

**Master of Education (MEd)**  
**Library Media Program Option: 0900**  
**2025-2026**

The Master of Education: Library Media Program Option is delivered in a fully online format. This 32-hour program has an estimated residential tuition and fees cost of \$12,500 ([www.ecok.edu/bursar](http://www.ecok.edu/bursar)).

The program option is designed for graduate students planning to become a School Library Media Specialist in grades PreK-12th in public or private educational settings. The intent of the program is to prepare competent, certified School Library Media Specialists in accordance with state and national professional standards and guidelines. All areas of school librarianship, including technology, are emphasized. Special attention is given to the development of the student as a consumer of research along with a major emphasis on the knowledge, skills and attitudes that are necessary to become a School Library Media Specialist.

➤ *This degree does not guarantee certification. Please refer to the certification laws of your state.*

			Legend placed after course rotations		
➤ <b><u>Program Prerequisite or Co-Requisite</u></b>			<b>FA</b>	<b>SP</b>	<b>SU</b>
_____	EDLBS 4913	Children's Literature	L	L	--
<b>OR</b>					
_____	EDLBS 5913	Advanced Children's Literature	A	--	--
<b>I. <u>Research, Measurement, and Statistics (3 Hours)</u></b>			<b>FA</b>	<b>SP</b>	<b>SU</b>
_____	EDUC 5113	Techniques of Research	A	A	F
		<i>*Must be taken within the first eight (8) hours of the program</i>	B	B	--
		<i>*Must earn an "A" or "B" in this course</i>			
<b>II. <u>Program Core (18 Hours)</u></b>			<b>FA</b>	<b>SP</b>	<b>SU</b>
_____	LIBSC 5113	School Library Administration I	--	--	F
_____	LIBSC 5133	Materials Selection	A	--	--
_____	LIBSC 5213	Cataloging and Classification	--	B	--
_____	LIBSC 5233	Information Resources	--	A	--
_____	LIBSC 5923	Young Adult Literature	B	--	--
_____	LIBSC 5973	Curriculum and the School Library	--	--	F
<b>III. <u>Specialization (6 Hours)</u></b>			<b>FA</b>	<b>SP</b>	<b>SU</b>
_____	EDLBS 5333	Administration and Use of Instructional Materials	--	--	FO
_____	EDUC 5003	Multimedia Technology	B	--	--
_____	EDUC 5363	Principles of Instructional Design	--	B	F
_____	LIBSC 5353	Literacy in the School Library	--	--	FE
<b>IV. <u>Practicum (2 Hours)</u></b>			<b>FA</b>	<b>SP</b>	<b>SU</b>
_____	LIBSC 5952	Practicum and Capstone in Library Media	F	F	--
<b>V. <u>Electives (3 Hours: One of the Following)</u></b>			<b>FA</b>	<b>SP</b>	<b>SU</b>
_____	EDLBS 5913	Advanced Children's Literature	A	--	--
_____	EDUC 5233	Survey of Teaching Reading	--	B	F
_____	LIBSC 5981-4	Seminar in Library	T	T	T

### Legend

<b>FA:</b> Fall	<b>SP:</b> Spring	<b>SU:</b> Summer	<b>--:</b> Not Offered
<b>A:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> 8-Weeks (WEB)	<b>B:</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 8-Weeks (WEB)	<b>F:</b> Full Sem (WEB)	<b>BL:</b> Blended
<b>L:</b> Live (Face-to-Face)	<b>T:</b> To Be Determined	<b>Y:</b> Synchronous Web	<b>E:</b> Offered Even Years
<b>O:</b> Offered Odd Years	<b>V:</b> Various Formats (Half-Day, Full-Day, Weekends, Nights, etc.)		

*Course Offerings are subject to change, and are not necessarily in sequential order*

## **VI. Enrollment, Overload, and Full-Time Equivalents**

### Fall/Spring

- Full-time is nine (9) hours per 16-week semester
- Financial aid requires five (5) hours per 16-week semester
- Graduate Dean approval is required for thirteen (13) hours per 16-week semester

### Summer

- Full-time is six (6) hours per 8-week semester
- Financial aid requires five (5) hours per 8-week semester
- Graduate Dean approval is required for eleven (11) hours per 8-week semester

## **VII. Graduation and Commencement**

Students should apply for graduation just after they have enrolled for their last semester. This triggers a Degree Audit, which will inform the student of any course changes, course additions, or course substitutions required for graduation.

- Fall Graduates will **ONLY** be allowed to walk at December Commencement
- Spring and Summer Graduates will **ONLY** be allowed to walk at May Commencement

## **VIII. Financial Aid Regulations for Graduate Students**

Students, please be advised that the courses you choose to enroll in **MUST** be a required course or an elective course in your degree program. Financial Aid regulations dictate that any graduate student who is seeking financial aid must be enrolled in **AT LEAST** five (5) credit hours during the fall, spring, or summer semester and the courses **MUST** be in the degree program.

- Certificate Programs **DO NOT** qualify for financial aid.
- For questions contact the Office of Financial Aid: 580-559-5638 or [financialaid@ecok.edu](mailto:financialaid@ecok.edu)