

Director of Special Education





AVAILABLE COURSES

EEND 600 (3)

Introduction to Special Education Finance

EEND 606 (3)

Supervision of Programs for Exceptional Children

EEND 641 (3)

Legal and Historical Foundations in Special Education

EEND 644 (3)

Specialized Curriculum and Methods in Special Education

ENDORSEMENT NOTE

The University of St. Francis does not currently offer a full program for the Director of Special Education endorsement. The courses noted are those frequently required to satisfy deficiencies for educators pursuing the endorsement via ISBE credential evaluation.

APPLY COURSES TOWARD M.S. DEGREE

Graduate credit earned through the REAL program may be used toward requirements for select master's degree programs in the College of Education.



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SPECIAL TOPIC ONLINE GRADUATE COURSES

Serving Special Populations

DYSLEXIA & READING DISABILITIES

- Dyslexia & Reading Disabilities: 1 in 5
- · Foundations and Structure of Oral and Written Language
- · Multi-Sensory Teaching Strategies

EARLY CHILDHOOD

Child Growth & Development for Educators

ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS

- Biliteracy Education
- · Serving ELL Students with Special Needs
- · Supporting ELL Students in the Inclusive Classroom
- · Welcoming Newly Arrived EL Students

GIFTED EDUCATION

- · Curriculum and Instruction for Gifted and Talented Students
- · SEL for Gifted and Talented Students
- · Survey of Gifted Education

SPECIAL EDUCATION

- · Autism Spectrum Disorders
- · Behavioral Strategies for the Heterogeneous Classroom
- · Driver Education for Students with Disabilities
- Remote Learning through a Special Education Lens
- · Response to Intervention

Supporting Student Well-Being

CHARACTER EDUCATION

- · Educating for Character
- · Ethical Decision Making and Virtue Development

ENHANCING THE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

- Creating Successful Teaching and Learning Environments
- · Engaging eLearning
- Implementing Student Learning Communities
- Legendary Teacher Traits
- · Remote Learning: The Basics and Beyond
- · Remote Learning through a Special Education Lens
- · Restorative Practices in the Classroom
- · Strategic Collaborations for the Classroom
- · Strategies to Support Blended Learning
- · Using Technology to Flip Learning

SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL LEARNING

- Social-Emotional Learning: Principles and Practices
- Enhancing the Social Emotional Climate of a Classroom with Mindfulness



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