

**Educational Leadership and Policy Masters of Education (Teacher Leadership)
with Secondary Licensure** Supplemental Information Packet

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Students seeking teacher licensure through the Urban Institute of Education (UITE) AND a **Master's in Teacher Leadership** will need to register for **three content courses (9 additional credit hours) and a final semester K12 Practicum (3 credit hours)** in the Department of Educational Leadership & Policy to complete requirements for the **MED in Teacher Leadership**.

Teacher Licensure Hours: (see the Secondary Licensure Program w/MED packet for details)

Additional Course Options for Teacher Leadership MED

Teacher Leadership MED Course Requirements (w/Urban Institute for Teacher Education)

ELP 6230 Ethics, Law, and Policy is a required course in the secondary licensure program. Students seeking a MED in Teacher Leadership will need to take an additional 3 courses (9 credit hours) from the courses listed below.

choose any 3 of the course options below:

ELP 6130 Professional Learning Communities (3)	Fall Semester
ELP 6320 Instructional Coaching (3)	Fall Semester
ELP 6310 Leadership in Assessment and Instructional Design (3)	Spring Semester
ELP 6010 Evidence Based Decision Making (3)	Spring Semester
ELP 6411 Legal and Policy Foundations of Special Education (3)	Summer Semester
ELP 6200 Adult Learning Theory for Educators (3)	Summer Semester

****ELP 6710 K12 Practicum** (required for graduation)

Summer, Fall, or Spring Semesters

All students in the Teacher Leadership MED program will complete a final project in their last semester practicum course (ELP6710). The final project will provide students with an opportunity to demonstrate the knowledge, skills, and competencies developed throughout the program.

ELP APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Educational Leadership & Policy

Application Deadlines:

November 1, March 1, July 1

www.ed.utah.edu/elp

Urban Institute for Teacher Education

Application Deadline: FEB 1ST

www.ed.utah.edu/uite

Prospective graduate students apply for admission through the University of Utah Apply Yourself (AY) online application system at <https://app.applyyourself.com/?id=utahgrad> or through the AY Link on the ELP department website at <http://elp.utah.edu/>

NOTE: We do not require a GRE test score for admissions.

IMPORTANT: Under the Program Information section on the AY application, first choose your program of interest, which is Educational Leadership & Policy MEd. Then choose your area of emphasis ***Teacher Leadership***.

In addition to all requested information on the AY online application, you will need to upload the following:

- **Resume** that includes educational and any leadership experience.
- **Statement of Intent** that addresses the following: *What are your educational goals, and what is the role of this program in helping you achieve them? What further contributions do you expect to make to the field of education after completing this program?* Please limit your response to 250 words or less.
- **Writing Sample.** *The Educational Leadership and Policy Department places a strong emphasis on school improvement and educational equity. Explain how you envision your role as an educator within school improvement; and how you would address issues of access, equity, and diversity for students.* Please limit your response to 500 words or less.
- **Letters of Recommendation.** *Letters will need to be from those that can speak to your potential in teacher leadership.* You may choose to use the same letters of recommendation for both the UITE and ELP application.

Although not required, it is recommended that potential applicants schedule an appointment with the K12 Program Director to review application and admission procedures.

If you have questions or concerns at any time please contact our Academic Coordinator, Marilynn Howard, at 801-581-6714 or marilynn.howard@utah.edu.