

SCHOOL LEADERSHIP, CERTIFICATION

The Principal Certification-Only Track is for public/charter school administrators and educators who already hold a Master's degree and are seeking eligibility for Principal Certification. Over its five courses, this track provides a 360-hour internship, focused class topics, and practitioner assignments relevant to the public/charter school environment.^{1,2}

For more information: <https://slp.gse.upenn.edu/>

Curriculum

Code	Title	Course Units
Required Courses		
EDSL 5030	Developing Instructional Leadership in Practice	1
EDSL 5040	Field Internship Seminar: Inquiring Into Organizational and Legal Dimensions of Principal Leadership	1
EDSL 5050	Aligning Fiscal, Human, and Community Resources in Support of the School's Instructional Mission	1
EDSL 5060	Instructional Leadership to Promote Learning	1
EDSL 5090	Field Internship Seminar: Leadership for School Improvement	1
Program Meetings		
1 weekend/month		
All-day Sat & 1/2 day Sun		
1 virtual class/month		
Focused Observations		
3 of 5 daylong visits		
Internship Requirements		
360 Hours Under Principal		
Capstone Projects		
Portfolio		

¹ The School Leadership Program is unable to provide immigration sponsorship for international students.

² To be admitted into this track, students must have a Master's degree and either have at least three years teaching experience or two years teaching experience and be in a teaching position while completing the program.

The degree and major requirements displayed are intended as a guide for students entering in the Fall of 2024 and later. Students should consult with their academic program regarding final certifications and requirements for graduation.
