

**Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies
Special Education (Grades EC-12) with Dual Certification in Generalist (Grades 4-8)
2017-2018 Degree Plan**

Core Curriculum (See note below)	42 SCH	
	Grd	SCH
(010) COMMUNICATION		
ENGL 1301 Composition I		3
ENGL 1302 Composition II		3
(020) MATHEMATICS		
MATH 1314 College Algebra		3
(030) LIFE & PHYSICAL SCIENCES		
Life & Physical Science		3
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(040) LANGUAGE, PHILOSOPHY AND CULTURE		
Language/Philosophy/Culture		3
(050) CREATIVE ARTS		
Creative Arts		3
(060) AMERICAN HISTORY		
HIST 1301 American History to 1865		3
HIST 1302 American History since 1865		3
(070) GOVERNMENT/POLITICAL SCIENCE		
GOVT 2305 Federal Government		3
GOVT 2306 Texas Government		3
(080) SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE		
Social & Behavioral Science		3
(090) COMPONENT AREA OPTION		
SPCH 1315 Fund of Public Speaking		3
Component Option Course from Approved List		3
Required Support Courses	13 SCH	
	Grd	SCH
EDED 1301 Intro to Teaching		3
UNIV 1101 Jaguar Tracks 1		1
UNIV 2101 Jaguar Tracks 2		1
UNIV 3101 Jaguar Tracks 3		1
UNIV 4101 Jaguar Tracks 4		1
MATH 1350 Fundamentals of Math I		3
MATH 1351 Fundamentals of Math II		3
***Recommended that all courses above be completed before Field Residency I Semester. AAT Completion Highly		

Note about core curriculum courses: Other courses may satisfy core curriculum requirements. Courses listed under the core curriculum above are also specific degree requirements, and are recommended in the core to expedite degree completion.

Completion of this degree plan requires admission to the Educator Preparation Program and successful completion of required field residencies and student teaching.

Completion of 45 hours; EDED 1301, ENGL 1301, ENGL 1302, MATH 1314, MATH 1350, MATH 1351, HIST 1301, HIST 1302, HIST 2301, EDUC 1301, SPCH 1315, and 2 Life & Physical Sciences all with a C or better; Cumulative GPA of 2.75; Qualifying scores in Reading, Writing and Mathematics; and a n official degree plan on file.

Students who do not meet teacher preparation and certification requirements may be required to switch to a non-certification degree program.

Major Courses	65 SCH	
Courses are listed in suggested order of completion		
'C' or higher required in EDXX courses	Grd	SCH
EDEC 3307 Child/Adol Dev as it Impacts Inst		3
EDED 3340 Health and P.E. for EC/Elem		3
EDRG 3315 Foundations of Early Literacy		3
EDSE 3345 Survey of Exceptional Individuals		3
HIST 2301 Texas History		3
EDRG 3389 Teach Reading in INT & MS Sch		3
EDSE 3346 Dev. of Exceptional Individuals		3
EDSE 3347 Beh. Mgt for Except. students		3
EDSE 3348 Ed. Proc for Exceptional Ind.		3
EDSE 4340 Collab.&Trans. Incl. Settings		3
EDBL 3321 Meth for Tch. English - Non Eng.		3
EDED 3357 Eng/LA Mth MS/Sec		3
EDED 3358 Classroom Mgt. for MS/Sec		3
EDED 3359 Social Studies Methods MS/Sec		3
EDSE 4346 Assessment of Except Students		3
EDFR 3110 Field Residency I		1
EDED 4309 Legal & Ethical Issues in Educ		3
EDED 4356 Science Mthds MS/Sec		3
EDED 4357 Math Mthds MS/Sec		3
EDSE 4347 Federal & State Regulations		3
EDFR 3120 Field Residency II		1
EDFR 4613 Student Tchng: Field Residency III **Unpaid semester at A&M-SA**		6

NOTE: For state approved programs leading to certification, as the state implements new requirements for certification, changes at the state level become compulsory at the time required with or without notice. It is the student's responsibility to consult their major academic advisor and catalog for any new updates or changes. Catalog and Degree Plans expire in 5 years.

Highly Qualified: In order to be Highly Qualified to teach a specific content area in grades 6-8, a student must complete a minimum of 24 content hours (12 of which must be upper level). Students need to see an Academic Advisor for recommended courses in one of the following areas Math, English Language Arts, Science, and Social Studies.

ESL Endorsement Option: requires students to complete an additional 6 additional hours by taking EDBL 3315 Second Language Acquisition and EDBL 3320 Test and Measurement in BIL and ESL.

120 CREDIT HOURS REQUIRED FOR DEGREE
45 ADVANCED CREDIT HOURS REQUIRED FOR DEGREE

30 UPPER-DIVISION HOURS AND 25% OF TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS REQUIRED FOR THIS DEGREE MUST BE COMPLETED AT A&M-SA TO SATISFY RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT