

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MASTER OF ARTS
DODGE FAMILY COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

Academic Year
For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education Summer 2025 through Spring 2026

General Requirements
Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis) 33

Program
Organizational Leadership
M762
Master of Arts

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

- *This program is Non-Thesis only.*

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Core Required Courses		
CAS 5003	Introduction to Grad Studies	3
OL 5013	Interdisciplinary Foundations for Leadership	3
OL 5053	Evidence-Based Leadership in Organizations	3
OL 5113	Theories of Management and Leadership	3
OL 5133	Cultures of Organizations	3
OL 5193	Creating, Leading, and Managing Change	3
Completion		
OL 5903	Experiential Leadership I	3
OL 5953	Graduate Capstone in Organizational Leadership	3
Leadership Tracks		
Select one of the tracks below for 9 hours of focused study. Students will complete 2 required courses in their selected track and 1 additional track elective from a list of courses maintained by the academic unit and approved by the Graduate College ¹		9
<i>Organizational Leadership Track (Q491)</i>		
OL 5223	Financial Leadership	
OL 5283	Building High Performance Teams	
Elective Course		
<i>Volunteer & Non-Profit Leadership Track (Q693)</i>		
OL 5323	Fundraising and Budgeting	
OL 5353	Non-Profit Governance	
Elective Course		
<i>Governmental and Military Leadership Track (Q298)</i>		
OL 5403	Leadership in History	
OL 5463	US Military Leadership: Insights and Applications	
Elective Course		
Total Credit Hours		33

¹ Refer to the department maintained elective list for examples of electives approved by the Organizational Leadership program.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL MASTER'S DEGREES

The master's degree requires the equivalent of *at least* two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.

All coursework applied to the master's degree must carry graduate credit.

Master's degree programs which require a thesis consist of *at least* 30 credit hours. All non-thesis master's degree programs require *at least* 30 credit hours.

Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may *not* be applied to the master's degree.

To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in all resident graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

Additional information for master's degree students may be found in the Graduate College Bulletin.

More information in the catalog: (<http://ou-public.courseleaf.com/dodge-arts-sciences/communication/organizational-leadership-master-arts/>).