

SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION WITH PRINCIPAL LICENSURE ED.S.

The Specialist in Education program is ideal for individuals who have completed a master's degree and are pursuing principal/superintendent licensure or educational advancement. Individuals enrolled in this program include professionals within education, business, and law.

Department web site (<http://www.drake.edu/sedl/principal/>)

Program Overview

The Specialist in Education with Principal Licensure is a post-masters program that prepares students for principal licensure. Developed from the Iowa Standards for School Leaders, the program enables students to become exemplary leaders within the field of education. A rich clinical experience is central to the program, with multiple hands-on experiences embedded throughout the coursework.

Program Requirements

The Specialist in Education with Principal Licensure requires 45-credit hours, consisting of two 3-credit clinical experiences.

Code	Title	Hours
EDL 270	PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL ASSESSMENT SEMINAR	3
EDL 271	LEADERSHIP AND THE PROFESSION	3
EDL 272	ORGANIZATIONAL SYSTEM BEHAVIOR	3
EDL 273	INSTRUCTION AND LEARNING	3
EDL 274	SCHOOL AND COMMUNITIES IN DIVERSE SOCIETIES	3
EDL 275	PLANNING RESEARCH MEASUREMENT EVALUATION	3
EDL 276	APPLICATION OF SCHOOL LAW, MANDATES, AND POLICIES	3
EDL 277	CURRENT ISSUES IN SPECIAL EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION	3
EDL 278	SUPERVISION OF INSTRUCTION	3
EDL 279	MANAGING SCHOOLS	3
EDL 280	CLINICAL EXPERIENCE I	3
EDL 281	CLINICAL EXPERIENCE II	3
EDL 283	LEADING COMPLEX ORGANIZATIONS	3
EDL 284	DATA ANALYTICS IN EDUCATION RESEARCH	3
Select one of the following:		3
EDL 285	ETHICS AND SOCIAL JUSTICE	
EDL 286	TRANSFORMATIONAL SYST LEAD	
Total Hours		45

Admission

- Applications are reviewed on an on-going basis; therefore, it is requested that all materials be submitted approximately 8 weeks prior to the beginning of the intended start-term.

- Upon the receipt of transcripts, an advisor will complete a transcript evaluation in order to determine any credit or course substitutions/transfers.
- Begin the application process on the School of Education's admission page. Questions regarding the application process can be forwarded to the Coordinator of Graduate Admission at soegradadmission@drake.edu or 515-271-2552.
- PLEASE NOTE: This program requires the submission of three professional letters of recommendation, including one from an immediate supervisor and a second one from an administrator who can speak to the candidate's potential for effective building-level leadership