

**San Jose State University
Department of Special Education**

**50 Hours of General Education Field Work
Requirements**

This requirement for the Education Specialist credential is supervised work with typical children (without disabilities) in a general education classroom for a total of 50 hours. The grade level 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 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.

The Candidate is encouraged to submit other paperwork such as a lesson plan and documentation of hours.

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Name: _____ Date: _____

School in which field work was completed: _____

District in which field work was completed: _____

Grade and subject in which field work was completed: _____

Candidate's School and District: _____
(if you are an Intern)

Program: _____ Mild to Moderate _____ Moderate to Severe _____ ECSE

Intern Credential expiration date: _____

Check here if this meets specific conditions on your Teaching Credential: _____ (some credentials specify that the teacher needs to complete

Address: _____

Phone: _____ email address: _____

Subjects taught: _____

The following Documents are attached:

_____ Letter from the Principal (name: _____)

_____ Evaluation from the Principal

_____ Letter from Teacher (name: _____)

_____ Other (list): _____

Request Approved: _____

Request Not Approved: _____

Department of Special Education

Faculty signature and date: _____

Please submit this form with the items attached to the Department of Special Education Office in Sweeney Hall room 204.