

EDUCATION SPECIALIST CREDENTIAL – 4 SEMESTER

All courses must be passed with a grade of C or better. Please see your education specialist faculty advisor to plan your course of study.

Suggested 4-semester schedule.

First Year Fall Semester			First Year Spring Semester		
COURSE	Credit Hrs.	Field Hrs.	COURSE	Credit Hrs.	Field Hrs.
EDUC 412: Equity, Diversity, & Foundations of Schooling	3		SPED 410: Typical & Atypical Development	3	
ENGL 475: Language in Social Context	3		EDMS 422: Creating & Managing Effective Elementary School Learning Environments OR EDSS 424: Creating & Managing Effective Secondary School Learning Environments	5 5	45 45
SPED 345: Individuals with Disabilities in Society	3				
SEMESTER TOTAL	9		SEMESTER TOTAL	8	45

Second Year Fall Semester			Second Year Spring Semester		
EDUC 538: K-12 Literacy: Multicultural & Multilingual	4		SPED 541: Foundations of Special Education	3	
SPED 542: Managing Learning Environments	3		SPED 544: Curriculum & Instruction for Special Education II	4	
SPED 543: Curriculum & Instruction for Special Education I	4		SPED 545: Assessment of Students with Disabilities	3	
SPED 560: Access to Learning: A Focus on Individual Differences	2		SPED 592: Advanced Student Teaching Education Specialist	6	
SPED 586: Initial Student Teaching Education Specialist	6		SPED 593: Advanced Student Teaching Seminar	2	
SPED 587: Initial Student Teaching Seminar	2				
SEMESTER TOTAL	21		SEMESTER TOTAL	18	