

Evergreen Offers New Reading Endorsement



Evergreen's Master in Teaching Program is happy to announce that Washington's Professional Educator Standards Board has approved a new reading endorsement program at The Evergreen State College. The five courses in the sequence will be offered over two summer quarters. We are in our second summer!

Foundations of Literacy and *Research in Literacy* will be offered one summer, *Instructional Methods* and *Assessment in Reading* the next summer and then repeated. The courses need not be taken in order so you can start either summer. *Children's Literature* and *Adolescent Literature* are offered every summer; participants will need to choose one or the other as part of the five course sequence.

At the conclusion of the sequence, teachers and candidates in teacher preparation programs must take and pass the Reading WEST E, a state-required standardized test, and apply to have the endorsement added to their teaching certificates.

The classes are also open to paraprofessionals, people interested in becoming teachers, and individuals interested in the development and teaching of reading.

Please submit the attached application form to:

Maggie Foran
Advising and Certification
The Evergreen State College
2700 Evergreen Parkway NW, S2-E2117
Olympia, WA 98505



If you have questions or for additional information call 360-867-6559. Summer class schedules and registration procedures will be posted on Evergreen's Web site (www.evergreen.edu) in the spring.

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Reading Endorsement Strand

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Course Title	Credits
Foundations of Literacy - Summer 2011	4
Research in Literacy - Summer 2011	4
Instructional Methods - Summer 2010	4
Assessment in Reading - Summer 2010	4
Children's Literature <i>or</i> Adolescent Literature - both courses offered every Summer, 2010 and 2011	4
TOTAL CREDITS	20

Receiving an endorsement from the State of Washington also requires the student achieve a passing score on the appropriate WEST-E examination.

The Evergreen State College
Endorsement Application/Information Sheet

Which endorsement are you pursuing?

☐ SPED ☐ Reading ☐ Math/ML Math ☐ ELL ☐ Other: _____

☐ Pathway 2 (Pedagogy Assessment Observations) or ☐ Pathway 3 (coursework)

General Information:

Name: _____ Former Name: _____

Previous Evergreen Student? ___ Yes ___ No TESC ID# _____ DOB: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Work Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

Please fill out the following if you are a certified teacher, in a teacher certification program, or planning to enter a teacher certification program. Please also attach a copy of your teaching certificate (if applicable) and your resume.

Washington State Teacher Certificate

Number: _____ Endorsements: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Educational Experience:

BACHELOR DEGREE

Institution: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Degree Earned: _____ Major: _____ Date Earned: _____

GRADUATE DEGREE

Institution: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Degree Earned: _____ Specialization: _____ Date Earned: _____

Employment History:

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

School District: _____ School: _____ Employment Dates: _____

Phone Number: _____ Grade Level: _____ Subjects: _____

PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT

School District: _____ School: _____ Employment Dates: _____

Phone Number: _____ Grade Level: _____ Subjects: _____

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