

Advising Sheet: Special Education/Human Exceptionality Non Teaching

The special education major provides students with a bachelor's degree in special education and prepares students for professional certification as a K-12 generalist in special education. This program also prepares individuals pursuing non-teaching degrees in human exceptionality.

Admission Requirements:

- Students must have an overall GPA of 2.75.
- Students must be approved by a faculty screening committee.
- All applicants must complete SPED 330 and SPED 340 and must get a C or higher in each course with an average of 3.0 across both courses and no grade lower than a C in either course.

Retention and Exit Requirements:

- In addition to meeting all of the retention and exit requirements of the College of Education, students must maintain a 3.0 GPA in the program courses.
- If a student earns two grades of C or lower in any program courses, the student will not be allowed to progress in the program and must reapply to the program.
- Students in the program must also maintain an overall GPA of 2.75 or better. If a student's overall GPA falls below 2.75 for two consecutive semesters, the student will not be allowed to progress in the program and must reapply to the program.
- Students must have 128 total credits including credits from general education courses to graduate.
- Students must have at least 36 credits in upper division courses (300-400 level)

FBI Background Check _____

Prerequisite Courses:	Date Taken	Grade
___ SPED 330 The Exceptional Child 3cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 340 Principles of Behavior Management 3cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 201 Development and Individual Differences 3cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 204 Families, Communities, and Cultures 3cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 215 Preparing to Teach with Technology 3cr	_____	_____

Apply to Program _____

Core Requirements:

___ SPED 312 Assistive Technology 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 330 The Exceptional Child 4 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 340 Principles of Behavior Management 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED g423 Designing Instruction 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED g424 Assessment Procedures in Sped 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 429 Strategies: Severe Disabilities 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 430 Practicum in Individualized Instruction 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED g432 Direct Instruction Systems 3 cr	_____	_____

___ SPED 433 Lang. and Comm Methods in Sped 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 434 Practicum in Small Group Instruction 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 435 Math Method for Children with Disabilities 3cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 436 Secondary Special Education 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 490 Consultation and Collaboration 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 495 Student Teaching Internship 7-14 cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 201 Development and Individual Differences 3 cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 204 Families, Communities, and Cultures 3 cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 215 Preparing to Teach with Technology 3 cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 311 Instructional Technology 3 cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 401 Language and Literacy 3 cr	_____	_____
___ PE 300 Movement Therapies and Motor Develop. 3 cr	_____	_____
<u>Approved Elective Credits: Choose 9 credits</u>		
___ SPED 426 Assessment: Severe Disabilities 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED g433 The Emotionally Disturbed Child 2 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED g443 Autism 2 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 440 Biomedical Aspects of Physical Disability 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 448 Prepracticum Moderately Handicapped 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED g450 Creating Inclusive Classrooms 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 462 Seminar: Behavior Disorders 1 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED g480 Seminar in Special Education x 2 1 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 481 Advanced Issues in Behavior Disorders 2 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 485 Independent Problems 1-2 cr	_____	_____
___ SPED 498 Advanced Field Work 1-3 cr	_____	_____
___ CSED 205 Intro to Communication Disorders 3 cr	_____	_____
___ CSED 327 Sign Language I 2 cr	_____	_____
___ CSED 328 Sign Language II 2 cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 322 Children's Literature 3cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 334 Sec. School Art: Methods and Materials 3 cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 335 Elem. School Art: Methods and Materials 3cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 460 Foundations of ESL 3 cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 463 ESL Methods 3 cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 464 ESL Methods Laboratory Practicum 1 cr	_____	_____
___ EDUC 471 Interpersonal Communications 2 cr	_____	_____
___ HE 211 Health Education Methods/Elementary 1 cr	_____	_____
___ MUSC 257 Music Methods for Elem School Teachers 2cr	_____	_____
___ PE 357 Methods for Teaching Elem. Physical Educ 3 cr	_____	_____
___ PE 494 Adapted Physical Activity 3 cr	_____	_____
___ PSYC 225 Child Psychology (elem. emphasis) 3 cr	_____	_____
___ PSYC 332 Psychology of Adolescence (sec. emph.) 3 cr	_____	_____
___ PSYC g445 Psychology of Learning 3 cr	_____	_____
___ SOC 231 Juvenile Delinquency 3 cr	_____	_____