

# EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY: PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR (MSPE), MS

## REQUIREMENTS

### MINIMUM GRADUATE SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS

Review the Graduate School minimum academic progress and degree requirements (<http://guide.wisc.edu/graduate/#policiesandrequirements>), in addition to the program requirements listed below.

### NAMED OPTION REQUIREMENTS MODE OF INSTRUCTION

Face to Face	Evening/ Weekend	Online	Hybrid	Accelerated
No	No	Yes	No	No

#### Mode of Instruction Definitions

**Accelerated:** Accelerated programs are offered at a fast pace that condenses the time to completion. Students typically take enough credits aimed at completing the program in a year or two.

**Evening/Weekend:** Courses meet on the UW–Madison campus only in evenings and/or on weekends to accommodate typical business schedules. Students have the advantages of face-to-face courses with the flexibility to keep work and other life commitments.

**Face-to-Face:** Courses typically meet during weekdays on the UW–Madison Campus.

**Hybrid:** These programs combine face-to-face and online learning formats. Contact the program for more specific information.

**Online:** These programs are offered 100% online. Some programs may require an on-campus orientation or residency experience, but the courses will be facilitated in an online format.

### CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS

#### Requirement Detail

Minimum  
Credit  
Requirement

Minimum  
Residence  
Credit  
Requirement

Minimum  
Graduate  
Coursework  
Requirement

15 credits must be graduate-level coursework. Refer to the Graduate School: Minimum Graduate Coursework (50%) Requirement policy: <https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1244> (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1244/>).

Overall  
Graduate  
GPA  
Requirement

3.00 GPA required. Refer to the Graduate School: Grade Point Average (GPA) Requirement policy: <https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1203> (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1203/>).

Other Grade  
Requirements

n/a

Assessments  
and  
Examinations

None.

Language  
Requirements

None.

### REQUIRED COURSES

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Year 1, Summer Term</b>		
CURRIC 731	Collaborative Teamwork for Inclusive School Reform	3
ED PSYCH 752	Engaging with Education Research	3
<b>Year 1, Fall Term</b>		
ED PSYCH 501	Thinking and Learning	3
ED PSYCH 640	Foundations of Instructional Coaching	3
<b>Year 1, Spring Term</b>		
ED PSYCH 642	Assessment Analysis and Instructional Decision-Making	3
ED PSYCH 711	Current Topics in Educational Psychology	1
<b>Year 2, Summer Term</b>		
ED PSYCH 633	Supporting Students' Social/Emotional Well-being	3
ELPA 640	Legal Rights and Responsibilities for Teachers	3
<b>Year 2, Fall Term</b>		
ED PSYCH 791	Master of Science for Professional Educators Capstone	4
<b>Year 2, Spring Term</b>		
ED PSYCH 643	Practicum for Instructional Coaching	2
ED PSYCH 745	Designing and Managing the Learning Environment	2
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>30</b>

Students in this program may not take courses outside the prescribed curriculum without faculty advisor and program director approval. Students in this program cannot enroll concurrently in other undergraduate or graduate degree programs.