Graduate Certificate  
K-12 Teacher Leader

Degree Program
• A 15-credit-hour program available in both an online and hybrid format that can be completed in as little as 12 months. You may apply earned credit hours from this program toward a master’s degree in K-12 Administration and/or Curriculum and Instruction. This program was designed to develop leadership skills in teachers who fill the many leadership roles within schools and districts and allows you to garner skills to develop or enhance instructional coaching.

Program Website
https://coe.umsl.edu/mycoe/p2_pe/viewProgram/program_id/GC.K12TchLeader

Application Requirements
1. Graduate School Application
   a. http://umsl.edu/go/Apply-Now
2. Statement of Purpose
   a. Description of individual goals and areas of interest.
3. Transcripts
   a. Official transcripts for all prior higher education institutions.
   b. By the time of enrollment, prospective students must have obtained a baccalaureate degree or the equivalent from an accredited college or university.
   c. International applicants are required to document English proficiency by providing scores from an internationally accepted standardized examination before a decision is made on admission.
4. Grade Point Average
   a. Minimum of 3.0 on 4.0 scale

Application Deadline
Applications are processed as they are submitted. However, applications that are not received by the posted date may delay admission until the following semester.
• Fall term – July 1
• Spring term – December 1
• Summer term – May 1

Application Fee
$50 for domestic applicants; $40 for international applicants

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