LITERACY IN POST-SECONDARY SETTINGS, CERTIFICATE (0462)

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The Literacy in Post-Secondary Settings Certificate provides graduate students with essential skills and instructional strategies to provide support for literacy learners and aligns with the Senate Bill 1 (2009) mandate for P-20 alignment of the Kentucky Core Academic Standards for English/Language Arts. This 18 credit-hour certificate is appropriate for, but not limited to, instructors at community colleges, technical schools, and adult education institutions. Courses within the Literacy in Post-Secondary Settings Certificate are not appropriate for certified teachers and do not count toward the MAE-Literacy Education degree program.

Program Admission

Persons applying to the Literacy in Post-Secondary Settings Certificate must be admitted to Graduate Studies, and submit an application, two letters of recommendation, and statement of professional goals. For applicants from non-English speaking countries a minimum TOEFL paper score of 550, or a score of 79 on the internet based test, is required.

Graduate School Admission

Please refer to the admission section (http://catalog.wku.edu/graduate/admission/) of this catalog for Graduate School admission requirements.

Program Requirements (18 hours)

Code	Title	Hours
Required Courses		
LTCY 500	Fundamentals of Reading and	3
	Related Language Arts	
LTCY 501	Reading and Writing for Learning	3
LTCY 502	Differentiating Literacy Instruction	3
LTCY 503	Assessment and Evaluation of	3
	Reading and Writing	
LTCY 504	Strategy-Based Reading and Writing	3
	Intervention	
LTCY 505	Job-Embedded Literacy Methods	3
Total Hours		18