

# CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION, M.S.

## Transfer of Credits

Up to six (6) units of approved post-baccalaureate coursework aligned with the course of study below, and unused for a previous Master's degree, may be transferred from other institutions toward this degree. Candidates desiring to transfer coursework must petition this through their advisor during the first semester of enrollment.

The Master of Science degrees are considered advanced degrees beyond preliminary teacher credential coursework, signified by GED/GEL course numbers. Prior coursework taken toward a preliminary teaching credential cannot be used as credit toward a PLNU Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction degree.

## Required Courses

| Code                     | Title  | Units     |
|--------------------------|--|-----------|
| <b>Core Courses</b>      |  |           |
| GED 6016                 | Curriculum Development, Innovation, and Evaluation                           | 3         |
| GED 6029                 | Using Technology to Enhance Teaching and Learning                            | 3         |
| GED 6041                 | Culturally Inclusive Environments: Instruction and Advocacy                  | 3         |
| GED 6068                 | Advanced Practice for English Learners                                       | 3         |
| GED 6072                 | Philosophy in Education  | 3         |
| GED 6075                 | Family Systems   | 3         |
| GED 6081                 | Educational Measurement and Evaluation                                       | 3         |
| GED 6096                 | Advanced Research-Based Literacy Instruction for All Students                | 3         |
| GED 6097                 | Advanced Literacy Assessment, Instruction, and Intervention for All Students | 3         |
| GEL 6004                 | Equitable and Socially Just School Communities                               | 3         |
| <b>Finishing Courses</b> |  |           |
| GED 6098                 | Master of Science Thesis Design  | 3         |
| GED 6099                 | Master of Science Thesis   | 3         |
| <b>Total Units</b>       |  | <b>36</b> |

## Certification Options

- Reading and Literacy Added Authorization (<https://pointloma-public.courseleaf.com/grad-catalog/colleges-schools-departments/soe/grad-education/reading-literacy-added-authorization/>)