

SPECIAL EDUCATION FOR MODERATE AND SEVERE DISABILITIES, MASTER OF ARTS IN EDUCATION (0438)

Program Completion Requirements

Prior to earning certification, candidates must complete program requirements and meet praxis exam scores (see www.ets.org (<http://www.ets.org>)).

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The MAE Special Education program in Moderate and Severe Disabilities offers courses and experiences for the advanced preparation of special education teachers who teach students with low incidence disabilities.

Program Admission

Applicants must have or be eligible for a teaching certificate and must submit a copy of the certificate or statement of eligibility with their applications.

Graduate Studies Admission

Please refer to the admission section (<http://catalog.wku.edu/graduate/admission/>) of this catalog for Graduate Studies admission requirements.

Program Requirements (33 hours)

This program will focus on the assessment, instructional strategies, and/or areas of professional growth consistent with serving students with Moderate and Severe Disabilities.

Code	Title	Hours
EDU 502	Positive Learning Environment	3
SPED 517	Transition Services and Programs for Individuals with Disabilities	3
SPED 630	Special Education Law and Finance	3
SPED 618	Social Skills Instruction & Behavioral Programming for Students with Disabilities	3
SPED 590	Advanced Internship in Special Education	3
SPED 501	Introduction to Applied Behavior Analysis	3
SPED 535	Curriculum for Individuals with Moderate and Severe Disabilities	3
SPED 529	Assessment of Students with Moderate to Severe Disabilities	3
SPED 615	Instructional Strategies for Students with Moderate and Severe Disabilities	3
SPED 610	Characteristics of Low Incidence Disorders	3
SPED 612	Collaboration between Schools and Stakeholders for Individuals with Disabilities	3