
SCHOOL LIBRARY CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

University of Pittsburgh
Library and Information Science Program

Recommended Course Sequence for FastTrack MLIS Students in the School Library Certification Program

Two Courses per term, beginning in the Summer Term

Summer	Fall	Spring
Term 1 Summer Term LIS 2000 Understanding Information LIS 2600 Intro to Information Technology	Term 2 Fall Term LIS 2002 Retrieving Information LIS 2774 School Library Media Center Management	Term 3 Spring Term LIS 2001 Organizing Information LIS 2323 Resources for Young Adults
Term 4 Summer Term LIS 2568 Multicultural Resources & Services LIS 2328 Information Literacy Resources & Services	Term 5 Fall Term LIS 2329 Special Education Resources & Services LIS 2322 Resources for Children	Term 6 Spring Term LIS 2325 Curriculum Resources & Services LIS 2922 Practicum (3 credits for Endorsement Option; 9 credits for Intern Option)

Intern Option Students: Requirements for Education Courses

Intern Option students (those who do not possess a valid Instructional I or II teaching certificate from the Pennsylvania Department of Education) must take up to five courses in education to meet requirements for certification in Library Science, K-12, depending on education previously completed: one course in educational psychology; one course in education and society; and three courses in curriculum and teaching methods.

These courses may be taken at the undergraduate or graduate level at a college or university near the student, at an institution that offers such courses online, or on campus in the School of Education; each student consults with the SLCP Director to seek approval of the courses in advance of registering for the courses. When the student completes these courses, the student submits a transcript to the Director of the SLCP to verify that this requirement is completed successfully.