



School of Education

DEPARTMENT OF CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION

MISSION

The Department of Curriculum and Instruction prepares teachers and other professionals for leadership roles in a variety of national and global educational settings. The Department specifically champions the needs of Black and underrepresented students in urban communities. Asset-focused teaching methodologies and interdisciplinary coursework prepare candidates to:

- THINK & REFLECT CRITICALLY
- ANALYZE & SOLVE PROBLEMS
- MAKE ETHICAL DECISIONS
- TRANSLATE THEORY & PRACTICE INTO EFFECTIVE PRACTICE
- UNDERSTAND SELF, HISTORY, & COMMUNITY

GRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAM OFFERINGS:

- Elementary Education (M.Ed.)
- Secondary Education (M.Ed.)
- Special Education (M.Ed.)

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Department of Curriculum and Instruction (C&I) is dedicated to the vision of preparing future teachers with a commitment to social justice and equity in urban schools. We prepare students to become teachers at the elementary (1-6), secondary (7-12), and special education (K-12) levels. The department offers three Master's degree programs in elementary, secondary, and special education.

We offer teacher support to our graduates in the form of virtual professional development. This support is a Community of Practice (COP) in which new teachers share their concerns, interests and passions. The COP allows the HUSOE to generate better program/completer impact on student learning outcomes, provides program completers with systematic professional and career-related support, and provides a platform for employers to recruit program completers.

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APPLICATION SUBMISSION DATES

Fall: June 15

NOTEWORTHY HIGHLIGHTS

- The District of Columbia Public Schools ranked Howard University teachers as 100% effective.
- Our Master of Education program candidates frequently participate in research and professional development opportunities with faculty members.
- 100% of our Master of Education teacher education candidates have received employment offers as teachers in their specific disciplines.

PROGRAM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Howard University graduate online application and non-refundable application fee
 - Statement of Research Interest
 - Autobiographical Sketch
 - Official Transcripts
 - Three Letters of Recommendation
 - Praxis Scores
 - Resume & Writing Sample
- Funding is available for qualified candidates.

To apply for programs in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction, please visit the website for additional admission requirements: <http://education.howard.edu>. Contact us at (202) 806-7343 or teach@howard.edu if you have additional questions or comments.

