



Teacher Education Institute

ESTRELLA MOUNTAIN
COMMUNITY COLLEGE



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Gifted Education Endorsement Program

Estrella Mountain Community College is now offering the only Gifted Education Endorsement Program in Arizona. The six-course online program grants flexibility for educators, and teachers who complete the program will be more highly trained to meet the individual learning needs found in every classroom.

The Gifted Education Endorsement Program allows you to continue your education and professional development. Upon completion of the program, you will earn a Gifted Endorsement from the Arizona Department of Education and may also be able to move horizontally on your school district's salary schedule.

Register today! Steps to enroll:

- In-person at EMCC
- By phone at 623 935 8888
- By email at eva.cruz@estrellamountain.edu

The program consists of six, 8-week online courses with 1-hour weekly meetings in a virtual classroom. The courses are:

- EPD225 Foundations of Gifted Education and Identification of Gifted Learners
- EPD226 Social and Emotional Needs of Gifted Students
- EPD227 Methods and Models for Differentiating Curriculum for Gifted Learners
- EPD228 Creativity and Critical Thinking Skills in Gifted Education
- EPD229 Gifted Education Practicum I
- EPD230 Gifted Education Practicum II

For more information, please visit estrellamountain.edu/programs/gifted-education or contact Gifted Education Endorsement Program coordinator Pete Turner at peter.turner@estrellamountain.edu or 623 935 8705. To enroll in the college and register for classes, please contact Enrollment Services at 623 935 8888.

For more information about the courses, please visit www2.estrellamountain.edu/ctl/teachedu/pdct.asp. You can earn a Certificate of Completion from EMCC and a Gifted Endorsement from ADE. Requirements: Program Prerequisite: Must hold a provisional or standard early childhood, elementary, secondary or special education teaching certificate. EPD225 must be taken first, prior to any other courses in the program.



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