

**Master of Education Reading Specialist Program  
Program of Study**

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Employer _____	Number of Years Teaching _____
Candidate signature _____	Date of first course _____
Advisor signature _____	Date of Completion of program _____
Date _____	
M.Ed. Director _____	Eligible for transcript notation _____

**Checklist of Courses**

DATE	COURSE	CREDITS	GRADE
_____	<b>REED 500, Research in Reading Education</b>	<b>3</b>	_____
_____	<b>REED 515, Written and Oral Language</b>	<b>3</b>	_____
_____	<b>REED 516, Foundations of Reading, Elementary</b>	<b>3</b>	_____
_____	<b>REED 517, Foundations of Reading, Secondary</b>	<b>3</b>	_____
_____	<b>REED 518, Diversity and Literacy</b>	<b>3</b>	_____
_____	<b>REED 520, Literature for Children and Adolescents</b>	<b>3</b>	_____
_____	<b>REED 610, Assessment of Literacy Development</b> (pre-requisites: REED 500, 515, 516, 517, 518)	<b>3</b>	_____
_____	<b>REED 611, Clinical Practicum I</b> (pre-requisite: REED 610)	<b>3</b>	_____
_____	<b>REED 612, Clinical Practicum II</b> (pre-requisite: REED 611)	<b>3</b>	_____
_____	<b>REED 614, Leadership for Reading Programs</b> (pre-requisite: REED 612)	<b>3</b>	_____
_____	<b>REED 620, Research Seminar in Reading</b> (pre-requisite: 27 credits in program)	<b>3</b>	_____
<b>Total credits</b>		_____	<b>GPA</b> _____
		<b>33</b>	

All work toward the Master of Education Reading Specialist Program must be completed within seven (7) calendar years from the end of the semester or summer term in which such work began. Candidates must maintain a Grade Point Average of 3.0. No more than 6 credits of C or C+ will be accepted for credit toward the program.

The Master of Education Reading Specialist Program is a Maryland State Department of Education Approved Program for Advanced Certification as a Reading Specialist. Satisfactory completion of this program and twenty-seven months of satisfactory teaching experience are required for eligibility for Maryland Reading Specialist Certification. Certification regulations may be changed by the State of Maryland. The program is nationally recognized by the International Reading Association and the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education.