

NIAGARA UNIVERSITY



DEPARTMENT OF LEADERSHIP STUDIES

PLANNING GUIDE

Certificate of Advanced Study (CAS)-School District Leader

Certification: NYS School District Leader

NAME: _____ STUDENT #: _____

PRE-REQUISITES	
<p>Educational Masters Note: The degree must be at least 36 credit hours. If less than 36 the additional hours will need to be accumulated prior to graduation. A total of 60 hours is required for graduation.</p>	
<p>1 Teacher Certification * Note: In order to obtain certification a school leader candidates must have a minimum of three years teach, pupil personnel service, or educational leadership experience.</p>	
<p>EDU 595 Educational Research & Statistics or equivalent Note: A course in research and statistics is required. Potential candidate's graduate transcript will be reviewed at time of admission. If an equivalent can't be found, candidates will be required to take EDU 595 as a Program Requirement.</p>	

REQUIRED COURSES- 3 CREDIT HOURS EACH	
EDL 631- Leadership & the School District Leader	
EDL 634 - School Business Administration	
EDL 635 – School Law (New York State)	
EDL 644 OR 645 Supervision or Curriculum Design	
EDL 650 – Capstone for School District Leader	
EDL 599 – Technology, Data Analysis and School Improvement	
EDL 822 – Internship School District – Part 1	
EDL 823 – Internship School District – Part 2	
24 credit hours of course work is required	

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ADDITIONAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

All course requirements must be met. In addition candidates are required to meet each of the following additional requirements

School District Leader Comprehensive Exam Details may be found in the Program Guide	
New York State School District Leader Certification Exam – Part 1 & 2 Both part must be passed and scores on file with Niagara University Details may be found in the Program Guide Check on-line for Exam administration schedule & fees: NYSED-TEACH	
New York State Educating All Students (EAS) Exam This is an additional NYS required exam. It must be passed in order to graduate	
Dignity for All Students (DASA) training Details may be found in the Program Guide. Workshop must be completed as a program requirement. Completion must show on the candidate's TEACH account.	
NYS School Violence Prevention Details may be found in the Program Guide. Workshop must be completed as a program requirement. Completion must show on the candidate's TEACH account.	
NYS ID & Reporting of Suspected Child Abuse or Maltreatment Details may be found in the Program Guide. Workshop must be completed as a program requirement. Completion must show on the candidate's TEACH account.	

PROGRAM COMPLETION

Once all courses and additional requirements have been met, candidates may apply for graduation. See Program Guide for details

CHECK THE PROGRAM GUIDE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Any questions please contact:

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