MA in Teaching Diverse Learners with Dual Endorsements in Special Education Generalist AND Culturally Linguistically Diverse Education (CLD)

PROGRAM OVERVIEW:
• 33 Credits
• 5 Semesters: Summer 2017 + Fall 2017 + Spring 2018 + Summer 2018 + Fall 2018
• 10 Total Courses (2 courses per semester)
• Begins Summer Semester 2017 – Ends Fall Semester 2018
• Online Delivery—Courses are offered two per semester for 16 weeks
• Cohort Model—Students must continue together as the classes are offered
• Maximum of 25 per cohort
• Classes are offered online through UNC Extended Campus

*Applicants cannot have a CLD or Special Education endorsement to be considered for this program.

For more information, visit: extended.unco.edu/diverselearners

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DOUBLE UP ON HIGHLY VALUED TEACHING SKILLS
The goal of this program is to prepare licensed teachers to strengthen their ability to teach diverse learners. After successful completion of the program, educators will obtain a master’s degree and be eligible to receive dual endorsements in Culturally/Linguistically Diverse Education and Special Education Generalist. Both endorsements are highly desirable in Colorado and across the United States.

OFFERED ONLINE—SUMMER COHORTS NOW FORMING
You will enhance your ability to recognize and develop the cognitive, linguistic and classroom skills of these two growing populations of learners.

• Dual Endorsements: In addition to earning your master’s degree, this program incorporates all of the coursework and field experiences necessary to receive both endorsements in just 33 credits. Endorsements only programs are 24 credits each.

• Focused, accelerated coursework: You will enroll in two courses each term, taking one 8-week course at a time.

• Online delivery for your convenience!

COURSEWORK
• The course of study includes nine credits in discipline blended courses, 18 credits in courses dedicated to each separate discipline, and six credits in a discipline blended field experience course.

• Approved by the Colorado Department of Education and the Colorado Commission on Higher Education for full institutional endorsements.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE
• Virtually every school is experiencing growth in the number of students who have special educational needs as well as those who bring cultural and language diversity to the classroom.

• This program will help you connect with these students in ways that empower their journey to academic success.