

# READING (RDG)

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**RDG 560 Literacy Foundations (K-12) 3 credits**

A survey of the historical and theoretical development of literacy education and the current research-based best practices in literacy instruction.

**RDG 561 Literacy Essentials for K-5 3 credits**

An examination of the research-based components of structured literacy instruction for the elementary classroom. (8-hour Elementary K-5 Clinical)

**RDG 562 Literacy Essentials for Grades 6-8 3 credits**

An examination of research-based literacy practices for preadolescent learners in grades 6-8. (8-hour Middle School/ Gr. 6-8 Clinical)

**RDG 563 Literacy Essentials for Grades 9-12 3 credits**

An examination of research-based literacy practices for adolescent learners in grades 9 through 12. (8-hour HS/ Gr. 9-12 Clinical)

**RDG 564 Assessment, Evaluation, and Supervision in Literacy Programs (K-12) 3 credits**

Administration and analysis of individual and group assessments and strategies for supervising literacy programs and communicating student progress. (6-hour Literacy Specialist shadowing/ 80 hour Final Clinical with a continuous group of students)