



SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM
Master's Degree in Special Education
 Special Education Adapted Curriculum (P-12) Certification

Degree Objective: M.A. or M.Ed.

Name: _____

Current Certification: _____

Address: _____

None

Phone (Day): _____

Degree(s) Held, Major(s) & Year(s) Granted

BA BS _____ Yr _____

Phone (Evening): _____

Institution: _____

Student ID #: _____

MA MED _____ Yr _____

Advisor: _____

Institution: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

EDS PHD/EDD _____ Yr _____

Matriculation: _____

Institution: _____

Prerequisites To Master's in Special Education

✓ Semester

- _____ _____ SPED 2000 (3) Survey of Special Education
- _____ _____ SPED 3030 (3) Introduction to Assessing Individuals with Disabilities
- _____ _____ SPED 3050 (3) Classroom and Behavior Management for Individuals with Disabilities
- _____ _____ SPED 4440/7440 (9) Practicum in Special Education
- _____ _____ READ 4010 (3) The Teaching of Reading

- Notes: 1. Any student entering the master's degree program without certification must begin taking prerequisites during the summer semester prior to beginning their program in the fall. All prerequisites are offered on campus and online through our SETWEB program.
2. SPED 4440/7440 (9 hours) can be spread across several semesters.

Program of Study

Core (15 hours)

✓ Semester

- _____ _____ SPED 7010 (3) Clinical Assessment in Special Education **OR**
 *EPSY 8120 (3) Autism Spectrum Disorders & Mental Retardation [Prereq: Permission of Dept]
- _____ _____ SPED 7230 (3) Methods for Teaching Social Skills
- _____ _____ SPED 7460 (3) Internship in Special Education
- _____ _____ SPED 7500 (3) Advanced Technology in Special Education
- _____ _____ SPED 7650 (3) Applied Project in Special Education (M.Ed.) OR SPED 7300 (3) Master's Thesis (M.A.)

* COPPA and Adapted Curriculum Students Only

Characteristics Courses (6 hours)

✓ Semester

Any two of the following courses:

- _____ SPED 7100 (3) Early Childhood Special Education
- _____ SPED 7110 (3) Mental Retardation
- _____ SPED 7610 (3) Seminar in Autism Spectrum Disorders

Methods Courses (9 hours)

✓ Semester

- _____ SPED 7210 (3) Methods for Teaching Functional Skills

Any two of the following courses:

- _____ SPED 7200 (3) Methods and Curriculum in Early Childhood Special Education
- _____ SPED 7260 (3) Instructional Design for Elementary Children w/Autism Spectrum Disorders
- _____ SPED 7270 (3) Social/Communication Instruction for Children w/Autism Spectrum Disorders

Research Courses (6 hours)

✓ Semester

Any two of the following courses:

- _____ SPED 8370 (3) Single-Subject Research Methodology in Special Education
- _____ ERSB 6200 (3) Methods of Research in Education
- _____ ERSB 6300 (3) Applied Statistical Methods in Education [Prereq: ERSB 6200]
- _____ ERSB 8310 (3) Applied Analysis of Variance Methods in Education
- _____ ERSB 8320 (3) Applied Correlation and Regression Methods in Education [Prereq: ERSB 8310]
- _____ QUAL 8400 (3) Qualitative Research Traditions [Prereq: ERSB 6200]
- _____ QUAL 8410 (3) Designing Qualitative Research
- _____ EDMS (EDEC) (QUAL) 7500 (3) Action Research [Prereq: Permission of Department]