

School of Education
EC-6 Generalist/Supplemental
Special Education
 2021-2022 Catalog

Student: _____

ID#: _____

Advisor: _____

DATE: ____/____/____

Overall Requirements to Graduate

- 120+ semester hours
- Completion of core curriculum
- Completion of a major
- 36 upper division credit hours
- GPA above 2.0
- Major GPA above 2.0
- Minor/Program complete (optional)



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Credit Hour Breakdown	
Hours completed	
Hours in progress	
Core hours needed	
Major hours needed	
(Minor hours needed)	
(Other hours needed)	
Elective hours needed	
TOTAL HOURS (120+)	

Core Curriculum (34 hours)			Complete	Needed	
Theology (9 credit hours) Must take in order. (Pre-req: Phil 1311 or 1315/3315)					
<input type="checkbox"/> THEO 1301/3301 Intro to Sacred Scriptures <input type="checkbox"/> THEO 2301/3311 Teachings of the Catholic Church <input type="checkbox"/> THEO 3349 Christ and the Moral Life (Phil 2314 or 2316/3316)	Students with 30-59 transfer hrs: 6-9 hours THEO 6-9 hours PHIL 3 hours Synthesis <i>(18 hours total)</i>	Students with 60+ transfer hrs: 6 hours THEO 6 hours PHIL NO synthesis <i>(12 hours total)</i>			
Philosophy (9 credit hours) Choose one sequence:					
<u>Systematic Sequence (must take in order)</u>		<u>Historical Sequence (must take in order)</u>			
<input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 1311 Philosophy of the Human Person <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 2314 Ethics <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 3313 Metaphysics	<input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 1315/3315 Ancient Philosophy <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 2316/3316 Medieval Philosophy <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 3317 – Modern Philosophy				
Synthesis Course (3 credit Hours)					
Choose one synthesis course from the Synthesis Course List.					
English (9 credit hours)* Must take in order.					
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1341 The Classical Tradition: Literature & Composition I <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1342 The Middle Ages: Literature & Composition II <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 2312 The Modern World: Literature & Composition III	*Students with transfer credit: 3 transfer credits: <i>Take 1341/1342 (left)</i> 6 transfer credits: <i>Take ENGL 3312 (below)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 3312 <i>Perspectives in World Lit.</i>				
History (6 credit hours) Choose one pair of courses:					
<u>World History</u>		<u>U.S. History</u>			
<input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1335 World Community I <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1336 World Community II	<input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2333 U.S. History to 1877 <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2334 U.S. History since 1877			(Included in major)	
Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 credit hours) Choose one option:					
<u>Social and Behavioral Sciences Option</u>		<u>Social and Behavioral Sciences + Oral Communication Option</u>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Choose two courses from the Social and Behavioral Sciences Core course list.		<input type="checkbox"/> Choose one course from the Social & Behavioral Sciences Core course list. <input type="checkbox"/> Choose one course from the Communication Core Course list.			(Included in major)
Natural Sciences (8-10 credit hours) Choose one option:					
<u>Natural Sciences Option (8 credit hours)</u>		<u>Natural Sciences + Modern and Classical Language Option (10 credit hours)</u>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Choose two lecture/laboratory courses from the Natural Sciences Core course list.		<input type="checkbox"/> Choose one lecture/laboratory course from the Natural Sciences Core course list. <input type="checkbox"/> Choose two sequential courses in a language. Courses must be completed in order			(Included in major)
Mathematics (3 credit hours)					
<input type="checkbox"/> Choose one course from the Mathematics Core Course list.			(Included in major)		
Fine Arts (3 credit hours)					
<input type="checkbox"/> Choose one course from the Fine Arts Core Course list.					
Freshman Symposium (1 credit hour) Required for all incoming freshmen.					
<input type="checkbox"/> UNIV 1111 Freshman Symposium					

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Major Requirements (90 credit hours)	Completed	Needed
Mathematics (7 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 1351 – Finite Mathematics (or other college level mathematics) <input type="checkbox"/> MATH 2437 – Contemporary Mathematics for Elementary Teachers		
Natural Science (8 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Choose 2 science courses from the Natural Science core options on the previous page		
History (6 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2333 U.S. History to 1877 <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2334 U.S. History since 1877		
Geography (3 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> GEOG 2332 – World Regional Geography		
Political Science (3 credit hours) Choose one from the following:		
<input type="checkbox"/> POSC 2331 – American and Texas Government I <input type="checkbox"/> POSC 2332 – American and Texas Government II		
Professional Development (24 credit hours) Must be completed at UST.		
<input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3100 – Field Experiences Seminar I <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3101 – Field experience Seminar II <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3102 – Field Experiences Seminar III <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3304 – Introduction to Curriculum and Instruction <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3306 – Early Childhood through Elementary Age Learning <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3313 – Digital Instructional Strategies <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3339 – Multicultural Populations <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 4338 – Classroom Management <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 4360 – Student Teaching, Elementary <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 4361 – Student Teaching, Elementary		
Multidisciplinary Studies (9 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> MS 4331 – Essentials of Science <input type="checkbox"/> MS 4333 – Essentials of Mathematics <input type="checkbox"/> MS 4335 – Essentials of Social Studies		
Reading (9 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> RDGED 3304 – Teaching Reading Through Children’s Literature <input type="checkbox"/> RDGED 3305 – Foundations of Reading <input type="checkbox"/> RDGED 4325 – Diagnosis and Remediation of Reading Difficulties		
English as a Second Language (3 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> BIED 4330 – Foundations and Methods of Second Language Acquisition		
Special Education (3 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> SPED 4320 – Exceptionality in Today’s Schools		
Special Education (15 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> SPED 4320 – Exceptionality in Today’s Schools <input type="checkbox"/> SPED 4325 – Theories and Approaches to Teaching Students with Mild Disabilities <input type="checkbox"/> SPED 4329 – Practicum in Teaching Students with Mild Disabilities <input type="checkbox"/> SPED 4322 – Theories and Behavior of Students with Emotional Disorders <input type="checkbox"/> SPED 4331 – Differentiating Instruction		
Electives	Completed	Needed
Electives to reach the 120 hour minimum to graduate (0 credit hours)		
Totals	Completed	Needed
Total undergraduate hours (120 minimum):		

MINIMUM TOTAL: 120+

****Note:** Preparation for student teaching requires 50 hours of school-based field experiences, 10 hours of church/community service, and 20 hours of professional development.**