



**Bachelor of Science in Education in Elementary and Special Education
Plan of Study**

First Year Fall	
Course	Credit
IDL 190, Freshman Seminar	2
ENGL 101, Composition I	3
MATH 103, Mathematical Reasoning*	3
HIST 152, United States History II*	3
HLTH 100, Wellness for Life	1
SPED 100, Introduction to Persons with Exceptionalities	3^^
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First Year Spring	
Course	Credit
SPCM 101, Fundamentals of Speech	3^^
POLS 100, American Government	3
BIOL 101/L, Biology Survey*	3
Arts and Humanities Course (see catalog)	3^^
EDFN 102, Introduction to Education	3
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Second Year Fall	
Course	Credit
ENGL 201, Composition II*	3
GEOG 210, World Regional Geography	3
BIOL 211/L, Environmental Biology*	3^^
MATH 341, Math Concepts for Teachers I	3^^
SPED 210, Teaching Students with Exceptionalities	3
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Second Year Spring	
Course	Credit
Arts and Humanities Course (see catalog)	3
ELED 303, Earth and Physical Science for Elementary Teachers	3
EPSY 302, Educational Psychology, and ELED/SPED 296, Field Experience	3/1
EPSY 428, Child and Adolescent Development	3^^
MATH 342, Math Concepts for Teachers II	3^^
SPED 460, Family Systems and Professional Collaboration	2^^
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Third Year Fall	
Course	Credit
ELED 396, Field Experience**	1
ELED 440, K-8 Language Arts Methods	3
ELED 450, K-8 Reading Methods	3
ELRN 385, Educational Technology and Distance Teaching	3
SPED 431, Identification and Assessment in Special Education	2
SPED 432, Methods and Materials for students with LD K-12	2
SPED 441, Inclusive Methods for Diverse Learners	2
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Third Year Spring	
Course	Credit
ARTE 310, K-8 Art Methods	1
EDFN 455, Research-Based Literacy Instruction and Assessment	3
ELED 395, Practicum (Reading Clinic)	1
MUS 353, K-8 Music Methods	1
MLED 480, Middle Level Methods	2
PE 330, PK-8 Health/Safety/PE Methods	2
SPED 410, Behavior Management of Exceptional Children	3
SPED 420, K-12 Curriculum and Instructional Strategies	3
SPED 470, Educational Programming	2
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Fourth Year Fall	
Course	Credit
EDFN 472, School Law and Ethics for Educators	2
ELED 320, K-8 Science Methods	3
ELED 330, K-8 Math Methods	3
ELED 360, K-8 Social Science Methods	3
ELED/SPED 496, Field Experience	1
SEED 450, Reading and Content Literacy	2
SPED 417, Vocational-Transitional Programming	2
SPED 485, Special Education Law	2
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Fourth Year Spring	
Course	Credit
EDER 415, Educational Assessment	2^^
EDFN 440, Classroom Management	2^^
SPED 488, Student Teaching in Special Education	8
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Fifth Year Fall	
Course	Credit
ELED 488, K-8 Student Teaching	8
EDFN 475, Human Relations^^	3
INED 411, South Dakota Indian Studies^^	3
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Fifth Year Spring	
Course	Credit

*Fulfills a General Education Requirement. Other course options may be available. **Fulfills a major requirement. Other course options may be available. ***Fulfills a general elective. Other course options may be available. ^Plan includes pending program changes. ^^Courses may be available online during summer terms. This plan of study is not an official document. Depending on placement scores, developmental courses may be required. Course rotations may change. Please visit with a professional advisor at least once a semester to review appropriate course choices and plan updates.