



# Rivier

## UNIVERSITY

### M.Ed.

Master of Education in  
Elementary Education

## Inspire young minds to grow

Play an important role in shaping future leaders.

With a M.Ed. in Elementary Education, you will learn to connect theory with practice and play a valuable role in the lives of today's students.

Rivier University offers elementary education programs for prospective teachers. In this program, you'll learn effective teaching strategies and strengthen your mastery of academic content working with professors who are recognized regionally and nationally as experts in their fields. You are prepared to work effectively with students, parents, and colleagues to help children receive the best possible education to reach their full potential.

Upon completion of this program, you will be eligible for licensure by the NASDTEC Interstate Agreement.

### Licensure

Students seeking teacher licensure must apply after successfully completing the internship, the program competencies, and other program requirements. New Hampshire teacher licensure is not automatic with the completion of the internship.

### 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. Courses are offered in 7-week and 14-week terms for added flexibility to accommodate your busy schedules and learning preferences.



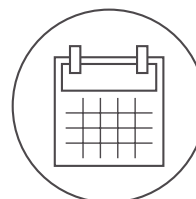
### Course Format

On campus,  
late afternoon  
and evening  
with some  
online courses



### Total Program Credits

39



### Estimated Program Length

2 years



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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.

## Course of Study

### Required Courses

#### Foundation Courses

- ED 501 - Fundamentals of Research
- ED 505 - Advanced Psychology of Human Development
- ED 536 - Instruction for Exceptional Students
- ED 537 - Curriculum Methods and Assessment
- ED 626 - Positive Psychology

#### General Pedagogy Core Courses

- ED 520 - Foundations of Reading
- ED 526 - Literacy, Literature and Writing
- ED 568 - Teaching Mathematics (PreK-3)
- ED 585 - Methods in STEAM and Social Studies K-3

#### Specific Pedagogy Courses

- ED 513 - Teaching Mathematics 4-8
- ED 586 - Methods in STEAM and Social Studies 4-8

### Internship and Seminar

Students must be accepted by the PEPP Committee, complete all coursework, and maintain a 3.0 GPA in order to enroll in ED 690, and show evidence of preparation for examinations or successful completion of state licensure examinations.

- ED 690 - Internship/Seminar: Initial Certification

### Accreditation

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

# 7&14

week terms

# 90+

years of  
educational excellence

# 24,000+

strong alumni network

## How to Apply

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

## Quick Links

Ask a Question – [admissions@rivier.edu](mailto:admissions@rivier.edu)

Schedule a Visit – [events.rivier.edu](https://events.rivier.edu)

Talk to an Admissions Counselor – [rivier.edu/team](https://rivier.edu/team)

Tuition & Fees – [rivier.edu/tuition](https://rivier.edu/tuition)



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