



Middle Childhood Extension (Gr. 5-6) Advanced Certificate Program

This program is designed for teachers who hold New York State certification in one of the academic content areas grades 7-12 and who seek an extension to teach that subject in grades 5-6.

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

- Possess a bachelor's degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university that meets New York State's requirements for a general education core in liberal arts and sciences
- New York State initial or professional certification in one of the following academic content areas, Grades 7-12: Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, English, Foreign Language, Mathematics, Physics, or Social Studies
- Candidates holding provisional or permanent certification must submit passing scores on the Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST), the Assessment of Teaching Skills-Written (ATS-W), and the Content Specialty Test (CST) in their subject area

CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

- Candidates must consult with an adviser in their subject area before starting their certificate program

CURRICULUM

The 6-credit certificate curriculum consists of two instructional areas:

Introduction to Middle School (3 credits)		Credits
ESC 711	Perspectives on Middle School Education	3
Curriculum and Instruction (3 credits)		Credits
ESC 509	Instructional Practices Across the Middle School Curriculum	3

Questions about the program?

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Questions about admissions?

The Office of Graduate Admissions
<http://www.lehman.edu/admissions>