MASTER OF EDUCATION (MEd)
COUNSELOR EDUCATION PLUS
LICENSED PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR
AND/OR PRINCIPAL CERTIFICATION

PROGRAM DETAILS FOR LPC
Upon the completion of the School Counselor courses, students can take 4 additional course to be eligible to take the National Counseling Exam to become a Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC). LPC is another counseling credentials that allows for community work, clinical services, and private practice.

Students are strongly encouraged to speak with the school counseling director to ensure the appropriate courses are completed. Students who started the school counseling program after August 1, 2017 will need to complete a minimum of four additional classes to meet the 60 credit hour threshold required by the licensing board. The following courses elective courses meet the licensure requirements.

Students who started a counseling program before August 1, 2017 are required to complete a minimum of 48 hours of specific counseling coursework and will need to speak with the program director for advisement on the necessary courses.

COURSES
COUN 5325            Psychopathology and Human Behavior
COUN 5369            Professional Counseling Issues and Ethics
COUN 6320            Addiction Counseling
COUN 6335            Community Mental Health Practicum

PROGRAM DETAILS FOR PRINCIPAL CERTIFICATION
Upon completion of the School Counselor courses, students can take 4 additional course to be eligible to take the TExES Principal Exam for principal certification in the state of Texas. Principal certification is typically used for all administrative positions, from assistant principal to assistant superintendent in Texas K-12 schools.

This option is only for current or future school counseling candidate. If you have already graduated from our program or any other school counseling program, you are not eligible for this option.

COURSES
EDUC 5310            Clinical Supervision
EDUC 5392            The Principalship
EDUC 6335            Administrative Practicum I
EDUC 6336            Administrative Practicum II