M.Ed. Program - Requirements for the Degree

Elementary/Secondary Special Education (36 credits for M.Ed.)

Program Plan for: _____ ID _____

Created _____ Revised: _____ Anticipated Date of Graduation _____

Notes: _____

Core Courses (15 credits)	Offered	term	grade
601 (3 credits) Theories of Development	Fall T1/Spr		
	T1/Summer		
605 (3 credits) Research Methods	Fall (full term)		
681 (3 credits) Curriculum Development for a Multicultural Society	Spr T1/ Summer		
choose 2 of the following 3:			
602 (3 credits) Social and Psychological Forces impacting Youth	Summer		
603 (3 credits) Personality Development & Self-Esteem	Spring T2		
604 (3 credits) Contemporary Issues	Summer		
Action Research (2 credits)			
606 (2 credits) Action Research	Spring (full term)		
Special Education Assessment and Instruction (10 credits)			
688 (3 credits) Educational Assessment and Diagnosis of Students with	Spr T1		
Special Needs 1			
690 (3 credits) Curriculum Design and Adaptations for Students with Special Needs I	Spr T2		
691 (3 credits) Curriculum Design and Adaptations for Students with Special Needs II	Fa T2		
698A (1 credit) Special Project Seminar/Internship with portfolio	Sp T1		
Clinical Courses (3 credits)			
651 (1.5 credits) Values	Winter		
652 (1.5 credits) Mediation of Conflict	Winter		
Elective (6 credits chosen from list below)			
689 (3 credits) Education Assessment and Diagnosis of Students	Fa T2		
with Special Needs II			
686 (3 credits) Foundations of Special Education (if not previously taken)			
647 (3 credits) Remedial Reaching Techniques for students with severe reading difficulties	Spring		
602/603/604 (course not taken from above can count as elective)			

MSDE teacher certification area(s)[early childhood required]: _____

PRAXIS II score (Core Knowledge and Applications): Date: _____ Score: _____ (151 minimum)

PROGRAM PLAN

Slow pace, 3 years

Year	Summer	Fall t1	Fall t2	Spring t1	Spring t2
1	601 (3)	688 (3)	691 (3)	690 (3)	603 (3)
	651 (1.5)				
2	681 (3)	605 (3)—		606 (3)	
	652 (1.5)	698A (1)			
3	602 or 604 (3)	3 credit elective		3 credit elective	

Fast pace, 2 years

Year	Summer	Fall t1	Fall t2	Winter	Spring t1	Spring t2
1	601 (3)	688 (3)	691 (3)	651 (1.5)	690 (3)	603 (3)
	602 or 604 (3)					
2	681 (3)	605 (3)—		652 (1.5)	606 (3)—	
	3-credit	698A (1)			3-credit elective	
	elective					