

ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION CERTIFICATION

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The Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction has authorized the Department of Educational Policy and Community Studies of the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee to offer an add-on alternative teacher certification program in Alternative Education that can be earned by completing two courses:

- ▶ *Students At-Risk (Causes)*
310-534
- &
- ▶ *Educating At-Risk Students*
310-535

These courses are offered in the regular and online formats. An additional course, *Alternative Schools*, 310-531, is available for students who want to study this emerging educational area in depth.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
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▶ The Student At-Risk (Causes) 310-534

STUDENTS WHO TAKE THIS COURSE WILL:

- ▶ Identify criteria used to determine the at-risk population
- ▶ Document at-risk characteristics
- ▶ Examine context factors that contribute to at-risk status
- ▶ Determine conflict and anger issues associated with at-risk students



YOU **MUST** HAVE A VALID **DPI TEACHING CERTIFICATE** IN ORDER TO EARN THIS ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION CERTIFICATE

▶ Educating At-Risk Students 310-535

STUDENTS WHO TAKE THIS COURSE WILL:

- ▶ Examine successful instructional techniques for at-risk students
- ▶ Determine the strengths and weaknesses of alternative settings for at-risk students
- ▶ Develop new educational strategies for at-risk students

► Alternative Schools 310-531

STUDENTS WHO TAKE THIS COURSE WILL:

- Learn about the history of alternative education
- Examine different models for alternative schools
- Study the development of charter schools
- Explore different ways to start alternative schools

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