Public Act 118 Reading Courses

Effective July 1, 2009, Michigan Public Act 118 of 2006 requires candidates for the Michigan Professional Teaching Certificate to complete a course in the diagnosis and remediation of reading disabilities and differentiated instruction. This course would not have been included in the initial certification program. At Wayne State University, the following two courses meet this requirement:

**Elementary Certified Teachers:** RLL 6801 (3 credits)
*Assessment and Differentiated Instruction for Diverse Learners PrK-8*

**Prerequisite:** teacher holding provisional teaching certification at elementary level.

**Course Description:** Assessment of literacy competencies of diverse learners; use of assessments to plan and implement differentiated instruction in grades PreK-8. Implementation with students in field component; and evaluation.

**Secondary Certified Teachers:** RLL 6802 (3 credits)
*Assessment and Differentiated Instruction for Diverse Learners 6-12*

**Prerequisite:** teacher holding provisional teaching certification at secondary level.

**Course Description:** Assessment of literacy competencies of diverse learners; use of assessments to plan and implement differentiated instruction in grades 6-12. Implementation with students in field component; and evaluation.

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