

# Gifted Education at Truman

**DISTINCT BY DESIGN**

Degree offered

# MA

Master of Arts  
in Gifted Education

## WHY TRUMAN?

- An emphasis on current challenges and opportunities unique to gifted education
- A combination of Truman Education faculty and active expert practitioners
- Fully online coursework combined with practical field experience
- A program designed for the working professional



## 100% Online Gifted Education

Learn the skills you need to better identify gifted characteristics in students, develop effective curricula, and provide support throughout the learning process. Finish the full master's degree online, hand-pick a single course, or anything in between.

## Master of Arts in Gifted Education

Complete a **30 hour degree program** and earn a Master's degree in gifted education.

## Gifted Certification

Also available is the option to take certification courses to earn an endorsement from the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.

## Schedule of Offerings

### Fall

- ED 550 G** – Intro to Gifted & Talented\*
- ED 604 G** – Professional Learning: Gifted Policy, Practice, & Research\*\*
- ED 605 G** – Psychology of Exceptional Children^
- ED 619 G** – Gifted Internship^
- ED 633 G** – Research in Gifted Education^
- ED 651 G** – Curriculum for Gifted\* \*\*

### Spring

- ED 550 G** – Intro to Gifted & Talented\*
- ED 605 G** – Psychology of Exceptional Children^
- ED 619 G** – Gifted Internship^
- ED 633 G** – Research in Gifted Education^

- \* Offered first 8-week session
- \*\* Offered second 8-week session
- ^ Full semester

### Summer

- ED 550 G** – Introduction to Gifted and Talented\*
- ED 605 G** – Psychology of Exceptional Children (*1st or 2nd 5-week session*)
- ED 626 G** – Creativity\*
- ED 650 G** – Identification of Gifted\*\*
- ED 652 G** – Affective Needs of Gifted\*
- ED 653 G** – Programming and Administration of Gifted\*\*

- \* Offered first 5-week session
- \*\* Offered second 5-week session
- ^ Full semester



For more information

Visit [gifted.truman.edu](http://gifted.truman.edu) or email [gifted@truman.edu](mailto:gifted@truman.edu)



# GIFTED

(online)

## DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:

### Required Courses

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- ED 550 G Introduction to Gifted Credits: 3
- ED 605 G - Psychology of the Exceptional Child Credits: 3
- ED 619 G - Teaching Internship Credits: 3
- ED 633 G - Research in Gifted Credits: 3
- ED 650 G - Identification of Gifted Credits: 3
- ED 651 G - Curriculum for Gifted Credits: 3
- ED 652 G - Meeting the Affective Needs of Gifted Credits: 3
- ED 653 G - Programming, Planning, and Development: Administration and Supervision of Gifted Programs Credits: 3
- ED626 G - Creativity Credits: 3
- ED604 G - Professional Learning: Policy, Practice, and Research Credits: 3

Total Credits: 30

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university with an overall undergraduate grade point average of at least 2.75.
- Valid teaching certification or eligibility to meet initial teaching certification requirements.
- Complete the online application (\$40 application fee)
- Personal Statement (uploaded in online application)
- Official copies of transcripts from all colleges and universities from which you earned college credit, including high school dual enrollment.

**Note:** Truman students do not need to upload their transcript but should list Truman in the academic history portion of their application.