

2024 - 2025 Certificate Map

Bilingual Education and English as a Second Language

School/College: [Mary Lou Fulton Teachers College](#)

Location: [Tempe](#), [ASU Sync](#)

Program Requirements

To be eligible to apply for an English as a Second Language Endorsement or a Bilingual Education Endorsement, students must complete this certificate, complete their teacher preparation program, and provide verification of second language experience. The ESL endorsement requires second language learning experience which can be satisfied through the completion of two undergraduate foreign language classes. The BLE endorsement requires verification of proficiency in a spoken language other than English or sign language which can be satisfied through an external test. Students majoring in Special Education who want to obtain the BLE endorsement will be required to take one additional course in teaching students with exceptionalities from non-English language backgrounds.

This certificate requires 18 credit hours. A "C" or better is required in all coursework.

Required Courses -- 18 credit hours

[BLE 220: Foundations of Structured English Immersion \(HUAD OR L\)](#) or [BLE 408: Structured English Immersion \(SEI\) Methods \(L\)](#) (3)

[BLE 336: Culturally Sustaining and Transformative Pedagogies](#) (3)

[BLE 338: Foundations of Second Language Acquisition and Development \(L\)](#) (3)

[BLE 400: Principles of Language Minority Education](#) (3)

[BLE 481: Elementary Multilingual Education Practicum](#) (3)

[TEL 340: Families, Communities and Cultures: Cultivating Networks of Culturally Responsive Relationships \(SOBE OR SB\)](#) (3)

Prerequisite courses may be needed in order to complete the requirements of this certificate.