SPECIAL EDUCATION GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN TEACHING - SPRING START

	SPRING TERM	SUMMER TERM
COURSES	SPED 5300: Lifespan Development for Exceptional Individuals SPED 5370: Culturally Responsive Positive Behavior Support	SPED 5173: Diagnostic Assessment (Both Tracks) AND SPED 5274: General Curriculum Access (AC)
		OR SPED 5372: Planning Mathematics Instruction for Students with Exceptional Needs (GC)
		SPED 5375: Foundations of Literacy (GC) (also offered Fall)
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INTASC	1-10	1-10
PLACEMENT SPECIFICS	Atlas Videos, Case Studies	 Single semester placement at any grade; may meet Diverse Placement criteria (i.e., Title II, +60% F/R lunch eligible, or low-performing). Candidates employed in a school could complete clinicals in their own school. Atlas videos, Case studies
DURATION AND	SPED 5300: Reflect on observed co-teaching lessons Reflect on consultative practices	SPED 5173: Analyze IEPs to inform construction of relevant assessments. Use assessment to plan effective instruction.
COMPLEXITY (Traditional and Resident)	Reflect on professional behavior SPED 5370: Conduct PBIS project with a student in a clinical setting. Prepare all materials, arrive on time, be organized for all clinical field experiences that incorporate teaching. Write a learner profile that includes cultural and linguistic information. Conduct multiple assessments to establish baseline. Use data collection system to do ongoing progress monitoring to make informed decisions. Administer and interpret scores of assessments.	SPED 5274/5372: Plan and implement supports that match student needs. Implement instructional experiences with interactive whiteboards and/or widely available AT. Develop, implement and reflect on lessons utilizing Active Student Response (ASR) SPED 5375: Make appropriate modifications or changes to curriculum tasks/materials given scenarios in the classroom. Practice making appropriate modifications to curriculum tasks/materials given scenarios during field experiences.
FOCUS PRACTICES	Provide positive and constructive feedback to guide students' learning and behavior	 Provide positive and constructive feedback to guide students' learning and behavior
	 Assess student progress (progress monitoring) using multiple sources to make data-based decisions 	 Assess student progress (progress monitoring) using multiple sources to make data-based decisions
	Design and provide accurate instruction in a systematic manner	Design and provide accurate instruction in a systematic manner
ASSESSMENT		Technology Assessment associated with 5274/5372
DISPOSITIONS	Dispositions Self-Assessment 1 in SPED 5300	

Note: GC=General Curriculum, AC=Adapted Curriculum

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	FALL TERM	SPRING TERM (INTERNSHIP TERM)
COURSES	SPED 5380: Multiple Disabilities and Systematic Instruction (AC) OR SPED 5375: Foundational Literacy for Exceptional Individuals (GC) (Prerequisites for each: SPED 5300, 5173, 5370) AND SPED 5400: Practicum: Integrated Instructional Applications in Special Education. Prerequisites apply and applications are completed in the previous spring semester.	SPED 6475: Internship/Seminar: Special Education K-12 General Curriculum OR SPED 6476: Internship/Seminar: Special Education K-12 Adapted Curriculum
INTASC	1-10	1-10
PLACEMENT SPECIFICS	 A yearlong placement in a single site is preferred; this placement would need to meet Diverse Placement criteria (i.e., Title I, +60% F/R lunch eligible, or low-performing). The Diverse Placement criteria may be met in either a previous semester or YLI placement. The final yearlong placement for Student Teaching is tied to SPED 5400, which is always taken the semester prior to Student Teaching. Candidates employed in a school could complete clinicals in their own school. 	Student Teaching Internship (full time in a SPED classroom that matches the student's track - AC or GC)
DURATION AND COMPLEXITY (Traditional and Resident)	SPED 5380/5375: Make appropriate modifications or changes to curriculum tasks/materials given scenarios in the classroom. Practice making appropriate modifications to curriculum tasks/materials given scenarios during field experiences. SPED 5400: Analyze and reflect upon videotapes of their own teaching. Write a reflection after lesson implementation and coaching sessions. Design instruction that matches the needs of multiple diverse students in a classroom. Candidates will expand upon their field experiences through a clinical checklist.	The Student Teaching placement is in the second semester of a two-semester internship placement. Candidates complete the full-time, 16 week student teaching experience. For a complete description of student teaching requirements and expectations, please review the Student Teaching Internship handbook provided by the Office of School and Community Partnerships.
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	Assess student progress (progress monitoring) using multiple sources to make data-based decisions	Assess student progress (progress monitoring) using multiple sources to make data-based decisions
	Design and provide accurate instruction in a systematic manner	Design and provide accurate instruction in a systematic manner
ASSESSMENT	edTPA Practice Tasks 1, 2, and 3 in SPED 5400	Entire edTPA ProjectCPASTCandidate Exit Survey
DISPOSITIONS	Disposition Assessment 2 (mid-point assessment). Evaluated by faculty on COED Dispositions Rubric in SPED 5400	Dispositions assessed by US and CE in SPED 6475/6476

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