

Mandarin Bilingual Added Authorization Program

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Mandarin Bilingual Added Authorization program is fully synchronous remote via Canvas. The program is open to practicing credentialed teachers with an interest in obtaining the added authorization. The courses are accepted by the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CCTC).

Upon completion of the program, teachers will be prepared to develop, implement, and adapt curriculum and instructional strategies to promote student bilingualism, biliteracy, bicognition, and biculturalism in bilingual and dual language settings. Teachers will also be equipped with the sociohistorical, sociocultural, sociopolitical, and sociolinguistic knowledge necessary to advocate for equity-centered bilingual education.

Program Orientation will be held on Thursday, August 14, 2025. 5:00-6:00 p.m.

PROGRAM

Students complete 6 units of coursework that include the following courses and must participate in a Zoom meeting a week prior to the program start.

- EDCI 5560: Inquiry into Methods of Teaching Academic Literacy in the Target Language (3 units)
- EDCI 5570: Research and Pedagogy for the Bilingual Learner: Exploring Cultural Impact (3 units)

REQUIREMENTS

 CSET III passing exam score or proof of exam registration within the first five weeks of the program

FALL 2025

AUGUST 19 - DECEMBER 13

EDCI 5560: Tuesday, 6:00-8:45 PM | Synchronous Online EDCI 5570: Wednesday, 4:30-7:15 PM | Synchronous Online

PROGRAM COST

Cost Per Unit	Total Program Cost
\$285	\$1,710

REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT

May 19- August 1

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