

Licensing
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Name _____
BSU ID# _____
Date _____

Director of Exceptional Needs Licensing Program (P-12) with Master's Degree

The following items, along with the required course work, must be completed prior to applying for this license through the state.

Master's Degree completed. (This program) NOTE: Students who wish to complete this program as a master's degree and a licensing program combined, must meet all admission criteria for a master's and be accepted through the Special Education Department and the Graduate School. Completion of courses below will not guarantee a master's degree will be granted, unless you have been accepted into the master's degree program.

Hold **one** of the following licenses prior to admission to this licensure program:

A proficient practitioner, accomplished practitioner or standard grade license (with 2 years of verifiable fulltime teaching experience in Special Education in an accredited school) in a content area in exceptional needs.

OR

A proficient practitioner, accomplished practitioner or standard grade license in communication disorders

OR

A building level administrator content area

OR

A content area in school psychologist and 2 years of full-time experience as a school psychologist

Grade Level coverage: P-12

Course Prefix	Course #	Short Title	Crd.	Grade/Trans.	Course Sub.
EDAD	600	Intro into Ed Leadership	3		
EDAD	630	Human Resource Development	3		
EDAD	684	Educational Finance and Ethics	3		
SPCE	577	Intro to Students w/Int. Intervention Needs	3		
SPCE	603	Collaboration in Special Education	3		
SPCE	632	Intro to Emotional/Behavioral Disorders	3		
SPCE	636	Research in Special Education	3		
SPCE	637	Special Education Law	3		
SPCE	639	Sp. Ed. Admin. and Org. Behavior	3		
SPCE	686	Intro. Mild Interventions	3		
SPCE	687	Ed. Assessment: Mild Interventions	3		
SPCE	694	Internship in Sp. Ed. Administration	3		
Total Credit Hours				36	

NOTE: Candidates earning a Master's degree need to take SPCE 636 Research in Special Education.

NOTE: **Candidates must take SPCE 694 Internship in Special Education.**

NOTE: Coursework older than 7 years may not be accepted toward the licensure program.

Required Trainings for IDEE-issued Licenses and Permits

Suicide Prevention Training (must be issued by a state approved provider)

CPR & AED Certification (must be issued by a state approved provider)

Human Trafficking Training

Child Abuse and Neglect Training

Many courses have prerequisites. It is the student's responsibility to make sure prerequisites are met before taking any course.

Course information and State of Indiana testing requirements are subject to change without notice. While Ball State will make every effort to communicate updates directly to candidates, it remains the responsibility of each teacher candidate to contact OTES-CP annually to verify all program and licensure requirements.