

Prepare to make a difference

Graduate Certificate Program

GIFTED EDUCATION

About the Program

The 18-credit Graduate Certificate Program in Gifted Education is designed to enable teachers to meet the needs of academically talented students. This program is designed to address the needs of teachers as they differentiate instruction for students of varying cognitive abilities and learning styles.

Program Requirements

Courses in the program are geared to the practical needs of teachers. Students may apply the Graduate Certificate Program to the 33 credit Master of Science in Educational Studies. It is also possible to combine this graduate certificate program with another 15-18 credit graduate certificate program into a 33-36 credit master's degree in Educational Studies.

Course Requirements

Degree requirements must be completed within three years.

885.501 The Gifted Learner

Curriculum, Assessment, and Instruction for Gifted Learners: Part I

Curriculum, Assessment, and Instruction for Gifted Learners: Part II

The Gifted/Learning Disabled Learner (limited scholarships available)

Seminar on Gifted Learners

885.820 Practicum in Gifted Education

Admission Requirements

Graduate certificate program applicants should hold a bachelor's, masters, or a post-masters' degree in education or a related field from a regionally accredited college or university with a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale), or a 3.0 cumulative grade point average for the last half of the undergraduate program. Applicants should also submit official transcripts from all colleges attended for bachelors and post baccalaureate study, an essay and an application of admissions for the School of Professional Studies in Business and Education.

For more information or to arrange an appointment with an adviser, please contact the Department of Teacher Development and Leadership at 410-309-1265 or edspsbe@jhu.edu.