



UNIVERSITY OF
ST. THOMAS
HOUSTON



MASTER OF ARTS IN CATHOLIC EDUCATION

DEGREE PLAN

DESCRIPTION: The Master of Arts in Catholic Education is designed for successful Catholic School teachers, both veteran and new, who wish to become masters in their vocation of Catholic School teaching with distinctive preparation but who do not wish to enter Catholic School administration.

PRE-REQUISITES:

- Bachelor's Degree with a minimum overall GPA of 3.0, or 3.0 in the last 60 hours
- If deficient with regard to TCCEd requirements, the following courses may be required, such as: EDUC 5311, 5330, 5338, and 5370 (Grades EC-6) OR 5380 (Grades 7-12). Consult with your academic advisor.

30-CREDIT HOUR JOINT GRADUATE DEGREE: SCHOOL OF EDUCATION / CENTER FOR FAITH AND CULTURE

REQUIRED (9 CORE CREDIT HOURS)

FC 5301 Faith and the Dominant American Culture
FC 5304 Christian Spirituality
EDUC 6303 Church Teachings on Education

AND

The equivalent of two years of successful classroom teaching (verified by MACE program director and principal).
Teaching requirements can be met prior to entering the program or during, but must be completed before student can graduate.

STUDENTS SELECT 9 HRS FROM FC AND 9 HRS FROM EDUC (18 CORE ELECTIVE CREDIT HOURS)

FC 5303 Virtue: Personal and Civic	EDUC 5311 Classroom Management
FC 5306 Art & Asceticism of Dialogue	EDUC 5330 Curriculum and Instruction*
FC 6340 Vision of the Second Vat Council	EDUC 5331 Differentiating Instruction
FC 6351 Catholic Education & Evangelization in the Am Context	EDUC 5335 Multicultural Populations
	EDUC 5370 Foundations of Reading Or EDUC 5380 Content Area Reading

PRACTICUM (3 CREDIT HOURS)

EDUC 6399 Internship in Catholic Education*

* Select changes pending approval

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