



### ECE - SPED Plan of Study

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Faculty Advisor \_\_\_\_\_ Degree/Major \_\_\_\_\_  
 Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_ Professional Advisor \_\_\_\_\_ Minor (If Applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Students are not limited to this plan; it is meant to be used as a guide for planning purposes in consultation with your advisor. The sample schedule is one possible path to completing your degree within four years.

#### Freshman Year

##### Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ENGL 101	Composition 1		3		
CMST 101	Or other speech for gen eds		3		
MATH	103 or 114		3		
SPED 100	Intro to Persons with Exceptionalities		3		
LIBM 205	Children's Literature I		2		
GS 100	University Experience		1		
<b>Total Fall Credit Hours</b>			<b>15</b>		

##### Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ENGL 201	Composition 2		3		
PSYC 101	General Psychology		3		
A&H Elective	Gen Ed		3		
Natural Science	Gen Ed		4		
HIST 151 or 152	US History 1 or 2		3		
<b>Total Spring Credit Hours</b>			<b>16</b>		

#### Sophomore Year

##### Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ECE 328/328L	Guidance with Young Children	Pre-Admission Ed Block	2		
ECE 328L	Guidance with Young Children Lab	Pre-Admission Ed Block	1		
EDFN 338	Foundations of Education	Pre-Admission Ed Block	2		
EPSY 302	Educational Psychology	Pre-Admission Ed Block	3		
MATH 341	Math Concepts 1		3		
Natural Science	Gen Ed		4		
<b>Total Fall Credit Hours</b>			<b>15</b>		

**Make application to program at end of semester 3  
Need minimum of 2.7 GPA**

##### Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ELED 303	Earth and Physical Science		4		
INED 411	SD Indian Studies		3		
A&H elective	Gen Ed		3		
HLTH 251	First Aide & CPR		1		
ECE 371	Infant/Toddler Developmental Appropriate Practice	Spring Only	3		
ECE 408	Assessment in Early Childhood Special Education		1		
<b>Total Spring Credit Hours</b>			<b>15</b>		

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**Junior Year**

**Fall**

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ECE 413	Early Childhood Curriculum		3		
ELED 408	Diverse K-8 Classroom		3		
SPED 410	Behavior Management		3		
ECE 411	Social Development in Early Childhood		3		
ELED 315	Foundations/Theories of Reading		2		
<b>Total Fall Credit Hours</b>			15		

**Spring**

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ECE 417	Methods of Early Childhood Education		3		
SPED 413	Severe Disabilities	Spring Only	3		
EDFN 365	Computer-based Teaching and Learning		3		
EDFN 475	Human Relations		3		
ECE 495	Practicum – Early Interventions		1		
SPED 406	Assistive Technology		3		
<b>Total Spring Credit Hours</b>			16		

**Senior Year**

**Fall**

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ELED 320	K-8 Science Methods		2		
ELED 330	K-8 Math Methods		3		
ELED 360	K-8 Social Science Methods		2		
ELED 440	K-8 Language Arts Methods		2		
ELED 450	K-8 Reading Methods		2		
ELED 459	Into – Literary Assessment		2		
ELED 495	Practicum – Pre-student teaching		2		
<b>Total Fall Credit Hours</b>			15		

**Spring**

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ECE 486	Early Childhood/SPED Student Teaching - Preschool		6		
ECE 488	Early Childhood Student Teaching		3		
EDFN 375	Methods of Tech Integration		1		
<b>Total Spring Credit Hours</b>			10		

**Total 117 – need 3 more credits (summer or in 1 semester)**

**Comments/Notes**

**Course Rotation**

Flexibility is necessary; courses in the first 3-4 semesters can be interchanged, depending on students' needs.

Courses may be taken in Summer Sessions or if necessary, another semester might need to be added.

If student has no minor, they need to add 13 credits in Semesters 4-6 or Summer to make 120 credits (required for graduation).

If student has a minor or second major, add the necessary coursework in Semesters 4-6.

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No changes may be made in Semesters 7-8 (1-year internship).

Odd Year Summers	Even Year Summers
SPED 417	SPED 406
SPED 420	SPED 485
SPED 453	SPED 460
SPED 535 (Project Second and MAT students)	SPED 410
	SPED 431

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