LONGWOOD
GRADUATE STUDIES

Master of Science in Education

Concentration in Educational Leadership

WOULD YOU LEAD?



Joan of Arc at Longwood

HYBRID MODEL DESIGNED FOR WORKING PROFESSIONALS

FOCUS ON OPPORTUNITY AND ACCESS

INTENSIVE LEADERSHIP TRAINING

APPLICATION DEADLINES— Early Decision: May 1st | Standard: June 1st

Missed the deadline? We will accept applications until the program is full. Email us at graduate@longwood.edu.

EARNING YOUR ENDORSEMENT

Earn your Administration and Supervision PreK-12 Endorsement - Upon successful completion of program coursework, passing scores on the School Leaders Licensure Assessment (SLLA), and fulfillment of Virginia Department of Education's three-year teaching requirement, candidates will be prepared and endorsed to serve as educational leaders in today's schools and school divisions.

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

Designed for teachers who hold a valid Virginia Collegiate Professional License or equivalent from another state and wish to pursue a career in school administration. Students are prepared for administrative, supervisory, and leadership roles in today's public and private schools, school divisions, and educational organizations.



This five-semester, hybrid master's program is designed with the working professional in mind, providing students with real-world, authentic learning in educational leadership. Through the program, you will learn to:

- **Drive meaningful change by expanding opportunities in your school community**
- **Lead with impact through immersive, real-world learning experiences**
- **Cultivate a professional network, strengthening your footprint in education**



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- ✓ **Official bachelor's degree transcripts** from an accredited college or university and all transcripts for subsequent coursework.
- ✓ **2.75 undergrad GPA*** (on 4.0 scale)
  **Options available if you do not meet this requirement*
- ✓ **Personal Essay (500 words or less)**
  Why do you seek graduate education?
- ✓ **Two Recommendations** - one from a supervisor
- ✓ **Valid Virginia Teaching License** or equivalent from another state
- ✓ **Resume**
- ✓ **$40 application fee**

CAPSTONE

Capstone research provides candidates with authentic experiences in both conducting and consuming research related to the field of educational leadership.

Candidates identify, explore, and present unique research to showcase their learning of trends, challenges, and issues. They will **promote opportunity and access for the students, staff, and communities that they serve.**

TUITION & FEES

Based on current tuition rates, tuition costs $460 per credit hour* in-state and $470 per credit hour out-of-state*. These costs do not include textbooks. Financial aid, graduate assistantships, and monthly payment plans are available. For questions about cost and the application process, contact Longwood Graduate Studies at graduate@longwood.edu.

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