**STUDENT INFORMATION**

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| **Student’s Name:** | **NAU ID:** |
| **E-mail Address:**      @nau.edu | **Phone Number:** |
| **Enrollment Term:**        (ex. Summer 2013) | **Expected Graduation:**       (ex. Spring 2015) |
| **Advisor:** | |
| **Total Required Credits for this Degree Program:** **37-55** | |
| **This is the:**  **Initial** (upon admission)  **Final** (submitted with Graduation Application) **Program of Study** | |

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| 1. **Block A – Foundation Education Coursework (18 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 (6 units required):** BME 500 and BME 631 (or approved equivalents). | | | | | | | | |
| \* | BME 631 | Structured English Immersion and Sheltered English Content Instruction |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \* | BME 500 | Foundations of Structured English Immersion |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 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  *Pre-req: ESE 548 and ESE 649*  *Co-req: 1 unit of ESE 608* |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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

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**Additional Information**

Block A –Education Coursework

* The courses in this block are required for those candidates entering the program without a degree or certification in elementary or secondary education.
* For candidates who have a degree in elementary education, and a full Structured English Immersion (SEI) endorsement, these requirements are waived.
* For candidates who have certification in secondary education, the Elementary Curriculum and Instruction block (ECI) is required, but the Educational Foundations and Educational Psychology courses (EDF and EPS) can be waived.
* 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 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 500 and 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** |