

Student Learning Outcomes Library

Office of Assessment & Accreditation

Indiana State University

MA TESL/Language Studies

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Outcome	Related Foundational Studies or Graduate Goal
Students demonstrate professional communication proficiencies.	
Students engage in and meaningfully contribute to diverse and complex communities and professional environments.	
Students recognize and act on professional and ethical challenges that arise in their field or discipline.	
Students achieve mastery of the knowledge required in their discipline or profession.	
Students achieve mastery of the skills (including using appropriate tools) required in their discipline or profession.	

MA Language/Literature/Linguistics

Outcome	Related Foundational Studies or Graduate Goal
Communication—Oral and written communication skills relevant to one’s program of study	
1.1 Conversation: Able to participate effectively in most formal and informal conversations on practical, social, professional and abstract topics	
1.2 Oral Discourse Strategies: Uses proficient discourse strategies and comprehensible grammar and pronunciation	
1.3 Written Discourse Strategies: Uses appropriate discourse strategies and grammar in professional writing	
Critical Thinking—Demonstrates analytical and writing skills relevant to understanding the underlying natures of language and culture	
2.1 Analysis: Can summarize and offer cogent critiques of published or oral scholarly presentations, including evaluation of the connectedness of data and evidence to the presented argument	
2.2 Writing: Writes from an argumentative stance (thesis), not merely descriptively	
Cultural Awareness—Exposure to diversity and multi-culturalism	
3.1 Evidence: Shows evidence of this interest in participation in Mentoring Group or in group presentations composed of diverse members	
Resources—Demonstrates ability to use appropriate resources such as library, interlibrary loan and the electronic media in order to successfully complete course work requirements and produce significant research projects and/or thesis	

