

HOLDEN UNIVERSITY CENTER

ON-CAMPUS HYBRID

Reading Endorsement Program

The Reading Endorsement Program provides teachers and intervention specialists with in-depth knowledge and advanced skills in reading assessments, diagnosis of reading problems, and effective interventions. Curricular emphasis is on Ohio New Learning Standards for English Language Arts K-12, effective lesson design and 21st

century skills. Knowledge and skills are developed in diagnostic reading assessment and intervention using evidence-based tools and practices. This program is adaptive to the local school contexts and can be completed in one year. The coursework may be applied toward an MEd from John Carroll University.

Admission Requirements

- Valid teaching license
- Undergraduate cumulative GPA of at least 2.75
- Completed application: sites.jcu.edu/graduatestudies
- Official transcripts for all degrees earned

**Evidence of meeting standards of the Ohio 12-credit hour Reading Core will be determined through transcript audit. Under state regulations, the minimum number of credits for Reading Endorsement programs is 15; universities may apply three credits from previous undergraduate or graduate reading coursework to meet the 15-credit hour minimum requirement.

Tuition & Fees

A cohort of 20 or more students receives a 40% tuition scholarship (current cost @ \$417/cr. hr.). A cohort of less than 20 students received a 33% tuition scholarship (current cost @ \$470/cr. hr.).

Registration Procedure

Individuals will be registered by the Department of Education & School Psychology through the Office of Graduate Studies.

Academic Calendar

Courses are offered fall, spring and summer terms.

Delivery Mode

Face-to-face (once a week) and hybrid formats are used to allow flexibility in teachers' schedules.

Textbook Purchase

Information available upon acceptance into the program.

Total Hours Needed

Minimum of 15-cr. hrs. including JCU's Reading Endorsement 12-cr. hr. sequence. See Admission requirements.

Financial Aid Info

Please contact John Carroll University's Office of Financial Aid at 216-397-4248.

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