

# School Librarianship Graduate Program

**TRACK 1: LICENSED TEACHERS - 36 CREDITS**  
**TRACK 2: INITIAL LICENSURE - 39 CREDITS**  
**ENDORSEMENT ONLY - 27 CREDITS**

## COURSE SEQUENCE

<b>SUMMER '24</b>	<b>SLIB 500:</b> Foundations of School Librarianship (3) - <i>Meets four Saturdays</i>
<b>FALL '24</b>	<b>SLIB 520/521:</b> Library Resources for Children/Workshop (3) - <i>Meets three Saturdays</i>
<b>SPRING '25</b>	<b>SLIB 510:</b> Collection Development (3) - <i>Meets four Saturdays</i>
<b>SUMMER '25</b>	<b>SLIB 620/621:</b> Instructional Design and Assessment for School Librarians/Workshop (3) - <i>Meets two Saturdays</i> <b>SLIB 560:</b> Information Sources and Services (3) - <i>Fully online</i>
<b>FALL '25</b>	<b>SLIB 630:</b> Organization of Information (3) - <i>Meets four Saturdays</i>
<b>SPRING '26</b>	<b>SLIB 670/671:</b> Administration of School Libraries/Workshop (3) - <i>Meets three Saturdays</i> <b>SLIB 693*:</b> Culminating Experience in School Libraries (3) - <i>Fully online</i> <i>One day on campus to present the Professional Portfolio</i> <small>*For students who are licensed teachers in either the endorsement or Track 1</small>
<b>SUMMER '26</b>	<b>SLIB 530/531:</b> Library Resources for Young Adults/Workshop (3) - <i>Meets three Saturdays</i>

### Students seeking a Master of Education (Track 1) will continue to complete the following:

<b>FALL '26</b>	<b>SLIB 600:</b> Emerging Trends in School Librarianship (3) - <i>Fully online</i>
<b>SPRING '27</b>	<b>SLIB 680:</b> Research Methodology for School Librarians (3) - <i>Meets five Saturdays</i>
<b>ANYTIME</b>	<b>Choose One Elective: SLIB 595; SLIB 605; SLIB 610; SLIB 685; SLIB 695 (3)</b> <small>* Check with your advisor for more details</small>

### Students seeking a Master of Education (Track 2) will continue to complete the following:

<b>FALL '26</b>	<b>SLIB 600:</b> Emerging Trends in School Librarianship (3) - <i>Fully online</i>
<b>SPRING '27</b>	<b>SLIB 680:</b> Research Methodology for School Librarians (3) - <i>Meets five Saturdays</i>
<b>FALL '27</b>	<b>SLIB 689*:</b> Supervised Experience in School Libraries (5) <b>SLIB 691:</b> Professional Portfolio (1)

- You must complete three 1-credit courses (SLIB 571, 572, 573) that will be scheduled throughout your program in consultation with your program advisor.
- VDOE requires four additional courses for licensure. Please consult with your program advisor regarding completion of these courses: Foundations of Education, Human Development & Learning, Classroom & Behavior Management, and Literacy in the Content Areas

### Additional Program Requirements

All students are required to attend at least one full day of a VAASL conference or an approved national school library conference while enrolled in the SLIB program.

All students are required to complete at least seven hours in a school library during each core course in the program.



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## HELPFUL WEB LINKS

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Master of Education in School Librarianship (36/39 credit hours)  
Professional Endorsement in School Librarianship (27 credit hours)  
<http://www.longwood.edu/schoollibrarianship>

College of Graduate and Professional Studies  
<http://www.longwood.edu/graduatestudies/>

Office of Cashiering & Student Accounts  
<http://www.longwood.edu/studentaccounts/tuitionfees.htm>

Graduate Student Monthly Payment Plan  
<http://www.longwood.edu/studentaccounts/billing-payments/monthly-payment-plan/graduate-payment-plan/>

Financial Aid  
<http://www.longwood.edu/financialaid/>

Registrar's Office  
<http://www.longwood.edu/registrar/>

Virginia Association of School Librarians  
<http://vaasl.org>

## PROGRAM ADVISORS

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### **Licensed Teacher (Track 1) and Professional Endorsement**

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