

# Native Language Education Certificate

## Program Requirements

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## Minimum Requirements for Native Language Education Certificate: 30 credits

### Concentrations: Athabascan (p. 1), Inupiaq (p. 1), Yup'ik (p. 1)

Students must earn a C- or better in each course.

| Code  | Title      | Credits   |
|---|------------|-----------|
| <b>General University Requirements</b>  |            |           |
| Complete the general university requirements. ( <a href="https://catalog.uaf.edu/certificates/#gurcertificatestext">https://catalog.uaf.edu/certificates/#gurcertificatestext</a> ) |            |           |
| <b>Certificate Requirements</b>   |            |           |
| Complete the certificate requirements. ( <a href="https://catalog.uaf.edu/certificates/#certificatestext">https://catalog.uaf.edu/certificates/#certificatestext</a> ) <sup>1</sup> |            |           |
| <b>Native Language Education Program Requirements</b>   |            |           |
| <b>Concentration</b>  |            |           |
| Complete one of the following:  |            | 30        |
|   | Athabascan |           |
|   | Inupiaq    |           |
|   | Yup'ik     |           |
| <b>Total Credits</b>  |            | <b>30</b> |

<sup>1</sup> As part of the certificate requirements, the communication, computation and human relations content is embedded in some of the major required courses for this program.

## Concentrations

### Athabascan

Candidates must demonstrate proficiency or complete a two-semester sequence in the language of the degree.

| Code  | Title  | Credits |
|---|--|---------|
| <b>Athabascan Concentration Requirements</b>              |  |         |
| Complete the following:                                   |  |         |
| ANL F108  | Beginning Athabascan Literacy  | 3       |
| ANL F208  | Advanced Athabascan Literacy   | 3       |
| ANL F251X   | Introduction to Athabascan Linguistics                                   | 3       |
| ANL F256  | Introduction to Alaska Native Languages: History, Status and Maintenance | 3       |
| ANL F287  | Teaching Methods for Alaska Native Languages                             | 3       |
| ANL F288  | Curriculum and Materials Development for Alaska Native Languages         | 3       |
| Complete 6 credits from each of the following practicums: |  | 12      |
| ANL F199  | Practicum in Native Language Education                                   |         |

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| ED F299              | Practicum in Education |           |
| <b>Total Credits</b> |                        | <b>30</b> |

### Inupiaq

Candidates must demonstrate proficiency or complete a two-semester sequence in the language of the degree.

| Code  | Title  | Credits   |
|---|--|-----------|
| <b>Inupiaq Concentration Requirements</b>                 |  |           |
| Complete the following:                                   |  |           |
| ANL F256  | Introduction to Alaska Native Languages: History, Status and Maintenance | 3         |
| ANL F287  | Teaching Methods for Alaska Native Languages                             | 3         |
| ANL F288  | Curriculum and Materials Development for Alaska Native Languages         | 3         |
| INU F118  | Inupiaq Orthography  | 3         |
| INU F218  | Inupiaq Composition  | 3         |
|   | Inupiaq linguistics elective   | 3         |
| Complete 6 credits from each of the following practicums: |  | 12        |
| ANL F199  | Practicum in Native Language Education                                   |           |
| ED F299   | Practicum in Education   |           |
| <b>Total Credits</b>                                      |  | <b>30</b> |

### Yup'ik

Demonstrate advanced oral and aural proficiency in Yup'ik.

| Code                                     | Title  | Credits   |
|--|--|-----------|
| <b>Yup'ik Concentration Requirements</b> |  |           |
| Complete the following:                  |  |           |
| ANL F199                                 | Practicum in Native Language Education                                   | 3         |
| ANL F256                                 | Introduction to Alaska Native Languages: History, Status and Maintenance | 3         |
| ANL F287                                 | Teaching Methods for Alaska Native Languages                             | 3         |
| ANL F288                                 | Curriculum and Materials Development for Alaska Native Languages         | 3         |
| ED F299                                  | Practicum in Education   | 3         |
| YUP F109                                 | Central Yup'ik Orthography   | 3         |
| YUP F130                                 | Beginning Yup'ik Grammar   | 3         |
| YUP F208                                 | Yup'ik Composition   | 3         |
| YUP F250                                 | Yup'ik Literature for Children   | 3         |
| YUP F251                                 | Teaching Beginning Yup'ik Reading and Writing                            | 3         |
| <b>Total Credits</b>                     |  | <b>30</b> |

## Learning Outcomes

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Learning Outcomes are measurable statements that describe knowledge or skills achieved by students upon completion of the program.

Students graduating from this program will be able to:

- Establish student proficiency level and goals
- Develop writing skills in the Native language and English

- Learn appropriate teaching methodology
- Learn to develop classroom teaching materials
- Learn classroom management and human relations skills
- Acquire computation skills sufficient for calculating student grades
- Evaluate progress and new goals for professional life