

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN SPECIAL EDUCATION  
PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM OF STUDY**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Initial Conference \_\_\_\_\_ Advisor \_\_\_\_\_

**COURSES TO BE COMPLETED AT JONES COUNTY JUNIOR COLLEGE**

**FRESHMAN YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (16 hours)**

| Course                         | Hours | Grade | Course  | Hours | Grade |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|---|-------|-------|
| ENG 1113 English Composition I | 3     |       | PSY 1513 General Psychology   | 3     |       |
| MAT 1313 College Algebra       | 3     |       | HIS 2213 American History I, HIS 1113 Western Civilization, ENG 2223 American Literature I, ENG 2323 British Literature I | 3     |       |
| BIO, PH, CH, GG with lab       | 4     |       |   |       |       |

**FRESHMAN YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (16 hours)**

| Course   | Hours | Grade | Course  | Hours | Grade |
|--|-------|-------|---|-------|-------|
| ENG 1123 English Composition II                    | 3     |       | SOC 2113 Introduction to Sociology  | 3     |       |
| MAT 1723 Real Number System or math above MAT 1313 | 3     |       | HIS 2223 American History II, HIS 1123 Western Civilization II, ENG 2233 American Literature II, ENG 2333 British Literature II | 3     |       |
| BIO, PH, CH, GG with lab                           | 4     |       |   |       |       |

**SOPHOMORE YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (15 hours)**

| Course   | Hours | Grade | Course                                    | Hours | Grade |
|--|-------|-------|---|-------|-------|
| PSY 2533 Human Growth & Development                      | 3     |       | MAT, BIO or GG elective (no lab required) | 3     |       |
| ART 1113 Art Appreciation or MUS 1113 Music Appreciation | 3     |       | Endorsement area course or elective       | 3     |       |
| CSC 1113 Computer Concepts (elective)                    | 3     |       |   |       |       |

**SOPHOMORE YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (15 hours)**

| Course                              | Hours | Grade | Course                              | Hours | Grade |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| SPT 1113 Public Speaking (elective) | 3     |       | Endorsement area course or elective | 3     |       |
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**\*may transfer in up to 61 hours from community college**

**REQUIREMENTS THAT MUST BE MET PRIOR TO APPLYING FOR ADMISSION TO MSU'S TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM (PHASE II):**

- GPA of at least 2.75 on 44-hours of coursework (including the MSU General Education Requirements) and overall GPA of at least 2.5
- Grades of at least C in English Composition I & II and College Algebra • Two letters of recommendation
- Verification of 40 hours work experience with children/youth
- Criminal background check (<https://mycb.castlebranch.com> and enter code MI43)
- Purchase a 4 year subscription to Taskstream
- ACT Composite of 21 or higher **OR** SAT composite of 990 or higher **OR** Praxis Core scores of at least Reading=156, Writing=162, and Math=150

## COURSES TO BE COMPLETED AT MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY

**\* NOTE: Students must be admitted to the MSU Teacher Education program prior to enrolling in these restricted education courses.**

### JUNIOR YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (15 hours)

| Course   | Hours | Grade | Course   | Hours | Grade |
|--|-------|-------|--|-------|-------|
| EDX 3213 Individualizing Instruction for Exceptional Children                    | 3     |       | EDF 3333 Social Foundations                    | 3     |       |
| EDX 4103 Intro to Teaching students w/ Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities | 3     |       | EDX 3203 Introduction to Learning Disabilities | 3     |       |
| EDX 3223 Introduction to Emotional/Behavioral Disorders                          | 3     |       |  |       |       |

### JUNIOR YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (18 hours)

| Course                          | Hours | Grade | Course   | Hours | Grade |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|--|-------|-------|
| EDX 3233 Contingency Management | 3     |       | *EDX 4113 Methods for Early Childhood Students with Disabilities | 3     |       |
| EDX 4353 Assistive Technology   | 3     |       | *EDX 4123 Methods for Elementary Students with Disabilities      | 3     |       |
| *EDX 4413 Working with Families | 3     |       | Endorsement area course or elective                              | 3     |       |
|                                 |       |       |  |       |       |

### SENIOR YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (15 hours)

| Course   | Hours | Grade | Course                                     | Hours | Grade |
|--|-------|-------|--|-------|-------|
| *RDG 3113 Early Literacy I                                 | 3     |       | *EDF 4243 Planning for the Diverse Learner | 3     |       |
| *RDG 3123 Early Literacy II                                | 3     |       | *EPY 3253 Evaluating Learning              | 3     |       |
| *EDX 4133 Methods for Secondary Students with Disabilities | 3     |       |  |       |       |

### REQUIREMENTS THAT MUST BE MET PRIOR TO MAKING APPLICATION FOR THE TEACHING INTERNSHIP (PHASE III):

- \* Overall GPA of at least 2.5 with a minimum of 90 credit hours
- \* Complete ALL professional education courses with at least a C in each course
- \* Proof of having taken or registered to take the Praxis II (PLT, Special Education and Fundamental Subjects)

### SENIOR YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (15 hours)

| Courses                        | Hours | Grade | Courses  | Hours | Grade |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|--|-------|-------|
| * EDX 4886 Teaching Internship | 6     |       | * EDX 4873 Professional Seminar in Special Education | 3     |       |
| * EDX 4896 Teaching Internship | 6     |       |  |       |       |

**NOTE: Questions about approved course substitutions should be directed to the MSU education advisor.**