Bilingual Authorization Add-on

PROGRAM OVERVIEW:
This program is designed for credentialed teachers in Ventura County interested in adding a Bilingual Authorization (BLA) for Spanish to their teaching credential.

Students enrolled in the program will gain background knowledge on teaching and learning in bilingual and multicultural school settings, including in dual immersion class rooms, research-based theories and practices informing bilingual education, and the relationship of culture and language in bilingual programs. Courses, including assignments, lectures, and classroom activities, will be conducted in both English and Spanish.

Upon completion of the program, students will be prepared to work in a variety of bilingual education classroom settings, including dual immersion classrooms, bilingual transitional programs, integrated ELD settings, and structured English immersion.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:
In order to be considered for admission, students must 1) Hold a clear or preliminary credential; 2) Have classroom experience working with emergent bilinguals/English learners; and 3) Hold an English Learner Authorization

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS:
- Passing score on the CSET Spanish Subtest III
- Nine (9) units of coursework over summer
- Complete 20 hours of fieldwork in a bilingual classroom

Summer Session A (May 28 - July 5)
EDML 563: Primary Language Schooling in the U.S. K-12
Tues/Wed/Thurs 4:30PM-7:20PM
Online Synchronous and Asynchronous

Summer Session B (July 8 - Aug 16)
EDML 417: Socio-cultural Context of Bilingual schooling
Mon/Tue/Wed 9:00 AM-11:50 AM
Online Synchronous and Asynchronous

EDML 416: Foundations of Bilingual Education
Mon/Tue/Wed 12:00 PM-2:50 PM
Online Synchronous and Asynchronous

PROGRAM COSTS:
$425 per unit
The courses for non-matriculated students are offered through Extended University at CSU Channel Islands.

Registration:
Click here to complete the Bilingual Authorization Add-on Interest/Application Form

**Summer 2024 Registration Opens March 25, 2024**

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