

Special Education Major, B.A.
Secondary Education Concentration – Science Focus

2020-2021 Catalog

All courses must be passed with a grade of C- or better.

All licensure students must complete the School of Education admission process.

Please see your Special Education advisor to plan your course of study.

First Year Fall - Semester 1			First Year - Semester 2		
Course	Credit Hrs.	Field Hrs.	Course	Credit Hrs.	Field Hrs.
ENG 1010 – Composing Arguments	3		ENG 1020 – Research and Argument Writing	3	
COMM 1010 – Presentational Speaking	3		MTH 2620 – Integrated Mathematics II	3	
MTH 1610 – Integrated Mathematics I	3		PSY 1800 - Developmental Educational Psychology	3	
Historical (General Studies) <i>Global Diversity recommended</i>	3		BIO 1080 – General Biology I (<i>recommended</i>)	3	
Arts & Humanities (General Studies)	3		BIO 1090 – General Biology Laboratory I (<i>recommended</i>)	1	
Natural and Physical Sciences (General Studies)	3		SED 2200 – Diversity and Multicultural Education	3	
Subtotal	18	0	Subtotal	16	0

Second Year - Semester 3			Second Year - Semester 4		
CLD 3510 – Perspectives in Education for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Learners	3		SED 3650 – Understanding Special Education Law and the IEP	3	
SED 2700 – Social/Emotional Development and Disorders	3		SLHS 2100 – Language Acquisition and Development	3	
SED 3600 – Exceptional Learners in the Classroom	3		SED 3625 – Instructional Methods for Supporting Students with Disabilities	3	
RDG 3111 – Emergent Literacy K-3	3		EDT 3010 – Integrating Educational Technology into Teaching	3	
CHE 1100 – Principles of Chemistry (<i>recommended</i>)	4		Arts & Humanities (General Studies)	3	
CHE 1150 – Principles of Chemistry Laboratory (<i>recommended</i>)	1		Science Focus Course	3	
Subtotal	17	0	Subtotal	18	0

Third Year - Semester 5			Third Year - Semester 6		
SED 3675 – Transition Planning and Instruction	3	15	SED 4050 – Assessment and Instructional Planning	3	15
SED 3750 – Assessment, Methods, and Assistive Technology for Severe Disabilities	3	30	SED 4200 – Reading Disabilities and Content Instruction	3	15
SED 3820 – Elementary Literacy: Intervention and Instruction for Students with Diverse Learning Needs	3	30	SED 4250 – Effective Behavioral Support Systems	3	
SED 3950 – Mathematics Instruction for Students with Disabilities	3	15	Science Focus Course	3	
Social and Behavioral Sciences (General Studies)	3		Science Focus Course	3	
Science Focus Course	3				
Subtotal	18	90	Subtotal	15	30

Fourth Year - Semester 7			Fourth Year - Semester 8		
SED 4300 – Assessment and Methods for Emotional and Behavioral Disorders	3	30	SED 4490 – Special Education Student Teaching and Seminar	12	
SED 4440 – K-12 Practicum in Special Education	6	240			
Science Focus Course	3				
Science Focus Course	3				
Subtotal	15	270	Subtotal	12	

TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 123

NOTE: 18 Credits are required for the Science Focus area. BIO 1090 (1 credit lab) and CHE 1150 (1 credit lab) can count towards the 18 credit hours. Suggested Science Focus Courses: CHE 2100 (5), PHY 2010 (4) with PHY 2030 (1), and PHY 2020 (4) with PHY 2040 (1).

This 4-year plan is intended to support advising and course registration planning. For official documentation of degree requirements, please refer to your Degree Progress Report or the University Catalog.