

# Program Map

## EdD in Curriculum and Instruction (P-12 Disciplinary)

Department of Leadership, Technology & Workforce

Education

Valdosta State University



### Program Overview

The Ed.D. in Curriculum and Instruction: P-12 Disciplinary Concentration degree an innovative program that provides practical opportunities for students to relate theoretical foundations to curricular and instructional issues facing schools and other educational systems. The program itself is 55-hours in which students are admitted on a cohort basis once every year. In the first two or two-and-a-half years, students complete program coursework and must pass any requirements before the dissertation stage. The dissertation process varies in length from student-to-student due to unique nature of each dissertation, but students can complete the dissertation phase between 18 to 36 months.

Degree is approved by the GaPSC as an advanced program, which leads to certificate upgrades (Level 6 and 7). It does not add a new field to an existing certificate.

### Year 1

First Term	Hrs	Second Term	Hrs	Third Term	Hrs
CIED 9100	3	LEAD 9030	3	EDUC 9000	3
RSCH 9800	3	RSCH 9820	3	PSYC 8020	3
				*Elective 1	3

[\*Students must complete three electives based on their concentration fields]

### Year 2

First Term	Hrs	Second Term	Hrs	Third Term	Hrs
CIED 9200	3	CIED 9300	3	*Elective 2	3
RSCH 9840	3	CIED 9400	3	*Elective 3	3
		RSCH 9871	1	or	
				**Advanced Research	3
				**RSCH 9872	3

[\*\*If students have completed their electives prior, they can take their last two research courses before the dissertation phase]

### Year 3

First Term	Hrs	Second Term	Hrs	Third Term	Hrs
***CIED 9999	1-3	CIED 9999	1-3	CIED 9999	1-3
***RSCH 9999	1-3	RSCH 9999	1-3	RSCH 9999	1-3
or					
**Advanced Research	3				
**RSCH 9872	3				

[\*\*\*If students are in the dissertation phase, they take CIED and RSCH 9999 for 1-3 hours until they are completed]

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## Year 4

First Term	Hrs
CIED 9999	1-3
RSCH 9999	1-3

Second Term	Hrs
CIED 9999	1-3
RSCH 9999	1-3

Third Term	Hrs
CIED 9999	1-3
RSCH 9999	1-3