

San Jose State University Department of Special Education

50 Hours of General Education Field Work

Requirements:

Education Specialist credential candidates are required to complete supervised fieldwork with typical children (without disabilities) in a general education classroom for a total of 50 hours. The grade level of the fieldwork must match subject matter competency; for example, if a person met subject matter by taking the multiple subject CSET, he/she meets this requirement by working in a general education class in an elementary or middle school. If the person met subject matter by taking the single subject CSET, he/she meets this requirement by working in a high school or in some cases (in which the middle school requires a single subject credential), a middle school.

If an Education Specialist Candidate already holds a Multiple Subject or Single Subject Credential, or has already completed the student teaching courses successfully in those programs in general education, he/she does not need to complete this requirement.

The Candidate must submit (to the Department of Special Education) a letter from the principal of the school indicating that he/she observed the Candidate in the class, including an evaluation about his/her performance.

The Candidate must also submit (to the Department of Special Education) a letter from the teacher, indicating that he/she worked in the classroom and the role or activities in which the Candidate was engaged in the classroom, along with the 50 Hours of General Education Supervised Field Work form.

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Name of Candidate: _____ Date: _____

Program: _____ Mild to Moderate Disabilities _____ Moderate to Severe Disabilities _____ Early Childhood Special Education

School in which field work was completed: _____

District in which field work was completed: _____

Grade and subject in which field work was completed: _____

The following Documents are attached:

1. Letter from Teacher for verification of 50 hours of General Education instruction name: _____
2. Log of dates and times that you were in the general education classroom.

Request Approved: _____

Request Not Approved: _____

Department of Special Education

Chair signature and date: _____ Please submit this form with the items attached to the Department of Special Education Office in Sweeney Hall room 204.