

# LITERACY RESEARCH, THEORY, AND PEDAGOGY CERTIFICATE

The Certificate in Literacy Research, Theory, and Pedagogy provides educators with the expertise to address issues related to the teaching and learning of literacy at local, state and national levels.

*NOTE: This certificate is not a credential for teacher certification/licensure.*

## Admissions

In addition to the minimum Graduate School admission requirements, to be considered for admission an applicant must have a Master's degree in education (or a related field) or be enrolled in a doctoral program at The University of Alabama. The application must also include:

- A Statement of Purpose focusing on the student's goals in pursuing a Literacy Education Certificate.
- A writing sample submitted directly to the department for faculty consideration when the faculty review the Graduate School certificate program application.

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See the Admission Criteria section of this catalog for more information.

## Curricular Requirements

Code and Title	Hours
<b>Select 12 hours from the following:</b>	<b>12</b>
CSE 690 Advanced Seminar	
CEE 690 Advanced Seminar	
CRD 690 Advanced Seminar Crd	
CIE 627 Second Language Literacy	
CIE 606 New Literacies	
CIE 609 Discourse & Pedagogy	
CRD 653 Literacy Foundations P-12	
Choose ONE of the following electives	<b>3</b>
CIE 610 Effective Teaching	
CIE 620 Design Res Classrm Teach	
CIE 640 Sem Teachr Educ Program	
CIE 645 Prof Cont: Tchng & Lrning Com	
CIE 660 Cognitive Perspectives	
CIE 670 Critical Inquiry Curric Pedago	
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

*Coursework from this certificate program cannot be used to meet requirements for any other academic program.*

## Transfer Credit

Transfer credit will not be accepted toward this certificate

Graduate School information on Transfer Credit.

## Time Limit for Certificate Completion

Coursework must be completed in six (6) years.

Graduate School information on Time Limits.

## Academic Misconduct Information

Graduate School information on Academic Misconduct.

## Withdrawals and Leave of Absence Information

Graduate School information on Withdrawals and Leave of Absence.

## Academic Grievances Information

Graduate School information on Academic Grievances.

## Grades and Academic Standing

Graduate School information on Grades and Academic Standing.