

# Special Education Minor

This Minor provides students with core content related to the education of individuals with disabilities. This Minor does not provide students with certification in Special Education but can serve as a mechanism for adding this certification with the completion of additional requirements. Students must earn a grade of C- or better in each class of this minor.

This checklist is based on the current Academic Catalog and is subject to change. Students must receive advisement from the Department of Exceptionality Programs regarding course selections. Acceptance into the Teacher Education Program or department approval (for non-education majors) is required for enrollment in some SPEC300-level and 400-level courses.

## Curriculum Checklist

### REQUIRED COURSES

- \_\_\_ SPEC110: Introduction to Individuals with Exceptionalities
- \_\_\_ SPEC220: Data-driven Interventions for Individuals with Exceptionalities
- \_\_\_ SPEC330: Methods of Instruction for Individuals with Exceptionalities
- \_\_\_ SPEC401: Characteristics and Etiology of Autism Spectrum Disorder\*
- \_\_\_ SPEC406: Positive Behavior Supports\* (*SPEC330 is a pre-req for this course*)

### ELECTIVES

Three hours (one course) of electives should be selected from the list below.

- \_\_\_ SPEC335: Literacy Instruction for Individuals with Exceptionalities\*
- \_\_\_ SPEC402: Collaboration with Families, Agencies, and the Community to Support Individuals with ASD\*
- \_\_\_ SPEC403: Instructional Interventions and Methods Across Grade Levels for ASD\*
- \_\_\_ SPEC407: Trauma-Informed Practices in Schools\*
- \_\_\_ SPEC440: Inclusive Practices for High-Incidence Exceptionalities PK-8\*
- \_\_\_ SPEC441: Inclusive Practices for High-Incidence Exceptionalities 7-12\*
- \_\_\_ SPEC445: Supporting Students with Complex Instructional Needs\*

\*These courses require field experience. Current clearances, TB results, and liability insurance must be submitted.

Total Credits *Required for the Minor (18 Credits)*

## Campus Locations

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| <b>Bloomsburg</b> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Online; <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> In-person; <input type="checkbox"/> Blended |
| <b>Lock Haven</b> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Online; <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> In-person; <input type="checkbox"/> Blended |
| <b>Mansfield</b>  | <input type="checkbox"/> Online; <input type="checkbox"/> In-person; <input type="checkbox"/> Blended                       |
| <b>Clearfield</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> Online; <input type="checkbox"/> In-person; <input type="checkbox"/> Blended                       |