

SUNY Fredonia is offering a unique, entirely online Advanced Certificate program in Educational Leadership. Graduates of the program meet the educational requirements for certification as a School Building Leader AND School District Leadership. The courses are taught by experienced school leaders who wed theory to practice. Field experiences, a unique internship structure, and opportunities to explore individual interests are core components of the program.

Admission Requirements

- Valid New York State Education Department (NYSED) teaching certification or equivalent in a core area
- Master's degree in education or related field with a minimum GPA of 3.0
- Three years of satisfactory teaching or professional experience in a PreK-12 school or its equivalent
- Evidence of completion of DASA training for New York State
- Two written recommendations, one each from the applicant's:
 - District superintendent and
 - Immediate supervisor
- A completed graduate application - fredonia.edu/apply

COURSE SEQUENCE*

SAMPLE FOR FALL START**

Semester	Course	Credits	
Fall (1)	EDUL 614	Intro to Educational Leadership***	3
	EDUL 616	School Law	3
J Term (1)	EDUL 615	Operations and Management	3
Spring (1)	EDUL 618	Instructional Leadership	3
	EDUL 619	Problem Solving	3
Summer (1)	EDUL 620	Culturally Responsive Leadership	3
Summer (2)	EDUL 630	School District Leadership	3
	EDUL 617	Personnel Leadership	3
Fall (2)	EDUL 640	Internship 1	3
Spring (2)	EDUL 641	Internship 2	3
TOTAL		30	

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* Passing of NYSED - CST in School District Leadership required before an Advanced Certificate degree awarded.

** Fall and spring admission options are available

*** EDUL 614 - Intro to Educational Leadership is also available to those who start during the spring semester. This course is a prerequisite for EDUL 617, EDUL 618, EDUL 630, EDUL 640, EDUL 641.