Teaching Excellence . . . Our Mission

Enhancing your teaching skills in

- Assessment
- Curriculum Development
- Learning Theory
- Reading/Writing
- Literature
- Technology
- Research

Penn State York Spring 2016

Graduate Courses for Educators

• New degree students must complete an online application prior to registration.
• New degree students must schedule an advising/orientation meeting with the coordinator.
• Graduate students must have a valid Penn State ID number to register for classes.
• Graduate students, who missed a semester, must be approved to continue study through the coordinator (resume study form required).

Nondegree Students

• New nondegree students must complete an online application prior to registration.
• Nondegree students may only register for modules 400 courses.
• New nondegree students must have a valid Penn State ID number to register for classes.

Course Registration

- Students may register for classes through the Penn State York Graduate Office.
- Students may register by phoning 717-771-8413, Monday-Friday.
- Students may email registrations to fcb11@psu.edu. Be sure to include your student ID number, address, and telephone number.

Upon completion of registration, students will receive an email in their Penn State email account, indicating the bill is available for review. In eLion, students will select “Bills, Tuition/Other” from the menu options. Students have the option to pay the entire balance or select the University Deferred Payment Plan. This plan allows the student to pay in three installments. There will be a $45 fee to defer payment.

Payments may be made with cash, check, or credit card at the Penn State York Bursar Office or through eLion by eCheck. Please be reminded that using a credit card to pay through eLion will incur a convenience fee. It is suggested students paying with a credit card pay through the Penn State York Bursar’s Office.

Textbooks may be purchased through the bookstore. Please check the course syllabus before purchasing any textbooks. Hours of operation vary during the academic year. Please check the website for hours of operation for bookstore.

Tuition

Questions regarding tuition rates can be directed to Penn State York at www.yk.psu.edu/bursar or 717-771-4123.

Graduate Students (per credit)

Pennsylvania Residents $805
Non-Pennsylvania Residents Contact the Bursar Office

Fees

Computer Systems Support Activity Fee Facility Fee
1-4 credits $86 $31 $38
5-8 credits $189 $75 $93
9-12+ $252 $100 $124

For additional information on any of these certificates, please contact Francine Baker
Phone: 717-771-8413 Email: fcb11@psu.edu Website: grad.york.psu.edu

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Penn State York Spring Courses

Core Courses

EDUC 504 *Curriculum Foundations (3 credits)
Study of philosophical, cultural, social, and human developmental sources and implications of the school curriculum.
Dates: 1/11-4/29
Times: WEB
Location: WEB
Instructor: Dr. Hannah Spector
Schedule #: 625356

EDUC 539 *Education Assessment (3 credits)
Web course offered through Penn State Harrisburg
Dates: 1/11-4/29
Times: WEB
Location: WEB
Instructor: Dr. Anju Jolly
Schedule #: 625345

EDUC 563 *Advanced Methods in Teaching Reading (3 credits)
Development of advanced diagnostic instructional techniques for teaching reading, with emphasis on individual and small group instruction.
Dates: Wednesdays, 1/13-4/29
Times: 5:00-7:45 p.m.
Location: 112 Pullo
Instructor: Dr. D. Beth Scott
Schedule #: 625348

EDUC 586 *Education Research and Designs (3 credits)
Focuses on methods of research in educational settings to help participants become informed consumers of the educational research literature.
Dates: Mondays, 1/11-4/29
Times: 5:40-8:15 p.m.
Location: 103 Romano
Blended Format – Students and instructor meet 1/11, 2/1, 2/29, 3/28, 4/25 and WEB
Instructor: Dr. Anju Jolly
Schedule #: 625357

EDUC 591 *Education Seminar (3 credits)
The capstone seminar course for the master of education degree requiring an appropriate scholarly term paper.
Dates: Wednesdays, 1/13-4/29
Times: 5:40-8:15 p.m.
Location: 103 Romano
Instructor: Dr. William Bugos
Schedule #: 625363 and WEB

Elective Courses

EDUC 404 *Young Children’s Behavior: Observation and Evaluation (3 credits)
Observation, recording, and evaluation of student behaviors, and the use of prescription techniques for early childhood students with special needs.
Dates: Thursdays, 1/14-4/29
Times: 5:00-7:45 p.m.
Location: 208 Main
Instructor: Sara Bradley, M.Ed.
Schedule #: 666277

EDUC 432 *Children’s Literature in Teaching Writing (3 credits)
Introduces methods for transferring writing skills and literacy devices from literature to student writing in all subject areas.
Dates: Mondays, 1/11-4/29
Times: 5:00-7:45 p.m.
Location: 207 Main
Instructor: Shari Young, M.Ed.
Schedule #: 669464

EDUC 450 *Instructional Strategies for the Student-Centered Classroom (3 credits)
This course is designed to help educators: 1) sample and react to current practices; 2) become a model of lifelong learning; 3) change from teacher-centered to student-centered instructions; 4) identify, explain, and model various teaching techniques; and 5) brainstorm together to create lessons for each teachers’ classroom that can be tested and evaluated. The instructor will model various instructional strategies, including cooperative learning, writing across the curriculum, concept teaching, and higher level thinking skills.
Dates: Tuesdays, 1/12-4/29
Times: 5:00-7:45 p.m.
Location: 208 Main
Instructor: Dr. Mary Beth Grove
Schedule #: 609649
Pennsylvania National Distinguished Principal, 2015

EDUC 466 *Foundations of Teaching English as a Second Language (3 credits)
Overview of various legal, historical, and socio-cultural implications of teaching and learning English as a Second Language.
Prerequisites: permission of the program coordinator
Schedule #: 625309

EDUC 469 *Teaching Methods and Assessment of English as a Second Language (3 credits)
Integration of theory, research, and practice about ESL curriculum, instructional methods, assessment, and literacy development.
Prerequisites: EDUC 466, 467, and permission of the program coordinator
Dates: 1/11-4/29
Schedule #: 623518
Instructor: TBD
Times: WEB
Location: WEB

EDUC 475 *ESL Leadership, Research and Advocacy (3 credits)
Teachers will develop their skills as instructional leaders and researchers by conducting school-based action research projects.
Prerequisite: EDUC 469
Dates: by appointment
Location: York
Instructor: TBD
Schedule #: 623521

Implementation Courses

EDUC 495 *Implementation (1 credit)
Dates: Mondays, 1/11, 2/25, 3/21, 4/11
Times: 7:00-7:45 p.m.
Location: 208 Main
Instructor: Karen Clifford, M.Ed.
Schedule #: 669652

EDUC 496 *Implementation (1 credit)
Dates: Wednesdays, 1/13, 2/24, 3/23, 4/13
Times: 7:00-7:45 p.m.
Location: 206 Main
Instructor: Karen Clifford, M.Ed.
Schedule #: 669655

Location or Building Key
John J. Romano Administration Building = Romano
Main Classroom Building = Main
M.S. Grumbacher Information Sciences and Technology Center = Grumbacher
Pulls Family Performing Arts Center = Pulls

Certificates
Penn State York offers a variety of certificates for educators including:
• Reading Specialist
• English as a Second Language (ESL)
• Early Childhood Directors Credential

Professional Development for Educators

For the most up-to-date course information, visit grad.york.psu.edu