

# P-12 ART EDUCATION ALTERNATIVE MASTER'S



The P-12 Art Education Alternative Master's program at the University of Montevallo is for those who have earned a bachelor's degree or higher and wish to be certified to teach in Alabama.

An alternative master's degree leads to advanced (Class A) teacher certification at the preschool through high school levels (grades P-12) in art education.

## COURSEWORK OVERVIEW

All coursework must be completed with a minimum overall GPA of 3.25. The edTPA assessment must be satisfactorily completed.

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| <b>Graduate Teaching Field (12 hours required)</b>   |   |
| <b>500-level</b> courses in teaching field (content area) courses^   |   |
| <b>ART 551</b>   | Art Education in P-12 Education (3)                           |
| <b>Prior to or Concurrent with Phase I (4 hours required)</b>  |   |
| <b>ED 507</b>  | Current Trends in Teaching Exceptional & Diverse Learners (2) |
| <b>ED 502</b>  | Secondary Level Students as Learners (2)                      |
| <b>Phase I (6 hours required)</b><br><i>Includes a 94-hour school-based field experience</i>   |   |
| <b>ED 555</b>  | Instructional Strategies I-Literacy (2)                       |
| <b>ED 535</b>  | Teaching Art at the Secondary Level (1)                       |
| <b>EDF 562</b>   | Measurement & Evaluation (3)                                  |
| <b>Phase II (8 hours required)</b><br><i>Includes a 94-hour school-based field experience</i>  |   |
| <b>ED 550</b>  | Instructional Strategies II-Models (3)                        |
| <b>ED 518</b>  | Classroom Management (3)                                      |
| <b>ED 527</b>  | Computer-Based Instructional Technologies (2)                 |
| <b>Phase III (6 hours required)</b><br><i>Includes a 16-week school-based field experience at both the elementary and secondary levels</i> |   |
| <b>EDI 590</b>   | Internship in P-12 Teaching (3)                               |
| <b>EDI 599</b>   | Intern Certification Preparation (3)                          |

^Teaching field courses can be taken throughout the program but cannot be taken in Phase III.

**Please note:** This is not an official degree checksheet and is for general information purposes only.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Online application at [montevallo.edu/apply](http://montevallo.edu/apply)
- Bachelor's degree (minimum 2.75 GPA) or graduate degree (minimum 3.0 GPA) from a regionally accredited college/university\*
- Praxis II Content Area Exam\*\*
- Teaching Education Program Interview
- Fingerprint/background clearance

Conditional admission is available in some circumstances to students who have not satisfactorily met all admission requirements.

\*Minimum GPA of 2.0 allowed with a corresponding higher Praxis II score.

\*\*Students seeking certification in P-12 art have required prerequisite undergraduate level courses. A degree evaluation will be completed upon admission to assess the need for prerequisite courses.

## MONTEVALLO EDUCATORS' PARTNERSHIP

Candidates employed by eligible school systems can receive a scholarship of up to \$110 per credit hour toward tuition for all program coursework.

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