



COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE: EXCEPTIONAL STUDENT EDUCATION

YEAR 1 FALL

ENC 1101	3
State Core Mathematics	3
General Education/Elective	3
EDF 1005	3
General Education/Elective	3

TOTAL: 15

YEAR 1 SPRING

ENC 1102	3
State Core Humanities	3
State Core Social Science	3
General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3

TOTAL: 15

YEAR 2 FALL

State Core Natural Science	3
General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3

TOTAL: 15

YEAR 2 SPRING

General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3

TOTAL: 15

General Knowledge Test should be taken during Year 1; test scores take 4-6 weeks to post.
College of Education strongly recommends EDF 2085 AND EME 2040 for elective coursework.

YEAR 3 FALL USE

FLE 4317 ESOL: Teaching LEP K-12	6
EEX 4202 Context and Foundations	3
EDP 3271 Child Development within a School Context	3
RED 4312 Emergent Literacy	1
EEX 4942 Practicum in Except. Teacher Candidate Edu.	1

TOTAL: 14

YEAR 3 SPRING USE

EEX 4240 Beginning to Teach	6
RED 4724 Literacy for Intermediate Grades	3
LAE 4311 Teaching Print and Multimedia Text	3
EDP 3272 Learning Within a School Context	1
EEX 4942 Practicum in Except. Teacher Candidate Edu.	1
MAE 4310 Teaching Elementary School Math	3
<i>Apply for final internship at the end of spring.</i>	

TOTAL: 17

YEAR 3 SUMMER USE

EEX 4241 Creating Effective Learning Environments	3
EEX 4742 Historical/Narratives Perspectives	3
EDP 4275 Enhancing Children's Learning & Devel. Within a School Context	1
RED 4943 Practicum in Exceptional Teacher Candidate Education	3

TOTAL: 10

YEAR 4 FALL USE

EEX 4242 Enhance Exper. in Teaching & Instruc. Decisions	6
FLE 4316 Language Principles and Acquisition	3
EDF 4430 Measurement for Teachers	3
EDF 3604 Schools and Society	3
EEX 4942 Practicum in Except. Teacher Candidate Edu.	3
<i>Recommended to take FTCE Subject Area & Professional Education Exams Fall of final year</i>	1

TOTAL: 16

YEAR 4 SPRING USE

EEX 4944 Internship: Final Internship	6
EEX 4244 Becoming a Special Education Teacher	3

TOTAL: 9

The following is additional information for the Exceptional Student Education major:

- The College of Education has a SEPARATE APPLICATION PROCESS from that of the University of South Florida. Please allow enough time to apply and received acceptance to USF before applying to the College.
- The Exceptional Student Education program admits in all three terms (fall, spring, summer).
- All applicants to the COEDU (except Exercise Science) must take and pass all sections of the General Knowledge Test, including Math, Reading, Language, and Essay.
- All applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5.
- EDF 1005 must have been passed with a C- or better. As long as all pre-requisite courses are complete or IN-PROGRESS the student may apply.
- Students are admitted as part of a cohort and will take the courses in a specific sequential order (listed above).
- Florida Teacher Certification Exams (Professional Education and Subject Area Exams) are required for graduation, as the degree is tied to earning a Florida Teaching Certificate. Students are encouraged to take these in fall of the last year to ensure enough time to retest if necessary. Certification will be reflected on the official transcripts.
- The Exceptional Student Education Program is designed to develop highly competent professionals who, together with individuals with varied exceptionalities and their families, work to enhance the quality of life through their advocacy, teaching, research, and service. This clinically rich program introduces students to the diverse settings in which they may encounter individuals with special needs. This is a full-time, cohort-style program with clinical experiences in grades K-12.

Students interested in Exceptional Student Education may email edu-advise@usf.edu

For general transfer advising inquiries please contact transfer-advising@usf.edu

