First (12 credits)
Attend the Foundations, an intensive summer program. Earn 9 credits during the summer, followed by a single three hour course during the fall semester. You will examine and analyze current prevailing practice regarding most effective and efficient programs, curriculum, strategies and practice.

Summer Learning Environments include:
- Action Research for Teachers–Y510 (online)
- Advanced Reading Methods – L501 (Secondary) or L545 (Elementary)
- Differentiated Instruction – J511 (online)
- Seminar in Multicultural and Global Education – J655

Second (15 credits)
Combine your analysis of professional practice in your classroom and school with courses you select based on your professional development objectives. You will have the opportunity to research and share the practices you find most effective in your classroom.

Third (3 credits)
Investigate an area of professional practice you consider to be significant and in which you desire to develop expertise.