

BILINGUAL-BICULTURAL CERTIFICATION PROGRAM COMING TO ORANGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Fall 2020 applicants, please attend an online information session:

Tuesday, June 23 at 1:00PM

To attend our virtual information session, please register via the link below:

https://montclair. zoom.us/j/962586 00237

For additional information, please contact cehsoffsite@montclair.edu.

Are you a teacher who:

- Is proficient in a language other than English?
- Is committed to English language learners' success and the goals of bilingual education?
- · Has an interest in becoming certified to teach in a bilingual-bicultural classroom?

START YOUR BILINGUAL-BICULTURAL CERTIFICATION PROGRAM IN FALL 2020

Montclair State University will offer teachers who are proficient in a language other than English an on-site, non-degree program of study leading to New Jersey State Bilingual-Bicultural Certification. The program will consist of four courses offered at a designated school in the district during after-school hours. The sequence covers all necessary content to meet New Jersey Department of Education requirements for the Bilingual-Bicultural endorsement. All courses will be taught by full-time Montclair State faculty.

Participants will be required to complete the following courses:

- READ 520: Language Acquisition and Bilingualism
- ECEL 529: Sociocultural Foundations of Teaching Bilingual Learners
- READ 521: Literacy and the Bilingual Learner
- ECEL 527: Teaching Content in the Bilingual and Sheltered English classroom

Requirements for admission:

 Standard New Jersey teaching certificate or Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing

Note:

- Per NJDOE regulations, teachers holding only World Languages certification are not eligible for this program.
- Option is available to take an additional course to obtain your ESL Certification upon completion of this program (for Montclair State University's Bilingual-Bicultural Program completers only).

