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Elementary Teacher Education/Special Education (ETE/SE) concentration

Students in the ETE/SE concentration will have 5 free electives available. These may be used toward other academic programs such as a minor and/or 4+1 graduate program.

ETE/SE students who enroll in the Disabilities Studies (DIST) Minor would use 4 of their 5 free elective courses. For example:

DIST core required courses

EDUC 230 (double counts for ETE and minor)

HDFS 270 (free elective)

DIST 465 (free elective)

DIST topic area courses*

Human Development:

EDUC 205 (double counts for ETE and minor)

Social Systems:

(free elective; choose from DIST minor pre-approved list)

Service Delivery:

(free elective; choose from DIST minor pre-approved list)

*At least one of the DIST topic area courses must be outside the major and major department (e.g., outside of EDUC for ETE students).

ETE/SE students who enroll in the DIST minor and plan to apply to the 4+1 Master's program autism/severe disabilities concentration would use their 5 free elective courses as follows:

DIST core required courses

EDUC 230 (double counts for ETE and minor)

HDFS 270 (free elective)

DIST 465 (free elective)

DIST topic area courses*

Human Development:

(free elective outside of EDUC; choose from DIST minor pre-approved list))

Social Systems:

EDUC 673 (free elective; double counts toward DIST minor and 4+1)

Service Delivery:

EDUC 682 or EDUC 745 (free elective; double counts toward DIST minor and 4+1)

*At least one of the DIST topic area courses must be outside the major and major department (e.g., outside of EDUC for ETE students).

Note: Students must have DIST minor advisor approve course substitutions for graduate courses. Students are advised to check that in the process of double-counting courses they will have a sufficient total number of credits for their degree.

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Early Childhood Education (dual certification)

Students in the ECE major may use focused and free electives toward other academic programs such as a minor and/or 4+1 graduate program.

ECE students who enroll in the Disabilities Studies (DIST) Minor would need 3 - 4 elective courses. For example:

DIST core required courses

EDUC 230 (double counts for ECE and minor)

HDFS 270 (focused elective)

DIST 465 (free elective)

DIST topic area courses*

Human Development:

BISC 105 (double counts for ECE requirements and minor)

Social Systems:

HDFS 202 (double counts for major and minor)

or free elective (choose from DIST minor pre-approved list)

Service Delivery:

(free elective; choose from DIST minor pre-approved list)

*At least one of the DIST topic area courses must be outside the major and major department (e.g., outside of HDFS for ECE students).

ECE students who enroll in the DIST minor and plan to apply to the 4+1 Master's program autism/severe disabilities concentration could use elective courses as follows:

DIST core required courses

EDUC 230 (double counts for ETE and minor)

HDFS 270 (focused elective)

DIST 465 (free elective)

DIST topic area courses*

Human Development:

BISC 105 (double counts for ECE requirements and minor)

Social Systems:

EDUC 673 (free elective; double counts toward DIST minor and 4+1)

Service Delivery:

EDUC 745 (free elective; double counts toward DIST minor and 4+1)

* At least one of the DIST topic area courses must be outside the major and major department (e.g., outside of HDFS for ECE students).

Note: Students must have DIST minor advisor approve course substitutions for graduate courses. Students are advised to check that in the process of double-counting courses they will have a sufficient total number of credits for their degree.