

Secondary Education, MEd, Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages Emphasis

The M.Ed. program with emphasis in **Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)** is designed to meet the need for teachers who can apply knowledge about language learning to their culturally and linguistically diverse classrooms. This program meets the requirements for a Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education Teaching endorsement in English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL).

Required Core

Students are required to complete the following courses within the first 15 hours of study:

TCH ED 6010	Examining History, Community and Social Justice in Education	3
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TCH ED 6020	Teacher Action, Advocacy and Leadership	3
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ED PSY 6030	Instruction, Learning and Assessment	3
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TESOL Core

TCH ED 6210	Foundations of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages	3
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TCH ED 6220	Principles of Second/Foreign Language Acquisition	3
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TCH ED 6230	Cross-Cultural Communication in the Classroom	3
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TCH ED 6240	Assessment for Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages	3
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TCH ED 6250	Methods and Materials for Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages	3
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TCH ED 6260	Practicum in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages	3
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Required Research Courses

These two research courses should be taken in sequence (not concurrently) at the end of the program. Candidates will design and execute a piece of original practitioner research and present their findings in a public forum.

TCH ED 6909	Teacher Action Research I (Take semester prior to Teacher Action Research Capstone, TCH ED 6910.)	3
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Action Research Capstone Course

TCH ED 6910	Teacher Action Research Capstone ⁺	3
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Total Hours	33 12
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⁺ ~~This course is not offered in summer sessions.~~

In addition to the Required Core (12 hours), Candidates seeking an emphasis in TESOL are required to complete the following coursework (18 hours), a program total of 30 hours.

TESOL Core

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TCH ED 6230	Cross-Cultural Communication in the Classroom	3
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TCH ED 6260	Practicum in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages	3
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Total Hours	18
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Rationale

The required core courses have changed for the College of Education. We have removed (Tch Ed 6020) a course that is no longer part of that requirement. The program will now be a total of 30 credit hours. Updates were also made to the footnote, which is no longer applicable.