

FIVE-YEAR INTEGRATED BACHELOR AND MASTER OF ARTS IN SPECIAL EDUCATION WITH INITIAL CERTIFICATION

SPED 6550	Collaboration and Consultation for the Special Educator	3
EDUC 6598	edTPA Portfolio ¹	0
SPED 6953	Student Teaching in Special Education	6
SPED 6954	Student Teaching/DSAP Seminar in Special Education	3
Total Credits		36

¹ \$300 edTPA registration fee required

The five-year integrated BA/MA special education program includes the completion of the 18-credit minor in Educational Studies: Special Education plus two additional required courses and the comprehensive exam that are taken in senior year and applied to the year-long master's program of 30 additional credits. In total, the five-year program is comprised of 54 credits spread across the undergraduate and graduate years. A minimum of thirty credits must be completed at the graduate level.

Requirements

Undergraduate Courses

Code	Title	Credits
EDUC 2201	Explorations in Education	3
EDUC 3350	Special Learners in the Mainstream	3
SPED 4410	Autism Spectrum Disorders: Theories and Interventions	3
SPED 4411	Introduction to Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities	3
SPED 4413	Theories of and Introduction to Learning Disabilities	3
SPED 4417	Introduction to Children and Youth with Emotional Disturbances	3
Total Credits		18

Graduate Courses

SPED 5487, SPED 6561, and SPED 6999 are taken in senior year. The rest are taken in the 5th year.

Code	Title	Credits
SPED 5487	Developmental Literacy II: Essentials of Vocabulary and Text Comprehension	3
SPED 6561	Diagnostic Procedures in Special Education of Youth with Disabilities	3
SPED 6999	Comprehensive Examination in Special Education	0
SPED 5401	Augmentative Alternative Communications and Assistive Technologies	3
SPED 5419	Special Learners in the Bilingual/ESL Classroom	3
SPED 5432	Management Techniques in Special Education	3
SPED 5486	Developmental Literacy I: Fundamentals of Reading and Language Development	3
SPED 6534	Skill Development for Individualized Educational Plans	3
SPED 6537	Curriculum and Methods for Students with Mild to Moderate Disabilities	3