



Master of Education in Education Technology Leadership (502)

Northwestern State University Online

***teacher certification needed for admission**

The Master of Education in Educational Technology Leadership provides advanced preparation for specialists in technology education, management, and teacher staff development training. The program is aligned with the standards established by ISTE and NCATE for technology leaders and facilitators. This degree leads to the Louisiana State Department of Education's requirements for add-on certification for Education Technology Leader and Education Technology Facilitator. If you are a candidate but reside in another state, check with your certification office.

The requirements for the M.Ed. in Educational Technology Leadership include 36 semester hours as follows:

- A. Core Courses (12 hours) EDCI 5020 and 5030, EDUC 5010 and 5850
- B. Content Area (24 hours) ETEC 5700, 5710, 5740, 5760, 5770, 5780, 5790, 6010

Curriculum and Instruction Courses (EDCI)

- 5020 Curriculum Development for School Improvement
- 5030 Instructional Improvement and Assessment

Education Courses (EDUC)

- 5010 Educational Research and Evaluation
- 5850 Action Research for School Improvement

Educational Technology Courses (ETEC)

- 5700 Technology Leadership in Schools
- 5710 Professional Development for K-12 Technology Integration
- 5740 Educational Telecommunications, Networks and Internet for the Classroom Teacher
- 5760 Design and Development of Multimedia Instructional Units
- 5770 Advanced Telecommunications and Distance Education
- 5780 Technology Planning and Administration
- 5790 Educational Technology Research, Evaluation and Assessment
- 6010 Practicum in Restructuring Education through Technology

Suggested Course Rotation:

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| Semester 1...ETEC 5700, 5770 | Semester 4...ETEC 5710, EDUC 5010 |
| Semester 2...ETEC 5740, EDCI 5020 | Semester 5...ETEC 5780, ETEC 6010 |
| Semester 3...ETEC 5760, EDUC 5030 | Semester 6...ETEC 5790, EDUC 5850 |

State of Louisiana Add-On Certifications:

- Educational Technology Facilitator (9 hours) = ETEC 5700, 5740, and 5760
- Educational Technology Leader (21 hours & a M.Ed.) = ETEC 5700, 5710, 5740, 5760, 5770, 5780, and 5790

For Additional Information Contact:

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Add-On Certification in Educational Technology

Educational Technology Facilitator*

1. Valid Type B or Level 2 Louisiana teaching certificate.
2. 9 semester hours in designated graduate educational technology courses including:

NSU Course	Course Name
ETEC 5700 (3)	Technology Leadership in Schools
ETEC 5740 (3)	Educational Telecommunications, Networks & the internet
ETEC 5760 (3)	Design & Development of Multimedia Instructional Units

Educational Technology Leader*

1. Valid Type A or Level 3 Louisiana teaching certificate.
2. Master of Education plus 21 hours of designated graduate educational technology courses including:

NSU Course	Course Name
ETEC 5700 (3)	Technology Leadership in Schools
ETEC 5710 (3)	Professional Development for K-12 Technology Integration
ETEC 5740 (3)	Educational Telecommunications, Networks & the Internet
ETEC 5760 (3)	Design & Development of Multimedia Instructional Units
ETEC 5770 (3)	Advanced Telecommunications and Distance Education
ETEC 5780 (3)	Technology Planning and Administration
ETEC 5790 (3)	Educational Technology Research, Evaluation and Assessment

* The M.Ed. in Educational Technology Leadership at Northwestern State University qualifies the candidate for both the Educational Technology Facilitator and Educational Technology Leader Add-on certifications.

Computer Literacy

1. A valid Type A, B, C or Level 1, 2, or 3 Louisiana teaching certificate.
2. A minimum of 9 semester hours in designated graduate educational technology courses including:

NSU Course	Course Name
ETEC 4810 or 5610	Introduction of Computers for the Classroom Teacher
ETEC 4820 or 5620	Evaluation and Application of Technology Use for the Classroom Teacher
ETEC 4830 or 5630	Multimedia Programming for the Classroom Teacher

CERTIFICATION

This degree may lead to add-on certification in the State of Louisiana. Out of state requirements are different.

ACCREDITATION

Northwestern State University is accredited by the Commission of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia, Telephone number 404-679-4501) to award associate, baccalaureate, master's, and specialist's degrees.

Northwestern's College of Education and Human Development has been continuously accredited by the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) since its initial accreditation in 1954. The College must include in its accreditation review all initial and advanced programs that prepare teachers and other school professionals to work in preschool through 12th grade settings. NCATE uses six standards to holistically evaluate Northwestern's professional education unit. Additionally, each initial and advanced program must meet professional standards and be nationally recognized.

Through the process, NCATE assures the public that graduates of accredited institutions have acquired the knowledge, skills, and dispositions to help all P-12 students learn and/or to create supportive environments for student learning.

Advanced programs for preparing the professoriate or non-school personnel are not within NCATE's scope of authority.

Educational Technology M.Ed. degree is also accredited by ISTE.

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