# ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER (ELL) ENDORSEMENT



ELLs are a growing population in schools around the nation and in our local region. An ELL endorsement will open doors to additional positions in schools teaching classes for ELLs and will increase your skills in the regular classroom both with ELLs and native English speakers.



An ELL endorsement can be added to <u>any</u>
North Dakota teaching license:

- any subject area
- any grade range



## **CLASSES**

This 16-credit endorsement consists of six classes and two 1-credit field experiences. EDUC 489/689 Teaching Students of Diverse Backgrounds is already a part of the degree plan for all education students. The other five classes include:

- 1. EDUC 453/653 Foundations of Teaching ELL (1 cr.)
- 2. EDUC 454/654 Linguistics for ELL Teachers (3 cr.) or ENGL 209 Linguistics (3 cr.)
- 3. EDUC 455/655 Socio-Psycho Linguistics for ELL Teachers (3 cr.)

or ENGL 360 Grammatical Structure/English (3 cr.) or ENGL 453/653 Social & Regional English (3 cr.) or ENGL 454/654 Language Bias (3 cr.)

- 4. EDUC 452/652 Assessment & Testing of ELLs (2cr.)
- 5. EDUC 481/681 Methods of Teaching ELLs (2 cr.)

# PLANNED COURSE ROTATION

# Fall Semesters

All are co-requisites:

EDUC 453/653 Foundations of ELL (1 cr.)

EDUC 481/681 Methods of Teaching ELL (2 cr.)

EDUC 496/695 ELL Field Experience (1 cr.)

# **Spring Semesters**

Both are co-requisites

EDUC 452/652 Assessment & Testing of ELLs (2 cr.)

EDUC 496/695 ELL Field Experience (1 cr.)

#### **Summer Semesters**

EDUC 454/654 Linguistics for ELL Teachers (3 cr.) EDUC 455/655 Socio-Psycho Linguistics for ELL Teachers (3 cr.)

## FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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