

Special Education Option 2014-2016

ALL CLASSES MUST BE COMPLETED WITH A "C" OR BETTER AND A 2.75 GPA.

NAME: _____

GID: _____

The Department of Education recognizes that many of its elementary education majors understand the necessity of gaining skills in the area of special education. Courses from related fields have been selected which provide preparation for pre-service teachers in special education. This option does not lead to State Endorsement in special education. *However, a notation will appear on the student's transcript.

All special education option students should follow the elementary education K-8 curriculum with these exceptions:

Delete: _____ **Credits**

Required Electives: _____ 13

Add:

Take ALL of the following:

Rubric/#	Course Title	Semester (s) Offered	Credits	Grade
EDSP 306	Exceptional Learners 0-21	Fall/Spring/Summer	3	
EDSP 307	Exceptional Learners Lab	Fall/Spring	1	
EDSP 458	Assessment and Intervention	Fall/Spring	4	
EDU 438	Literacy Assmnt, Diagn. & Instruction	Fall/Spring	3	

Take the following at MSU-Billings as your MSU-Billings Advisor Directs:

Rubric/#	Course Title	Semester (s) Offered	Credits	Grade
EDSP 462	Special Ed. Law Policies & Practice	Summer	3	

Take TWO of the following:

EDSP 301	Teaching Students w/ Learning Disabilities	Summer	3	
EDSP 302	Teaching Students w/ Emotional/Behavior Disorders	Summer	3	
EDSP 303	Teaching Students w/ Intellectual Disabilities	Summer	3	
EDSP 402	Learning Clinic	Summer	3	
EDSP 461	Positive Behavior Supports	Summer	3	

Total Credits: 23

A minimum of 120 credits is required for graduation; 42 of these credits must be in courses numbered 300 and above. Students choosing this competency voluntarily select a program that requires additional coursework above the 120 credits required for a standard four-year degree.

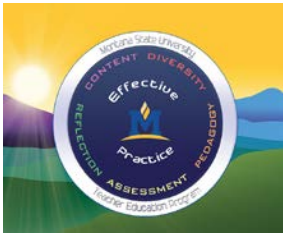
Students must declare this as an additional option by completing the appropriate form.

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Elementary (K-8) Education Major - Plus SPED Option/Endorsement
1 Summer Session/2 Summer Sessions + Student Teaching
Suggested Curriculum by Semester
2014-2016

All grades must be completed with a "C" or better and a 2.75 GPA in major, minor, option & CUM. A minor or option is encouraged but not required for this major.

Freshman Year (_____ cr) *Summer courses are recommended (not required) to reduce credit load in Fall/Spring semesters and support degree completion in 4 years – especially if adding a minor or option.*

Fall			Spring		
Course	Cr	Grd	Course	Cr	Grd
EDU 101US - Teaching & Learning	3		EDU 204IA – Creative Arts & Lifelong Learning	3	
WRIT 101W - College Writing	3		NASX Course – NASX 105D; NASX 205D; OR 232D	4	
EDU 222IS - Ed Psych and Child Development	3		History Core – HSTA 101IH; HSTA 102IH; HSTR 101IH OR HSTR102IH	3	
Life Science – BIOB 100IN; BIOM 103IN; OR APPROVED ELECTIVE	3		Earth Science – ERTH 101IN; ERTH 212RN; GEO 103CS; GEO 105IN; GEO 111IN; GEO 140IN; OR APPROVED ELECTIVE	3-4	
Math 132 - Numbers & Ops for K-8 Teachers* <i>*(Must test into Math Level 3 via MPLEX or ACT/SAT to register)</i>	3		Math 133Q – Geo & Meas. for K-8 Tchrs	3	

Sophomore Year (_____ cr) *Check course pre-requisites.*

Fall			Spring			Summer
Course	Cr	Grd	Course	Cr	Grd	
Human Cultures – GPHY 121D; GPHY 141D; ANTY 101D; SOCI 101IS; AMST101D; OR APPROVED ELECTIVE	3		EDU 211D – Multicultural Ed.	3		Application to TEPP and 1st Summer in Billings (9 credits)
EDU 331 – Lit. & Lit. for Children	3		EDU 370 – Int. Tech into Educ.	2		
TE250CS Technology & Society	3		Approved STEM Elective	3		
Physical Science – PHSX 103IN; PHSX 201IN; CHMY 102CS; OR APPROVED ELECTIVE	3-4		PSCI 210 – American Gov't.	3		
Math 234 – Adv Topics Math K-8 Teachers	3		EDSP 306 – Exceptional Learners	3		

Application to Teacher Education Program Due

Junior Year (_____ cr) *Must be at 93 credits at end of Spring semester to graduate in 4 years*

Fall			Spring			Summer
Course	Cr	Grd	Course	Cr	Grd	
EDU 382 – Assessment, Curriculum & Instruction	3		EDSP 458 – Assessment & Inter.	4		2nd Summer in Billings (9 credits)
EDU 397 – K-8 Creative Arts Methods	3		EDU 397 – K-8 Science Mthds	3		
EDU 330 – Emergent Literacy	3		EDU 342 – Mng the Lrng Environ.	3		
EDU 397 - K-8 Health Enhancement	3		EDU 395 – Practicum I	3		
EDSP 307 – Exceptional Learners Lab	1					

Make sure Billings Credits are transferred to Bozeman **Student Teaching Meeting**

Senior Year (_____ cr)

Fall			Spring		
Course	Cr	Grd	Course	Cr	Grd
EDU 438 – Lit Assessment, Diagnosis & Instr.	3		EDU 495 – Student Teaching (opt.)	12	
EDU 397 – K-8 Language Arts Methods	3		14 weeks ELED		
EDU 397 – K-8 Math Methods	3		Extended Student teaching (endors.)		
EDU 397 – K-8 Social Studies Methods	3		10 weeks ELED	8	
EDU 395 – Practicum II (Classroom)	3		10 weeks SPED	8	

Submit application for Student Teaching & Graduation **FYI - Tuition will be paid to both campuses**

Name: _____

Student ID: _____



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Autumn Semester <input style="width: 30px;" type="text"/>			Spring Semester <input style="width: 30px;" type="text"/>			Summer <input style="width: 30px;" type="text"/>		
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