



NE Ohio ACHIEVE

» Access to Curriculum and High Quality Instruction for Educators Valuing English Learners

Strengthen your credentials and improve your skills in meeting the needs of English learners.

Through a grant from the U.S. Department of Education, The University of Akron is offering graduate-level TESOL Endorsement coursework for teachers who work with English language learners.

The Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) Endorsement is a 19-credit hour program that will be offered to selected teachers over a one-year period.

Summer - 11 credits; Fall - 3 credits; Spring - 5 credits.

Passage of the OAE test for English to Speakers of Other Languages is required.

Teachers will have the option of attending classes in Akron or Lakewood.

Applications and deadline information are available at www.uakron.edu/neo-achieve.

» Eligibility Requirements

All applicants must be employed as a licensed teacher or administrator by one of the participating school districts.

Preference will be given to early childhood/elementary teachers.

Non-native speakers of English must meet English proficiency requirements.

» Program Benefits

If accepted into the program, the grant will pay the associated Ohio resident tuition and most of the fees for the TESOL courses.

» Contact

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