



COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Educational Specialist in Special Education Degree (Ed.S. program) Plan of Study

Please be advised that the Plan of Study (this form) should be filed (meaning completed, signed by your faculty advisor and you, and submitted to the Graduate Student Office in 418 White Hall) no later than the end of the second semester of coursework in the program. Registration will be **blocked** at the end of the second semester until a plan of study has been submitted.

Name _____	Banner Identification _____
KSU email _____	Date Graduate Work Began _____
Street Address _____	Degrees/Certifications/Licenses _____
City, State, Zip Code _____	Phone _____

Program Requirements

Program Elective (3 hours required)

Course #	Course Name	Alternate Course	Semester/Year Taken	Credit
_____	Program Elective ¹	_____	_____	3

Statistics and Research Design Elective, choose from the following: ¹ (3 hours required)

Course #	Course Name	Alternate Course	Semester/Year Taken	Credit
RMS 75510	Statistics I for Educational Services	_____	_____	3
RMS 75610	Classroom Assessment	_____	_____	3
RMS 85516	Qualitative Research Design	_____	_____	3
SPED 63300	Research Applications in SPED	_____	_____	3

Major Area of Study Electives, choose from the following: ¹ (12 hours required)

Course #	Course Name	Alternate Course	Semester/Year Taken	Credit
SPED 73030	Pharmacological Interventions in SPED	_____	_____	3
SPED 73950	Curriculum and Intervention in EC Svc	_____	_____	3
SPED 73956	Foundations in Early Childhood Svc	_____	_____	3
SPED 73957	Assessment and Eval of EC Services	_____	_____	3
SPED 73996	Individual Investigation in SPED	_____	_____	3
SPED 74200	Curriculum Meth for Transition Plan	_____	_____	3
SPED 80002	Analysis of the Literature in SPED	_____	_____	3
SPED 80005	Empirical Investigations in SPED	_____	_____	3
SPED 83201	Contemporary Issues in SPED	_____	_____	3

Minor Area of Study Electives, choose from the following: ¹ (12 hours required)

Course #	Course Name	Alternate Course	Semester/Year Taken	Credit
CES 78011	Foundations of School Counseling	_____	_____	3
CES 77531	Counseling Skills and Techniques	_____	_____	3
CES 78182	Career Counseling	_____	_____	3
EDLE 76542	Principles and Techniques of Supervision	_____	_____	3
EPSY 75520	Child and Adolescent Development	_____	_____	3
EPSY 75521	Adult Development	_____	_____	3
EPSY 75524	Learning Theories	_____	_____	3
RMS 78807	Program Evaluation	_____	_____	3
SPED 73204	Legal and Policy Foundations of SPED	_____	_____	3
Minimum Total Credit Hours:			Total	30

¹ All electives, including additional coursework, must be approved by the student's Ed.S. degree committee.

Signatures

Student _____

Date _____

Advisor _____

Date _____

Notes

- Students have 5 years to complete the Ed.S. Students who require an extension will complete the request for time extension form which can be accessed here: <https://www.kent.edu/ehhs/ogs/forms> The extension may be denied resulting in dismissal of the student, or the extension may be granted with qualification.
- The minimum number of graduate hours required for the Ed.S. degree is **30. A minimum of 6 hours of coursework in statistics and research design are required.**
- No more than 9 graduate hours (if approved by your advisor **and** that meet the currency and grade requirements) may be **transferred** from another institution **and/or from a non-degree program even if at KSU**. Additionally, only **4** hours of graduate **workshop credit**, if approved by your advisor and that meet the currency and grade requirements, may apply towards your degree and these hours would be counted in the maximum of 9 graduate hours outlined in the previous sentence.
- Generally, **application for graduation** is required the first Friday of the semester you plan to graduate. It is your responsibility to submit the application to the Office of Graduate Student Services by the due date. No reminder is provided. You can learn more here: <https://www.kent.edu/registrar/application-graduation-deadlines>

Additional Notes: