

Secondary Special Education 4+1 Program for Secondary Education Students

The recommended schedule illustrates when secondary education students could complete the 33 graduate credits for the 4+1 track in secondary special education within the M.Ed. in Exceptional Children and Youth. This plan is only for UD secondary education majors. Students cannot take more than 9 graduate credits prior to matriculating in the graduate program. Please note that the days on which courses are scheduled may change. If you anticipate not following the recommended schedule please contact your undergraduate advisor, graduate advisor and 4+1 coordinator.

Years	Summer	Fall	Winter	Spring
Sophomore/Junior		Undergraduate courses EDUC 415: Practicum in Secondary Special Education (1 cr.) in fall or spring		
Senior		Undergraduate courses EDUC 680: (MON) Educational Evaluation: Exceptional Children & Youth (3 cr.) EDUC 757: (THURS) Diagnosis & Instruction in Literacy: Grades 4-12 (3 cr.)	EDUC 673: (MON/THURS-hybrid) School-to-Adult Life Transitions & Disability (3 cr.)	Student Teaching
Students graduate in May with a bachelor degree and institutional recommendation for secondary education teacher certification.				
Graduate Student (+1 year)	** EDUC 653: (MON/WED) Assistive Technology: High Incidence Disabilities. (3 cr.) **EDUC 658: (TUES/THURS) Discipline and Classroom Mgmt. (3 cr.)	EDUC 750: Graduate Teaching Internship (3 cr.) EDUC 674: (TUES) Special Education Instruction & Curriculum: Secondary (3cr.) EDUC 681: (WED) Techniques for Beh. Change and Positive Behavior Supports (3)		EDUC 750: Graduate Teaching Internship (3 cr.) EDUC 745: (TUES) Collaborative Teaming in Spec. Ed. (3 cr.) EDUC 682: (THURS) Special Issues in Special Ed. (3cr.)
Students will graduate with the M.Ed. and institutional recommendation for special education teacher certification.				

** Offered second summer session (mid-July to mid-August).