Mission Statement

The mission of the Master of Education degree with a major in Special Education is to prepare candidates to lead their schools and communities in providing services to students with disabilities.

The Master of Education degree in Special Education with an emphasis in dyslexia provides the opportunity for the student to become a specialist in the field of dyslexia and related learning differences.

The program requires two years of graduate study, extensive practica teaching hours, and clinical teaching hours.

Required Courses

- SPED 5103 Survey of Dyslexia and Related Learning Disabilities
- SPED 5113 Promoting Early Language Development of the Dyslexic Student*
- SPED 5123 Reading Fluency Instruction and Assessment for the Dyslexic Student*
- SPED 5133 Morphological and Syntactical Awareness for the Dyslexic Student*
- SPED 5143 Cognitive and Linguistic Structure of Written Language for the Dyslexic Student*
- SPED 6913 Special Education Law
- SPED 6943 Practicum in Special Education
- COUN 6013 Human Relations
- EDUC 5053 Introduction to Educational Research
- EDUC 6753 Applied Research

Six (6) additional hours chosen from the following:

- SPED 5613 Foundations of Special Education
- SPED 6013 Teaching Strategies for Affective Disorders
- SPED 6033 Early Childhood Special Education
- SPED 6963 Foundations of Special Education Leadership

*Practicum Experience

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