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<p>University accreditation</p> <p>Is the university accredited by an agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education?</p>	<p>Capella is <u>accredited</u> by The Higher Learning Commission and is a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools (NCA), www.ncahlc.org.</p> <p>Capella University, Capella Tower, 225 South Sixth Street, Ninth Floor, Minneapolis, MN 55402; 1.888.CAPELLA (227.3552), www.capella.edu</p>	
<p>Professional standards</p> <p>How is the curriculum aligned with recognized professional standards?</p>	<p>Capella has state-approved specializations in Leadership in Educational Administration (PhD, EdS, and MS), Reading and Literacy (MS), School Counseling (MS), and School Psychology (MS) and Specialist Certificate in School Psychology.</p>	
<p>Program offerings</p> <p>Does the university offer the program(s) and specialization(s) that best match your goals?</p>	<p>Specializations for P–12 professionals:</p> <p>PhD: 4 EdD: 1 EdS: 2 MS: 10 Certificates: 1</p> <p>For more information, visit our website.</p>	
<p>Transfer credit</p> <p>Does the university value your prior academic experience?</p>	<p>You may gain credits for your prior education by transferring previous academic course work to your Capella degree program. You may be able to transfer up to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 48 credits toward a PhD. • 12 quarter credits toward an EdS. • 12 quarter credits toward an MS. <p>Learn more about transfer credit at Capella.</p>	
<p>Flexibility</p> <p>How well is the university geared for working adults with full lives?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Online learning format with no daily requirements or scheduled class times¹. • 10-week quarters followed by 2- to 3-week breaks. 	
<p>Employer credibility</p> <p>Will employers respect the credential you earn?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More than 1,000 colleges and universities have employed Capella learners and alumni. • Two Capella learners have been named principal of the year in Georgia and Arizona. • Capella also has education alliances with more than 250 U.S. community colleges. 	

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<p>Cost What is your financial investment?</p>	<p>Find tuition costs at www.capella.edu by selecting a program and specialization.</p> <p>Click here to learn about possible ways to reduce your tuition costs through transfer credits, scholarships, and alliance discounts.</p>	
<p>Financing options How does the university help you manage the cost of your education?</p>	<p>Capella financial aid counselors help Capella students in securing financial aid, such as student loans, grants, and scholarships, to help fund their education.</p>	
<p>Support services How far does the university go to support your learning?</p>	<p>Capella offers a wide range of support, resources, and assistance to keep you on track toward your goals before you enroll, during your studies, and even after you graduate.</p> <p>Capella's support services surpass the national average in 16 key areas, according to the Priorities Survey for Online Learners (PSOL), a national survey of more than 68,000 online students at 87 educational institutions².</p> <p>Click here for an overview of Capella's support services.</p>	
<p>Clearly defined outcomes</p>	<p>When Capella develops a degree program, we start by defining the essential learning outcomes that we want every student in the program to achieve, based on academic standards and employers' insights about what it takes to excel in the field.</p>	

¹PhD and some MS programs require five-day residential colloquia.
²Results from the 2007 Priorities Survey for Online Learners.