



Rivier UNIVERSITY

M.Ed.

Master of Education in
School Counseling
(Licensure Program)

Guide and support today's youth

Start the journey toward becoming an effective school counselor.

With a Master of Education in School Counseling degree, you can help meet the needs of students while building a rewarding career.

School counselors support students' educational and emotional growth and development. With skills acquired in Rivier's Master of Education in School Counseling program, you will be prepared to help students address the social, emotional, and educational challenges they may encounter during their school years. Featuring a combination of classroom and internship experiences, this program will allow you to meet the needs of all students.

Licensure

Program completion meets the academic requirements for licensure in the state of the New Hampshire as a school counselor (K-12) by the New Hampshire Department of Education.

Choose Rivier

Rivier's M.Ed. programs provide real-world assignments and hands-on experience in the field to help you put theory into practice and develop your skills. Online, on-site, and hybrid classes are available for added flexibility to accommodate your busy schedules and learning preferences. This curriculum aligns with the American School Counselor Association (ASCA) National Model.



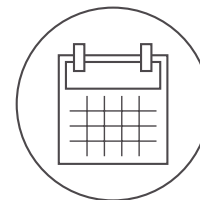
Course Format

On campus



Total Program Credits

55



Estimated Program Length

3 years

Course of Study

Counseling Core Courses

ED 610 - Basic Human Interaction
ED 614 - Clinical Counseling Theories
ED 615 - Clinical Counseling Techniques
ED 616 - Group Counseling
ED 672 - Introduction to Counseling

Counseling Content Courses

ED 612 - Professional Issues in School Counseling
ED 613 - Collaboration and Intervention
ED 624 - Psychopathology
ED 681 - Career and Lifestyle Development
ED 720 - Social and Cultural Foundations
ED 721 - Advanced Multicultural Perspectives

Foundational Courses

ED 501 - Fundamentals of Research
ED 505 - Advanced Psychology of Human Development
ED 626 - Positive Psychology

Recommended Electives

Choose one course:

ED 538 - Cognitive Assessment I
ED 539 - Information Processing and Cognition
ED 611 - Psychotherapy for Children
ED 620 - Spiritual Dimensions of Counseling
ED 623 - Marriage and Family Therapy
ED 704 - Personality Assessment I
ED 705 - Neuropsychological Assessment I

Internship/Seminars

ED 648 - Internship in School Counseling I
ED 649 - Internship in School Counseling II

Other Program Requirements

- 50 hours of pre-practicum in school counseling
- Candidacy review that includes a disposition review
- E-Portfolio review for candidacy, internship, and graduation
- Successful completion of comprehensive examination

Accreditation

Rivier University is accredited by the New England Commission of Higher Education, Inc. (NECHE). Education programs are approved by the N.H. Department of Education, Division of Higher Education, Higher Education Commission.

How to Apply

1. **Apply online** at rivier.edu/apply. There is no application fee.
2. **Review and complete the application process** at rivier.edu/gradadmissions.
3. **Have questions?** For personal support, contact us at (603) 897-8507 or email admissions@rivier.edu.

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Program Start Dates

Six term starts per year allow you to begin your program in September, October, January, March, May, or July. Completed applications are reviewed as they are received throughout the year.

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Week terms

Six terms per year

88

Years of educational excellence

24,000+

Strong alumni network

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