

2023 Grad Credit – Bringing Masonry into the Masonry Classroom ***Offered by the University of Northern Iowa***

UNI does not have an online registration at this time for the graduate credit. MII will create a list of those wanting to receive grad credit and this summer, UNI will collect that information and send you an invoice. Filling out the google form from MII will hold your spot. You will have all school year (June 2023 through April 2024) to complete the requirements. Coursework must be turned in by May 1, 2024. If it is not turned in by May 1, a zero will be recorded for that assignment. Grade will be turned in May 2024. Letter grades will be given. Cost is \$300.

You may only register for one grad credit course per summer (total of 3 credits).

Level 1 requirements

Each item listed below is worth 100 points for a total of 1000 points. Asterisk means it is pass or fail and to receive credit you must do the assignment.

- attendance at the 15 hour masonry training*
- grading of project during the professional development course
- grading of quiz during the professional development course
- curriculum plan submission *
- exam/quiz creation *
- masonry unit in the classroom – 6 hour minimum *
- submit photos of the classroom layout/laying stations & demo *
- final written narrative
- student surveys *
- final survey *

Level 2 requirements

Each item listed below is worth 100 points for a total of 1000 points. Asterisk means it is pass or fail and to receive credit you must do the assignment.

- attendance at the 15 hour masonry training *
- grading of project during the professional development course
- curriculum plan submission *
- project creation
- video recording of teaching
- masonry unit in the classroom – 6 hour minimum *
- submit photos of the classroom layout/laying stations & demo *
- final written narrative
- student surveys *
- final survey *

Descriptions of requirements

1. Attendance at 15 hour masonry course - must attend all 15 hours of the program put on by the MII & BAC.

2. Grading of project – during the professional development program, you will build a masonry project. These projects will be graded by the instructors of the course, based on grading criteria that is included for teachers to use in the classroom.
3. Grading of quiz (Level 1) –10 question quiz that will be given during the training will be graded.
4. Curriculum plan – Student will create and submit their plan for the masonry demo in the classroom.
5. Quiz/Test Creation (Level 1) – Students will create a test or quiz based on their curriculum plan. Answers must be submitted.
6. Project Creation (Level 2) – Student will create a project wall using masonry. Dimensions must be included. Additional information on creating projects will be given during the training.
7. Masonry unit – Teacher must teach a minimum of a 6 hour masonry course in the classroom.
8. Video recording (Level 2) – Student must submit a video of them showing how to spread mortar onto a brick and lay it to the line (additional information will be handed out for this requirement at the training session)
9. Photos – Student will submit a minimum of 5 photos showing their demo area and students doing the demo
10. Written narrative – After the completion of the unit, the student will submit a written narrative on how the demo went/what they learned/what they would change, etc. Additional details will be provided after the training. No minimum word count.
11. Student survey – have students complete an online survey regarding their interest in masonry as a career
12. Final survey – complete the final survey

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