Many students complete the required coursework in about 24 months including summers.

**Already have a Master's Degree?**
You may complete the Leadership Concentration and the internship, to satisfy the Certificate Program in Educational Leadership offered through SPCE.

**State Assessment Requirement**
Certificate and Master's students must also achieve a passing score on the School Leaders Licensure Assessment (SLLA) in order to receive the Department of Education's endorsement as a PK-12 school administrator.

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**Practicum and Internship Experiences (Certificate and M.Ed. Program)**

- ADSU 668: Internship in the Principalship
- ADSU 678: Full-time Internship for School Administrators

**Professional Core - ONLINE**
**M.Ed. STUDENTS ONLY**

- EDUC 620: Changing Contexts of American Schools
- EDUC 625: Evaluation in Education
- EDUC 630: Inquiry in Education
- EDUC 641: Learning Theory and Instructional Models
- EDUC 642: Curriculum Theory and Issues

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The educational leader must understand and interpret changes within this context to improve the safety and operation of schools.

In the role of facilitator, the administrator must be able to effectively implement programs mandated by the school board and support positive changes suggested by students, staff, or parents.

Finally, as the initiator of change, the administrator must lead the process of continuous school improvement.

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