Master of Education – Preparing Excellent Educators in the Classroom and Beyond

UC offers an exciting selection of programs to you as you pursue your online Master of Education.

It takes a special individual to dedicate oneself to ensuring that our children are empowered to learn and thrive in today's society. Your willingness to promote positive change in your school and advocate for the student experience has led you here.

The University of Cincinnati Master of Education degree programs, graduate certificates, and continuing education courses are designed to prepare teachers like you who are interested in planning, developing, implementing, and evaluating instructional programs in K-12 settings. You'll be exposed to the processes of teaching and learning that drive student-centered decision-making and will learn to adapt your instructional strategies to meet the needs of all students. Additionally, these programs support your passion to enhance the lives of all individuals through education and community awareness.

- Regionally and NCATE* accredited
- Choose from convenient start dates
- 45-54 quarter credits—graduate in as few as two years
- Completely online—no campus visits
- Instantly apply what you've learned to your own classroom
- Balanced curriculum through hands-on collaboration and peer interaction

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*National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) 2010 Massachusetts Ave NW Suite 500 Washington, DC 20036 www.ncate.org or (202) 466-7496

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On her readiness to pursue an assistant principal position, “I am ready and confident because of the knowledge I got from the Educational Leadership program.”
– Megan Ketter, 8th Grade Science Teacher & UC Graduate

“I am very proud to be a graduate of this program as well as a part of it today. I feel that the students are too, they learn how to strategically plan ahead and leave with a sense of feeling prepared.”
– Lori Stovall, UC Facilitator & Graduate

“The support I received wasn’t insurmountable.”
– Katie Eckles, Intervention Specialist & UC Graduate

“The program has opened my eyes on how to interact with colleagues by ensuring professionalism and having open lines of communication. It’s taught me a new outlook on being a leader.”
– Karen Headley, 8th Grade Math Teacher & UC Student

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The UC Difference

Since its founding in 1819, the University of Cincinnati has been the source of many discoveries creating positive change for society, including co-op education, the polo vaccine, the first electronic organ, and the first antihistamine. Each year, this urban, public research university graduates over 5,000 students adding more than 200,000 living alumni around the world.

• Outstanding faculty and research
• Perpetually-updated curriculum
• Outstanding program accreditation
• Competitive tuition
• A blend of academic excellence and real world experience

Quality in an Accredited MEd Program

The University of Cincinnati is regionally accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association®. Additionally, all Master of Education programs offered by UC meet the rigorous accreditation standards of the State of Ohio and National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE®).

Top Rankings

• Top 100 public universities (U.S. News & World Report college rankings, 2018)
• Top 50 research libraries (Association of Research Libraries)
• Ranked 62nd among the Top 100 “Best Values” in higher education (Money Magazine)
• Rated one of the best 371 colleges (Princeton Review, 2020)
• Best in the Midwest top school (Princeton Review, 2020)
• UC’s School of Education ranks in the top 75 of best educational schools (U.S. News & World Report college rankings, 2018)

We Offer Unparalleled Support

The University of Cincinnati’s distance learning programs were created with working professionals in mind. Student support is our top priority. We offer seven levels of academic, technical, and administrative support:

Your Enrollment Advisor…
Is assigned to assist, answer questions, and guide you through the admission process. Their goal is to make it easy for you.

Your Program Manager…
Is with you every step of the way through graduation. They help you register for classes, prepare for online learning, and find solutions on any issue.

Your Faculty…
Constantly update their curriculum to stay on the leading edge of an ever-changing field. Their expertise will give you the confidence to be a leader in your classroom and beyond.

Your Facilitator…
Guides you through course assignments, course learning objectives, and exams.

Your Peer Groups…
Provide perspectives from all over the country. Every fellow student will help to shape your learning experience and many will leave a lasting impression on your life.

Your Helpdesk…
Is available seven days a week to answer technical questions.

Your Online Learning Environment…
Is called Blackboard, and is one of the most advanced pieces of technology available for distance education. The web-based platform can be accessed anywhere and connects you immediately to course materials, discussion boards, lectures, assignments, and exams.

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The UC faculty has developed innovative curricula that covers the most advanced theories and techniques to be integrated in teaching today. Their expertise will give you the confidence to be a leader in your classroom and beyond.

Learn Together

As a UC student you will learn along with a small group of your peers by a faculty member. The learning community will interact with you through online communication tools such as discussions, weekly chat sessions, and email. The online community enables you to work with a variety of teaching professionals in locations throughout the country.

Integrate Education and the Workplace

As you advance through the program, you will be able to apply your growing educational knowledge to your own teaching style while integrating any current classroom projects into your course work.

Exceptional Faculty

The educational faculty at UC shares a philosophy to prepare virtually all the teachers with understanding educational research and leverage that research to improve the effectiveness of their teaching practices by incorporating the latest teaching environments that students. As teachers themselves, they know the power educators have to transform greatness in all their students and help create a transformation that offers you a top-ranked education.

No Required Campus Visits

An important benefit of distance learning is that you can complete the Master of Education program without a required campus visit. This makes it easier for you to earn your degree without having to take time away from your work and family commitments.

We encourage you to attend graduation with your class.

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