 8:45pm O'HARA 127 *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Reading	EDUC 590 WB Online 23/FA	Practical Research for Educators Instructor: Dr. Jeanne Conahan	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 <u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Wednesdays beginning on August 30, 2023 6:00pm - 8:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Special Education	EDUC 586 WB Online 23/A2	Inclusionary Classroom Practices Instructor: Mrs. Regina Myers	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Saturday, October 21, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm Sunday, October 22, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm Saturday, November 11, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm Sunday, November 12, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Special Education	EDUC 740 WB Online 23/A1	Universal Design for Learning and Response to Intervention Instructor: Dr. Andrew Wojcik	August 19, 2023 - October 7, 2023 <u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Mondays 6:00pm - 8:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Special Education	EDUC 770 WB Online 23/FA	Special Education Capstone Project Instructor: Dr. Jill Yurko	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 <u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Wednesdays 6:00pm - 8:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required

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Special Education/ASD	EDUC 700 WB Online 23/FA	ASD: Etiology Instructor: Mrs. Dawn Shedlarski	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Friday, September 29, 2023 - 5:00pm - 7:00pm Saturday, September 30, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Sunday, October 1, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm Saturday, October 14, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Sunday, October 15, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00 pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required.
Special Education/ASD	EDUC 715 WB Online 23/A2	ASD: Transition Instructor: TBA	October 14, 2023 - December 9, 2023 Independent Study *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Instructional Coaching	EDUC 501 WB Online 23/FA	Foundations of Instructional Coaching Instructor: Dr. Jessica Jacobs	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 <u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Thursdays 6:00pm - 8:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Curriculum & Instruction/STEM	EDUC 678 WB Online 23/A1	STEM Practicum Instructor: Dr. Sunny Weiland	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Saturday, August 26, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Saturday, September 16, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Saturday, September 30, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Curriculum & Instruction/STEM	EDUC 674 WB Online 23/A2	STEM Methods Instructor: Mr. Ryan Hettes	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Tuesday, October 8, 2023 - 6:00pm - 7:45pm Tuesday, November 8, 2023 - 6:00pm - 7:45pm Tuesday, November 22, 2023 - 6:00pm - 7:45pm Tuesday, December 6, 2023 - 6:00pm - 7:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Curriculum & Instruction/ESL	EDUC 600 WB Online 23/A1	Second Language Acquisition Instructor: Mr. Brian Stiles	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Friday, September 8, 2023 - 5:00pm - 7:00pm Saturday, September 9, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Sunday, September 10, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm Saturday, September 23, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Sunday, September 24, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00 pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required.

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Curriculum & Instruction/ESL	EDUC 605 WB Online 23/A2	ESL Instruction Theory and Practice Instructor: Mr. Brian Stiles	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Friday, October 27, 2023 - 5:00pm - 7:00pm Saturday, October 28, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Sunday, October 29, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm Saturday, November 11, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Sunday, November 12, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00 pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required.
ESL	EDUC 601 WB Online 23/FA	ESL Clinical Field Practicum Instructor: Dr. Michelle Dudley	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 <u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Thursdays 6:00pm - 8:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Curriculum & Instruction	EDUC 586 WB Online 23/A2	Inclusionary Classroom Practices Instructor: Mrs. Regina Myers	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Saturday, October 21, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm Sunday, October 22, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm Saturday, November 11, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm Sunday, November 12, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Curriculum and Instruction	EDUC 590 A Blended 23/FA	Practical Research for Educators Instructor: Dr. Jeanne Conahan	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 <u>On-Campus Times:</u> Wednesdays beginning on August 30, 2023 6:00pm - 8:45pm O'HARA 127 *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Curriculum & Instruction	EDUC 590 WB Online 23/FA	Practical Research for Educators Instructor: Dr. Jeanne Conahan	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 <u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Wednesdays beginning on August 30, 2023 6:00pm - 8:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Curriculum & Instruction	EDUC 580 WB Online 23/FA	Curriculum Theory and Design Instructor: Dr. Sunny Weiland	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Saturday, October 14, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Saturday, October 28, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Friday, November 10, 2023 - 5:00pm - 7:30pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required

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Curriculum and Instruction	EDUC 620 WB Online 23/FA	ESL Capstone Project Instructor: Dr. Sunny Weiland	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 <u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Wednesdays 5:00pm - 7:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Curriculum and Instruction	EDUC 535 WB Online 23/FA	Excellence in Teaching Capstone Project Instructor: Dr. Sunny Weiland	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 <u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Wednesdays 5:00pm - 7:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Curriculum and Instruction	EDUC 670 WB Online 23/FA	STEM Master's Capstone Project Instructor: Dr. Sunny Weiland	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 <u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Wednesdays 5:00pm - 7:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Curriculum and Instruction	EDUC 990 WB Online 23/FA	School Leadership Capstone Instructor: Dr. Sunny Weiland	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 <u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Wednesdays 5:00pm - 7:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Principal	EDUC 900 WB Online 23/A1	The Principalship Instructor: Mr. Dave Tosh	August 19, 2023 - October 7, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Principal	EDUC 905 WB Online 23/A2	Principles of Instructional Supervision Instructor: Mrs. Leeta Dennebaum	October 14, 2023 - December 9, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Principal	EDUC 925 WB Online 23/A1	Elementary School Principal Practicum Instructor: Dr. Barbara Conway	August 19, 2023 - October 7, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required

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<b>Principal</b>	<b>EDUC 926 WB Online 23/A1</b>	<b>Middle School Principal Practicum Instructor: Dr. Barbara Conway</b>	<b>August 19, 2023 - October 7, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required</b>
<b>Principal</b>	<b>EDUC 927 Online 23/A1</b>	<b>High School Principal Practicum Instructor: Dr. Barbara Conway</b>	<b>August 19, 2023 - October 7, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required</b>
<b>Principal</b>	<b>EDUC 925 WB Online 23/A2</b>	<b>Elementary School Principal Practicum Instructor: Dr. Barbara Conway</b>	<b>October 14, 2023 - December 9, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required</b>
<b>Principal</b>	<b>EDUC 926 WB Online 23/A2</b>	<b>Middle School Principal Practicum Instructor: Dr. Barbara Conway</b>	<b>October 14, 2023 - December 9, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required</b>
<b>Principal</b>	<b>EDUC 927 WB Online 23/A2</b>	<b>High School Principal Practicum Instructor: Dr. Barbara Conway</b>	<b>October 14, 2023 - December 9, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required</b>
<b>CLIU Partnership</b>	<b>EDUC 950 WB Online 23/A1</b>	<b>District Leadership in the 21st Century Instructor: Mrs. Lynn Fuini-Hetten</b>	<b>August 19, 2023 - October 7, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required</b>
<b>CLIU Partnership</b>	<b>EDUC 951 Online 23/A2</b>	<b>District Strategic Leadership Instructor: Dr. Michael Roth</b>	<b>October 14, 2023 - December 9, 2023 Online *Additional Moodle Assignments Required</b>

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Professional Development Center	EDUC 6019 WB Online 23/A2	Behind the Curtain Instructor: Dr. Brian Pipech	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Monday, October 23, 2023 - 6:00pm - 8:00pm Monday, November 6, 2023 - 6:00pm - 8:00pm Monday, November 20, 2023 - 6:00pm - 8:00pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Professional Development Center	EDUC 6054 Online 23/A1	Restorative Teaching Instructor: Ms. Tara Bruza	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Saturday, September 16, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Sunday, September 17, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm Saturday, September 30, 2023 - 9:00am - 3:00pm Sunday, October 1, 2023 - 9:00am - 1:00pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Professional Development Center	EDUC 6055 WB Online 23/A2	The English Language Students Academy Instructor: Ms. Tara Bruza	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: Thursday, October 5, 2023 - 5:00pm - 7:45pm Thursday, October 19, 2023 - 5:00pm - 7:45pm Thursday, November 2, 2023 - 5:00pm - 7:45pm Thursday, November 16, 2023 - 5:00pm - 7:45pm Thursday, November 30, 2023 - 5:00pm - 7:45pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required
Professional Development Center	EDUC 6029 WB Face-to-Face 23/FA	Preventing Child Abuse Instructor: Mr. James Marinello	August 21, 2023 - December 8, 2023 On-Campus Times: Wednesdays 5:00pm - 7:45pm O'HARA 117
Professional Development Center	EDUC 6053 WB Online 23/WIN	Engaging Learners in Collaborative Online Learning Instructor: Dr. Brian Pipech	<u>Synchronous &amp; Asynchronous Online</u> Synchronous Zoom Times: December 16, 2023 - 6:00pm - 8:00pm December 30, 2023 - 6:00pm - 8:00pm January 14, 2024 - 6:00pm - 8:00pm *Additional Moodle Assignments Required



## **Fall 2023 Course Descriptions**

**EDUC 501 – Foundations of Instructional Coaching:** This course is designed for all educators at all levels and roles to focus on the foundational knowledge of instructional coaching. Throughout this course, participants will gain experience with the research and theory of coaching, key components of coaching, coaching approaches, coaching cycles, coaching instructional practices, and strategies to improve communication skills. The end goal is for participants to become empowered with the knowledge to create an environment to facilitate change, improve teacher practice, and transform school culture to increase student achievement. (3 credits)

**EDUC 510 - Developmental Nature of Reading:** The nature of literacy learning is explored from the perspective of children constructing meaning and being actively involved in their learning. The reading-writing relationship and authentic assessment procedures are stressed. (3 credits)

**EDUC 520 - The Writing Process K-12:** The course examines writing as a means of facilitating language development and learning. Practical means of implementing writing and the writing process into all aspects of the curriculum are examined, along with the reading-writing connection and writer's workshop. The goal of the course is to develop an understanding of the purpose for writing in K-12 classrooms. (3 credits)

**EDUC 535 – Master's Project in Excellence in Teaching:** Scholarship related to excellence in teaching will be demonstrated by the completion of a Capstone Project supported by relevant research, data, and/or documentation. The design, application, and assessment of the project are further refined and implemented in this course. Prerequisite: Educ 590. Permission required. (3 credits)

**EDUC 575 – Reading Research Capstone Project:** Scholarship related to literacy will be demonstrated by the completion of a Capstone Project supported by relevant research, data, and/or documentation. The design, application, and assessment of the project are further refined and implemented in this course. Prerequisite: Educ 590. Permission required. (3 credits)

**EDUC 580 – Curriculum Theory and Design:** This course is designed to explore the developmental nature of curriculum in the elementary, middle, and secondary school settings. Distinct theories will be explored as they relate to public, charter, private, and magnet schools. The interrelated nature of the curriculum is stressed. In addition, the concepts of goals and objectives as they relate to the curriculum will be investigated. Current curricular trends will be studied, analyzed, and evaluated using the principles of curriculum development discussed in the course. (3 credits)

**EDUC 586 – Inclusionary Classroom Practices:** This course will address the development, implementation, and monitoring of individualized management, instructional, curricular, and environmental strategies, and adaptations for all students within a heterogeneous classroom, based upon the curriculum of the school. Pedagogical recommendations and research-based effective instruction methodology is emphasized on a needs-based model incorporating the cognitive, language, attentional, affective, physical, and sensory needs of children. (3 credits)

**EDUC 590 – Practical Research for Educators:** Developing a Master's Capstone Project Proposal for the demonstration of scholarship through research and the application of research with a meta-analysis, action research, or a professional contribution is the primary purpose of this course. Students will be able to locate, comprehend, and critique educational research to design and to support their inquiry focus. (3 credits)

**EDUC 600 - Second Language Acquisition:** This course focuses on the grammar and structure of the English language including the components: phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, language function and discourse, and dialects. Theoretical perspectives of first and second language acquisition are examined with a pragmatic and sociolinguistic views relating relationships among language, culture, accent, identify, and public perceptions. Through an understanding of applied linguistics, linguistic challenges for language minority students are identified and research-based instructional strategies are reviewed and applied. Professional resources will be developed to foster collaboration with colleagues and the school/community. (3 credits)

**EDUC 601 – ESL Clinical Field Practicum:** This course is a clinical field practicum for 15 weeks to meet the 60 hours of field experience required for the Pennsylvania ESL Program Specialist Certificate. These 60 hours of field experience includes experience with a certified ESL Program specialist in a public school setting as well as community activities to meet the ESL Program Specialist competencies. Activities will be documented in a portfolio format and monitored by a King’s College supervisor who holds an ESL Program Specialist certificate. The semester-long field experience will underscore the coursework by providing opportunities for practical application of theory and feedback from the practicing ESL Program Specialist as well as the King’s College supervisor. (3 credits)

**EDUC 605 - ESL Instruction: Theory and Practice:** This course is designed to explore the methods, strategies, research, and resources that enable the student to develop and implement ESL programs to support English Language Learners’ acquisition of the English language and academic cognitive understandings and skills. The students design resources and teaching materials, implement them with their field experiences and provide reports to the class. The students learn, observe, and practice standards-based language proficiency leveled expectations of content lessons and assessments. Emphasis is placed on working with colleagues in their schools to develop resources and trainings facilitating collaboration from school to community to enable ESL students to develop social and academic cognitive English. (3 credits)

**EDUC 620 – ESL Master’s Capstone Project:** Scholarship related to English as a Second Language will be demonstrated by the completion of a Capstone Project supported by relevant research, data, and/or documentation. The design, application, and assessment of the project are further refined and implemented in this course. Prerequisite: Educ 590. Permission required. (3 credits)

**EDUC 670 – Master’s Capstone Project in Science Education:** Scholarship related to science of STEM education will be demonstrated by the completion of a Capstone Project supported by relevant research, data, and/or documentation. The design, application, and assessment of the project are further refined and implemented in this course. Prerequisite: Educ 590. Permission required. (3 credits)

**EDUC 674 - STEM Methods:** This course will explore the implementation of differentiated methods/pedagogies for implementation in courses integrating STEM. Participants will experience model STEM lessons, participate in Problem Based Learning Scenarios, Research components for STEM integration, investigate community resources to advance STEM Education, and create a portfolio of resources, lessons, and project-based activities. Emphasis will be on the designing and facilitating lessons implementing a learning cycle model for student-centered inquiry learning for collaborative multidisciplinary, interdisciplinary, and transdisciplinary environments. (3 credits)

**EDUC 678 - STEM Practicum:** This course will provide students with an active hands-on and minds-on experience with the exploration of text and technology to create solutions to STEM challenges tasks. Students will also develop tasks for use within their classroom. Integral to this course will be developing the mindset of an engineer, problem-solving, working collaboratively in a group, and effective communication. This course should provide students with experiences that can be used as inspiration for creating opportunities for their students to experience engaging and effective instruction in STEM and STEM projects in the K-12 classroom. (3 credits)

**EDUC 700 – ASD: Etiology:** This course is an introduction and overview of characteristics and learning traits of autism spectrum disorders (ASD). The course is an examination of the common manifestations of ASD including the psychological, physiological, behavioral, social, communication, and educational characteristics of individuals who have been identified on the spectrum as having Autism, Pervasive Developmental disorder, Rhett's disorder, Asperger's syndrome, and Childhood Disintegrative Disorder. The classification system, assessment strategies / issues, approaches, and interventions related to individuals with ASD will be explored. Focus will be on causes, diagnosis, and intervention. The theoretical, prevalence, and scientific hypothesis related to the etiology of ASD will be researched and explored. (3 credits)

**EDUC 715 – ASD: Community Collaboration:** This course is designed to promote the collaboration process between, schools, family, and community. Schools can no longer rely on just the educational system to deliver the services needed to the diverse student populations in our schools. Advocacy reaches out not only to the educational community but also to officials involved with law enforcement, health care (including first responders) and individual groups that connect with the family needs. The course will also emphasize the importance of the transition process in the schools in identifying instructional programs to meet the unique individual needs of each student for school to work partnerships. Legal mandates and requirements will be examined. (3 credits)

**EDUC 740 - Universal Design for Learning and Response to Intervention:** This course provides a blueprint for creating instructional goals, methods, materials, and assessments that work for everyone--not a single, one-size-fits-all solution but flexible approaches that can be customized and adjusted for individual needs. This course is designed with the objective to assist the graduate student in connecting core standards to acceptable accommodations, adaptations, and viable modifications to adjust the curriculum of the teaching/learning process for individualized learning. (3 credits)

**EDUC 770 – Special Education Master's Capstone Project:** Scholarship related to special education will be demonstrated by the completion of a Capstone Project supported by relevant research, data, and/or documentation. The design, application, and assessment of the project are further refined and implemented in this course. Prerequisite: EDUC 590. Permission required. (3 credits)

**EDUC 900 - The Principalship:** This course is designed to present an overview of the principal's role in relation to leadership, supervision, organizational management, and community interaction. In addition, it will highlight the role of the school principal as the instructional leader, with an emphasis on key components that focus on leadership skills and management abilities necessary to create a school atmosphere conducive to learning. Candidates will view the principal's responsibilities, job functions and priorities that evolve on a daily basis. Evidenced based strategic planning that further expands the responsibility for leading school reform with the objective of raising student achievement will be established. Culture, climate, and resources for improving internal and external home-school-community relations will be identified. Through scenarios and case studies, participants will consider and discuss issues faced by school principals in twenty first century. Course activities, based on theory as well as practical application, will enable candidates to internalize the PA Leadership Core and Corollary Standards and adopt strategies and practices reflective of them. (3 credits)

**EDUC 905 - Principles of Instructional Supervision:** This course will study the ways in which principals can incorporate instructional leadership into their organizational behavior and work with teachers to create instructional practices that raise the level of teaching and learning in the classroom. Students will learn how to use aspects of effective teaching strategies when working with teachers during the observation/walk-through process. Students will apply new concepts and tools to the supervisory process and practice coaching and feedback strategies. This course addresses the components of effective school and teaching theories that lead to school improvement. Participants will develop professional development plans for individuals and schools. Various supervisory styles studied will include clinical supervision, the Charlotte Danielson model, and differentiated supervision. By the end of this course, participants should be able to distinguish between supervision, evaluation, and professional development. (3 credits)

**EDUC 925, 926, 927 – Practicum:** The Administrative practicum is designed to give students practical experience in school administration. A minimum of 260 hours clock hours must be spent on administrative tasks based on the Pennsylvania Core and Corollary Standards for Educational Leadership. The 260 hours must be divided evenly between administrative work in both K to 6 and 7 to 12 settings. Work must be completed under the supervision of a certificated school administrator in each setting. Administrative mentors must have held administrative positions for a minimum of three years. *Note: 100 hours should have previously been completed in the prerequisite courses.* (1 credit for each Practicum)

**EDUC 950 – District Leadership in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century:** The course will begin with a learning expectations survey and an inventory of technology integration readiness to determine current practices, strengths, and weaknesses. Throughout the course, the use of inquiry, quizzes, discussion, and checkpoints will ensure learning expectations are on track. At the conclusion of the course, participants will complete a course evaluation to allow for analysis, reflection, and revision of course content. Beyond the completion of the course, participants will be able to collaborate with instructors and other participants via social network tools, e-mail, and web- and zoom & videoconferencing. Participants will also be surveyed annually to determine if their collaboration and professional development plans have been producing improved student achievement. (3 credits)

**EDUC 951 – District Strategic Leadership:** This course is designed to maximize management concepts into educational context and provide an in-depth focus on decision-making in various leadership functions. The course examines models, tools, techniques, and theory of data-driven decision-making that can improve the quality of leadership decisions through case studies. Learning activities in the course will examine how decisions and strategies are developed and how tacit or explicit knowledge can be identified, captured, structured, valued, and shared for effective use. This course introduces theoretical and practical applications of data-driven decision-making and planning for educational leaders. (3 credits)

**EDUC 990 – School Leadership Capstone:** Scholarship related to school leadership will be demonstrated by the completion of a Capstone Project supported by relevant research, data, and/or documentation. The design, application, and assessment of the project are further refined and implemented in this course. Prerequisite: Educ 590. Permission required.



### **Fall/Winter 2023 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COURSES**

**EDUC 6019 – Behind the Curtain:** This course is designed to give educators a behind the scenes look as to why school districts do things certain ways. In this course we will look at funding streams and limitations/requirements, school law, court cases and analysis, professional development, basic education subsidy, policy and current trends and issues in education that affect the daily operations of the school. The laws and court cases will examine on contemporary issues with consideration given to historical perspectives, accountability issues and future trends in the American Education system. We will also examine how to reach out and engage the community to support school and district initiatives. (3 Credits)

**EDUC 6029 – Preventing Child Abuse:** This course will present and analyze the different types of child abuse. Special emphasis will be placed on the causative factors and their long-term effects. It will evaluate the criminal mind of the physical and sexual perpetrators and abusers. Finally, it will examine solutions to this ongoing societal dilemma. This course will focus on helping teachers to understand the problem and be a part of the solution in their work on the front line with children. Evidence from field work, at times graphic, will be used throughout to illustrate evidence and examples. James Marinello, King's College adjunct sociology instructor is the instructor for this course. (3 Credits)

**EDUC 6053 -Engaging Learners in Collaborative Online Learning:** Would you like to learn how to build a robust online collaborative environment to serve your students? This course will support and empower classroom teachers to harness the power of online technologies like blogs, podcasts, and wikis for student engagement and learning. Course participants will experience the web as more than a source of information, but instead as a means of constructing new knowledge through conversation, networking, and collaboration. The focus will be on currently available tools and how to effectively utilize these resources for student research, writing, collaboration, and learning. (3 credits)

**EDUC 6054-Restorative Teaching:** In this course, teachers will rejuvenate their teaching practices. We will look at current teaching practices and ways to modify and adapt them to meet the needs of the diverse learners in today's classrooms. Let's get together and rejuvenate our teaching practices! (3 credits)

**EDUC 6055 -The English Language Students Academy:** The face of the classroom is changing; however, the standards and expectations are not. In this course, we will look at how to grow the English Language Learners, through fun engaging activities, that will benefit all the students. This hands-on class will focus on strategies you can take and immediately use in your classroom. (3 credits)