

BACHELOR OF ARTS

SPECIAL EDUCATION



THOMAS MORE
UNIVERSITY

Approved Degree Requirements Checklist

SECOND CENTURY CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS	CREDIT HOURS	MAJOR REQUIREMENTS	CREDIT HOURS
INNER CORE REQUIREMENTS		EDUCATION	
FIRST YEAR SEMINAR (For First-Year Students only)	1	<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 101, Introduction to Education	71
<input type="checkbox"/> FYE 150, First Year Exploration		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 201, Human Growth and Development	
COMMUNICATION	3	<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 202D, Educational Psychology	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 265, Educational Technology	
ENGLISH 150	3	<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 275, Classroom Environments	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 150, Literature, Writing and Research		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 301D, Practicum Seminar I and Field Experience I	
ENGLISH 200+	3	<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 302D, Practicum Seminar II and Field Experience II	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 319, Phonics and the Structure of Language	
FINE ARTS (ART, ENG CW, MUS, THR)	3	<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 325A, Teaching Language Arts	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 326A, Teaching Social Studies	
FOREIGN LANGUAGE (FRE, GER, LAN, LAT, SPA)	3	<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 327A, Teaching Science	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 328A, Teaching Mathematics	
HISTORY	3	<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 332, Foundations of Reading Instruction	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 340, Teaching Students with Special Needs in the General Education Classroom	
MATHEMATICS (MAT 121+)	3	<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 422, Principal Concepts of Assessment Practices	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>FULFILLED WITHIN THE MAJOR REQUIREMENTS</i>		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 425, Integrative Seminar	
NATURAL SCIENCE LECTURE (NSB, NSC, NSP, EXS150, BIO, CHE, PHY)	3/4	<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 341, Behavior Management of Exceptional Children	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 342, Curriculum, and Instruction for students with Learning and Behavior Differences	
NATURAL SCIENCE LAB (NSB, NSC, NSP, EXS150, BIO, CHE, PHY)	0/1	<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 343, Special Education Law: Inclusion, Collaboration, & Community	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 344, Diagnosis/Remediation of Reading and Academic Differences	
PHILOSOPHY	4	<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 345, Special Education Learning and Development through the Lifespan (P-12)	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND HEALTH SCIENCES DIVERSITY SERIES 6	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		<input type="checkbox"/> CEH 110, Exploring Identity: CEHS Diversity Series I	
SOCIAL SCIENCE (CRJ, ECO, LAW, POS, PSY, SOC)	3	<input type="checkbox"/> CEH 210, Exploring Diversity: CEHS Diversity Series II	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		<input type="checkbox"/> CEH 310, Exploring Justice: CEHS Diversity Series III	
THEOLOGY	6	<input type="checkbox"/> CEH 410, Identity, Community, Justice, and Action: CEHS Diversity Series IV	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		MATHEMATICS 6	
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		<input type="checkbox"/> MAT 121, Concepts of Mathematics for Elementary Teachers I	
OUTER CORE REQUIREMENTS (Select one.)		<input type="checkbox"/> MAT 122, Concepts of Mathematics for Elementary Teachers II	
<input type="checkbox"/> Second Major: _____		PRACTICUM FIELD EXPERIENCE AND STUDENT TEACHING 15	
<input type="checkbox"/> Minor: _____		<i>Select One Set of Practicum and Field Experience</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Outer Core Sequence (9 Hours)		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 350/359, Elementary with Special Education Practicum Seminar	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 351/361, Elementary with Special Education Practicum Field Experience II	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 362, Middle Grades with Special Education Practicum Seminar	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 363, Middle Grades with Special Education Practicum Experience II	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 364, Secondary with Special Education Practicum Seminar II	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 365, Secondary with Special Education Practicum Field Experience II	
		<i>A Student Teaching Experience will be selected based on Practicum Experience to Cover All Grade Levels:</i>	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 407A-1D/ EDU 430 (P-5) Elementary with Special Education Clinical Field Experience	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 407B-1D/ EDU 431 (5-9) Middle Grades with Special Education Clinical Field Experience	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 4171D or EDU418D and EDU 432 (6-12) Secondary with Special Education Clinical Field Experience	

TOTAL HOURS OF EDUCATION CORE 92
TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED FOR DEGREE 120

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