

PROGRAM ROADMAP

EARLY CHILDHOOD SPECIAL EDUCATION

EDUCATION SPECIALIST PRELIMINARY TEACHING CREDENTIAL

MASTER OF ARTS IN EDUCATION

EMPHASIS IN SPECIAL EDUCATION

1st FALL SEMESTER – Program starts only in the FALL semester			TOTAL UNITS: 12
EDSE 285	MA Project Course	<i>Seminar on Issues related to Teaching Exceptional Individuals</i>	3 UNITS
EDSE 102	Speech, Language & Typical, Atypical Development		3 UNITS
EDSE 104	Atypical Development in Young Children		3 UNITS
EDSE 218A	Autism Spectrum Disorders: Moderate to Severe Disabilities		3 UNITS

1st SPRING SEMESTER			TOTAL UNITS: 9-10
EDSE 231	MA Project Course	<i>Issues and Research in Special Education</i>	3 UNITS
EDSE 108	Assessment & Evaluation: Atypical Young Children		3 UNITS
EDSE 279	Managing Behavior & Emotional Problems of Students in Special Education		3 UNITS
EDSE 235A	Movement, Mobility, Sensory & Health		3 UNITS

2nd FALL SEMESTER			TOTAL UNITS: 10
EDSE 231X	MA Project Course	<i>Educational Research: Design and Implementation</i>	3 UNITS
EDSE 221	Intervention for Young Children with Disabilities and Delays		3 UNITS
EDSE 214A	Augmentative & Alternative Communication (AAC) Strategies		3 UNITS

2nd SPRING SEMESTER			TOTAL UNITS: 12
EDSE 154 <i>Supervision</i>	Practicum & Student Teaching in Special Education (Directed Teaching) <i>One semester prior to anticipated completion date, student must submit a Supervision Course Application Form to request enrollment in EDSE 154.</i>		6 UNITS
EDSE 220	MA Project Course	<i>Research Seminar on Exceptional Individuals</i>	3 UNITS
EDSE 228A	Topics in Collaboration & Transition		3 UNITS

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS & INFORMATION:

1. Each course must be successfully completed with a grade of "B" or higher. Students must maintain a minimum 3.00 GPA.
2. Students must complete 50 hours of general education supervised fieldwork with supporting documents.
3. Upon completion of 217A (Directed Teaching), students apply for the credential:
 - a. Request a Program Planning Guide from the department by sending an email to: specialled@sjsu.edu.
 - b. Complete the Preliminary Education Specialist checklist (located on the Credential's Office website).