**STUDENT INFORMATION**

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| **Student’s Name:** | **NAU ID:** |
| **E-mail Address:**      @nau.edu | **Phone Number:** |
| **Enrollment Term:**        (ex. Summer 2016) | **Expected Graduation:**       (ex. Spring 2018) |
| **Advisor:** | |
| **Total Required Credits for this Degree Program:** **37-52** | |
| **This is the:**  **Initial** (upon admission)  **Final** (submitted with Graduation Application) **Program of Study** | |

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| 1. **Block A – Foundation Education Coursework (15 units required, unless waived)** | | | | | | | | |
| 1. **Educational Foundations (3 units required):** Select ONE course from EDF 500, EDF 670, EDF 671, EDF 672, or EDF 677. | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. **Elementary Curriculum and Instruction (6 units required)** | | | | | | | | |
| \* | ECI 531 | Foundations of Reading Instruction |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \* | ECI 573 | Teaching and Learning Elementary School Mathematics |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. **Structured English Immersion (3 units required):** BME 500 and BME 631 (or approved equivalents). | | | | | | | | |
| \* | BME 631 | Structured English Immersion and Sheltered English Content Instruction |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. **Educational Psychology (3 units required):** Select ONE course from the following courses: EPS 605, EPS 610, or EPS 611. | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. **Block B – Required Special Education Certification Courses (37 units required)** | | | | | | | | |
| \* | ESE 526+ | Foundations and Methods in Secondary Special Education  *Co-req: 1 unit of ESE 608* |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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| \* | ESE 548 | Survey of Special Education |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \* | ESE 634 | Advanced Foundations of Moderate to Severe Disabilities  *Pre-req: ESE 548 or Special Education Survey Milestone* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \* | ESE 649 | Advanced Foundations and Legal Aspects of Special Education: Mild to Moderate Disabilities  *Pre-req: ESE 548 or Special Education Survey Milestone* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \* | ESE 650 | Evidence-based Practices and Research in Math and English Language Arts  *Pre-req: ESE 608* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \* | ESE 655 | [Advanced Assessment And Eligibility Of Exceptional Learners](http://catalog.nau.edu/Courses/course?courseId=003122&term=1157)  *Pre-req: ESE 548 or Special Education Survey Milestone* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \* | ESE 660 | [Advanced Foundations and Methods of Learning Disabilities and Language Disorders](http://catalog.nau.edu/Courses/course?courseId=003125&term=1157)  *Pre-req: ESE 548 or Special Education Survey Milestone* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \* | ESE 664 | Advanced [Methods In Special Education: Moderate to Severe Disabilities](http://catalog.nau.edu/Courses/course?courseId=003102&term=1157)  *Pre-req: (ESE 434 or ESE 634) and (ESE 548 or Special Education Survey Milestone)*  *Co-req: ESE 608* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \* | ESE 670 | [Advanced Classroom Management And Behavior Analysis Of Students With Challenging Behaviors](http://catalog.nau.edu/Courses/course?courseId=003126&term=1157)  *Pre-req: ESE 548 or Special Education Survey Milestone* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \* | ESE 608 | Fieldwork Experience (to be taken with Methods Courses+) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \* | ESE 591 | Special Education Student Teaching: Mild/Moderate Disabilities |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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**Additional Information**

Block A –Education Coursework

* The courses in this block are required for those candidates entering the program without an education degree. These candidates could be eligible for certification in Special Education Mild to Moderate Disabilities upon completion of the degree requirements and earning a passing score on the State Certification Exam(s)
* Candidates with an education degree will be evaluated by the department prior to admission. Upon transcript and prior completed coursework evaluation, requirements in Block A may be considered met and/or transfer credit may be applied.
* Note: [EDF 500](http://catalog.nau.edu/Courses/course?courseId=002253&catalogYear=1415) and [EPS 605](http://catalog.nau.edu/Courses/course?courseId=002981&catalogYear=1415) are strongly recommended if you did not complete an undergraduate education degree or certification program.
* For the Structured English Immersion (SEI) endorsement, candidates who have full SEI endorsement at admission must provide proof of the full endorsement. If proof of the full SEI endorsement is not presented at admission, the candidate is required to take the BME courses (i.e., BME 631) as part of their program of study.

Block B – Required Special Education Certification Courses

* All courses must be selected with the written approval of a special-education faculty advisor. Deviations from these guidelines for individual candidates must be approved in writing by the advisor and the departmental chair on this official form. In addition, you must be admitted to this degree program before finishing your first 12 units of graduate work.
* Please Note:
  + Candidates must also pass the required Arizona Educators Exam of Special Education and Professional Knowledge: Elementary, and meet State requirements on Federal and State Constitutional knowledge for Arizona Teacher Certification.

Be aware that Arizona state teacher certification requirements leading to Institutional Recommendations may change at any time, and may impact program of study requirements.

**Signatures**

By signing below, you agree to the following statement:

*“Students are responsible for complete knowledge of Academic Catalog requirements in their degree plan for their catalog year and adhering to all policies in the Academic Catalog.”*

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| **Student:** | **Date:** |
| **Advisor:** | **Date:** |
| **Chair** (required for Final)**:** | **Date:** |

**\*\*Transfer/Equivalent/Previous Graduate Degree** – Must have Advisor approval

Transfer T = Course transferred from another university

Previous Graduate Degree P = Course taken at NAU from previous graduate degree

Equivalent E = Course taken at NAU in place of required course

Internal Transfer I = Graduate level course taken as undergraduate; Not applied to undergraduate degree

**Transfer Credit Example:**

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|  | **ABC 123** | **Fundamentals of English** | **ASU 456** | **Fall** | **2012** | **3** | **A** | **T/ASU** |