

HIGHER EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION (ED.S.) - COMMUNITY COLLEGE ADMINISTRATION

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2026 through summer 2027. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

This is a non-licensure degree and is not a state-approved program. Completion of this degree will not lead to the eligibility of a VA state teaching license or a teaching license or certificate in any other state.

Code	Title	Hours
Program Courses		
<i>Higher Education Courses</i>		
EDUC 758	Teaching the College Student	3
EDUC 759	College and University Administration	3
EDUC 782	Historical Perspectives of Higher Education	3
EDUC 783	Economic Impact in Higher Education	3
EDUC 784	Assessment & Accreditation	3
<i>Research & Evaluation Courses</i>		
EDUC 798	Advanced Research and Writing ¹	3
Total Hours		18

¹ Capstone course to be taken in final semester.

Code	Title	Hours
Community College Administration Cognate		
EDUC 751	Community College Governance and Leadership	3
EDUC 752	Community College Resource Planning	3
EDUC 753	Historical Trends and Issues in Community Colleges	3
EDUC 754	Community College Student Learning & Development	3
Total Hours		12

All applicable prerequisites must be met

Graduation Requirements

- Complete 30 hours
- A maximum of 50% of a post-graduate and doctoral degree may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level
- 3.0 GPA
- No more than one grade of C may be applied to the degree (includes grades of C+ & C-)
- No grade of D or below may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)
- Degree must be completed within 5 years

- Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Program Offered in Online Format Course Sequence

First Year		Hours
First Semester		
EDUC 758	Teaching the College Student	3
EDUC 759	College and University Administration	3
EDUC 782	Historical Perspectives of Higher Education	3
Hours		9
Second Semester		
EDUC 751	Community College Governance and Leadership	3
EDUC 783	Economic Impact in Higher Education	3
EDUC 784	Assessment & Accreditation	3
Hours		9
Second Year		
Third Semester		
EDUC 752	Community College Resource Planning	3
EDUC 753	Historical Trends and Issues in Community Colleges	3
EDUC 754	Community College Student Learning & Development	3
Hours		9
Fourth Semester		
EDUC 798	Advanced Research and Writing	3
Hours		3
Total Hours		30

All applicable prerequisites must be met