



\_\_\_\_\_ SPED 7270 (3) Social Skills/Communication Instruction for Children with Autism  
Spectrum Disorders  
 \_\_\_\_\_ SPED 7610 (3) Seminar in Autism Spectrum Disorders  
 \_\_\_\_\_ SPED 9800 (4) Advanced Practicum in Special Education

Research Core (6)

\_\_\_\_\_ SPED 8370 (3) Single Subject Research Methodology **(Required)**  
**Choose One of the Following:**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ SPED 6300 (3) Applied Statistical Methods in Education  
**Or**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ ERSH 8410 (3) Qualitative Data Collection in Education

Applied Project (3)

\_\_\_\_\_ SPED 7650 (3) Applied Project

Final Examination

Prior to Ed.S. degree completion students must satisfactorily present and defend their SPED 7650 Applied Project to their faculty advisory committee. The committee is to be composed of three members of the graduate faculty, one of whom may be from a department other than special education.

Exam: \_\_\_\_\_ Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature	Date	Advisor Signature	Date

**CHECKLIST**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Make a tentative program of study, secure approval of your major professor, and file a copy in your file in the Graduate Studies Office.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. If transfer credits (maximum of 9 semester hours) are to be included in your program of study, have the courses approved. (Approval of Transfer Credit Forms - [www.gradsch.uga.edu](http://www.gradsch.uga.edu)).

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- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Admission to the Specialist in Education degree program and satisfactory completion of course work does not entitle a person to the Specialist in Education degree and recommendation for the Sixth-Year Certificate. To be eligible the student must be admitted to candidacy as shown below

FINAL PROGRAM OF ADMISSION TO CANDIDACY

- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. File an approved program of study no later than the completion of five (5) courses.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Deadline for applying to graduate is the beginning of the anticipated graduation date. Deadlines can be found at [www.gradsch.uga.edu](http://www.gradsch.uga.edu) (Application forms may be submitted at <http://www.gradsch.uga.edu:5080/forms/newgradms.htm>).
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Complete course work and other requirements advised by the major professor. No course work taken in non-degree status will be acceptable on an Ed.S. program of study. Changes in program must be approved by the major professor, the Graduate Coordinator and the Dean of the Graduate School. Change in program forms may be obtained from [www.gradsch.uga.edu](http://www.gradsch.uga.edu).
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. A student must enroll in at least 3 semester hours of work in the semester in which graduation requirements are completed.