

Monarch Lead Cohort Schedule

Cohort members will attend class via a live, web-based classroom in the evening on the same day of the week throughout the program. The application deadline is 2 weeks prior to the start of the first semester for the cohort.

Cohort 22: Summer 2021 – Fall 2022
Monday classes – 5 semesters

Cohort 23: Summer 2021 – Summer 2022
Tuesday classes – 4 semesters
Fall 2021 & Summer 2022 – The internship class meets on Mondays

Cohort 24 – Fall 2021 – Spring 2023
Wednesday classes - - 5 semesters

Application Requirements

- Resume
- Transcripts
- 2 professional references (one must be a supervisor)
- 2 essays
 1. Write a one page, single-spaced essay that explains your professional experiences and personal goals, specific ways you hope to improve public education as an educational leader, and how this degree will help you address your professional goals.
 2. Write a one page, single-spaced essay about a contemporary and critical issue facing educational leaders. Explain why it is critical and relevant to leaders and discuss what role leaders should play in addressing this issue.

Virginia public school educators receive a 25% discount off of per-credit tuition. Estimated tuition with VA Educator's discount and fees: \$13,000. Per credit tuition is subject to change based on annual rates.

Students will be prepared for educational leadership positions such as lead teacher, assistant principal, principal, and central office director.

The Monarch Lead Cohort Program is designed to help you become a transformational, equity-minded educational leader.

Want to learn more about the program?

Contact the Graduate Program

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