# Special 'Master's in Education' Charter School Cohort at St. Thomas University

We have joined with the HotChalk Partner Network, on behalf of Miami-based St. Thomas University, to make rigorous, educationfocused online master's degree programs available to our charter school's faculty and staff. These practical, accredited and affordable degree programs can accelerate and improve our effectiveness. And thanks to this new partnership, we are able to extend to qualified enrollees a \$4,400 Education Excellence Scholarship!



**Education Excellence** Scholarship



St. Thomas University's online programs cover a range of education subjects and skills, offer valuable field experience, and take only 16 months to complete. As a traditional nonprofit, faith-based institution, St. Thomas is a great fit for our specific culture and needs.



Learn with charter school colleagues from around the country.

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### M.S. in Educational Leadership

Focus on organizational management and leadership.

#### M.S. in Elementary Education

Gain a deep understanding across a broad range of K-8 subject matter topics.

#### M.S. in Reading Education

Help K-12 students master the five major reading components – phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension – and, through the study of applied linguistics, develop language-related skills such as critical thinking and modern technology literacies (e.g., digital literacy, visual literacy).

#### M.S. in Special Education

Acquire the specialized knowledge, skills, and professionalism to guide exceptional K-12 students to academic and personal achievement.

## M.S. in TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages)

Master standards-based assessment methods and proven engagement strategies to help boost child and adult learner outcomes at every level.

Call **1-877-770-5563** and speak to a Charter School Partnership Enrollment Specialist, who can answer your questions and help you get started.

# Charter School Cohort

Learn with charter school colleagues from around the country. In addition to enrolling teachers and staff from our school, St. Thomas University will be creating cohorts of charter school educators. In this unique, first-time program, you will be "going to school" with other charter school colleagues from around the country and across numerous and varied schools and networks.

While the program will have numerous start dates throughout the year, we have committed to helping fill the next cohort and adding additional resources to support our teachers with this program, this school year.

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## A full-service student experience

HotChalk will work with us to identify the best fit for your current needs, and to accommodate your specific focus areas as well as advancement opportunities. HotChalk's Enrollment Specialists work with each individual applicant to ensure he/she finds the right program for their needs, and offers a full-service student experience that assists every person from initial contact, during enrollment and the financial process, and throughout his/her tenure in the program.

This wrap-around model ensures that anyone who is admitted is supported by qualified staff and instructors – which is why one of HotChalk's other partner institutions boasts an historic 80% on-time graduation rate for a comparable master's education degree online program.

We in the charter school sector know that to be great, we must all do our part. That's why we have created this special program for our team members.

