UNLV Graduate College 2020-2021 Catalog

**PLAN OF STUDY - Part II**

**MASTER OF EDUCATION – SPECIAL EDUCATION**

**Early Childhood Special Education Preschool Track**

Complete this form and upload it into the Plan of Study – Part I available in your [Grad Rebel Gateway](https://unlv-gradcollege.force.com/GradRebelGateway/ERx_Forms__Portal_Login) student portal on the Forms tab under Required Forms. Once submitted, the form will route electronically for signatures. Upon approval by the Graduate College, the status of your form will be updated in the Grad Rebel Gateway.

Refer to the 2020-21 Graduate Catalog for degree requirements:

<https://catalog.unlv.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=31&poid=9395>

**COURSE REQUIREMENTS**

**Required Courses - 6 Credits**

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| EPY 702 |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
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**Early Childhood Special Education Courses - 15 Credits**

Complete 15 credits from the following list of courses, or other advisor-approved courses:

ESP 771, ESP 772, ESP 773, ESP 774, ESP 775

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**Cognate Course - 3 Credits**

Complete one of the following courses: ESP 778

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**Elective Course - 9 Credits**

Complete nine credits of advisor-approved course work.

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**Fieldwork Courses – 3-9 Credits**

Three (3) credits of fieldwork are required for the Master's degree. For licensure in the state of Nevada, a total of nine (9) credits of fieldwork are required, with two different required placements: one working with young children from birth-2 and one working with young children (3-5) in an early childhood special education setting on a public school campus.

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| **TOTAL CREDITS** |       | Minimum credits required for graduation = **36** |

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| **GRADUATION POLICIES** |
| * A minimum of 50 percent of the degree program must be 700-level courses excluding thesis, dissertation, or professional/scholarly paper. Individual departments may require more than the Graduate College minimum.
* Courses used to fulfill requirements for one degree may not be used toward another degree.
* A candidate for an advanced degree or graduate certificate must have a minimum Graduate Program Grade Point Average of 3.00 to be eligible to graduate or receive the certificate.
* Refer to the [Thesis and Dissertation Format and Submission Guidelines](https://www.unlv.edu/graduatecollege/thesis) webpage for a breakdown of requirements.
* Refer to the Graduate Catalog for all [Academic](https://catalog.unlv.edu/content.php?catoid=25&navoid=5294#Credit_Requirements), [Transfer Credit](https://catalog.unlv.edu/content.php?catoid=25&navoid=5294#transfer_credit_policy), and program-related policies and requirements.
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