

# DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

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Special Education prepares personnel to work with individuals who have a variety of disabilities. Program options include dual licensure early childhood, cross categorical special education which prepares special educators to teach students with learning and behavior disorders, autism, and cognitive disabilities.

## Major/Emphases

Writing Proficiency Requirement: Requirement accomplished in several courses within the emphasis course sequence.

Grades of Incomplete or below a C (i.e., C- or lower) in special education courses (prefix SPECED or SPECFLD) and in MATH 147 and ELEMED 425 (or substituted courses) must be removed before the student can enroll in SPECFLD 489.

## Department Staffing Procedure

Students in the department of Special Education are expected to maintain professional dispositions as they matriculate. Students experiencing difficulty may be asked to participate in a department staffing to assist the student in the drafting of a plan to facilitate improvement in professional disposition and successful completion of their program.

## Major in Special Education

- Special Education: Cross Categorical Emphasis (BSE) (<http://uww-public.courseleaf.com/undergraduate/education-professional-studies/special-education/special-education-major-cross-categorical-program-cognitive-disabilities-bse/>)

## Minors in Special Education

- Adaptive Education Licensure (<http://uww-public.courseleaf.com/undergraduate/education-professional-studies/special-education/special-education-minor-adaptivelicensure-education-majors/>)
- Disability in Community, School, and Society (<http://uww-public.courseleaf.com/undergraduate/education-professional-studies/special-education/disability-in-community-school-and-society-minor/>)