

# SPECIAL EDUCATION LOW-INCIDENCE

# Master of Special Education Low-Incidence

The Master of Education with a major in Low-Incidence Disabilities Special Education program at Southwestern College is designed for those who wish to earn an endorsement in special education as part of their graduate degree.



#### Convenience

Five start dates per year



#### **Flexibility**

12-week online classes



#### **Education Endorsement**

Endorsed in low-incidence special education in the state of Kansas



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## Master of Low-Incidence Special Education

#### **Core Major Requirements**

• EDUC514	Intro Special Education: Individual
	Educational Plan Development
<ul> <li>EDUC528</li> </ul>	Collaboration with Parents &
	Professionals
• EDUC534	Transitions to Education
• EDUC714	Characteristics of Children & Youth
	with Low-Incidence Disabilities
• EDUC718	Methods: Life Skills & Community-
	based Instruction
• EDUC722	Functional Behavior Assessment and
	Positive Behavior Support
• EDUC724	Advanced Methods: Strategies for
	Students with Significant Sensory,
	Motor & Health Needs
• EDUC735	Assessment, Diagnosis, and Evaluation
• EDUC757	Communication and Literacy
• EDUC758	Initial Practicum in Low-Incidence
	Special Education
• EDUC759	Advanced Practicum in Low-Incidence
	Special Education
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#### **Research Requirements**

• EDUC512 Action Research

#### **Related Courses of Interest**

• EDUC725 Foundations of Autism Spectrum
Disorders

#### **Graduation Requirements**

- 1. Complete the specific program requirements for the master's program
- 2. Have an overall grade point average of 3.0, with no grade below a C (2.0)
- 3. Complete a minimum of 36 credit hours

#### **Program Description**

The Master of Education Special Education Low-Incidence Disabilities is designed for those who wish to earn an endorsement in special education as part of their graduate degree. A minimum of 36 credit hours is required for the graduate degree. Endorsement in low incidence disabilities may be earned with 33 credit hours. A minimum of nine credit hours is required for a provisional endorsement. EDUC 512 Action Research must be completed within the first 15 credit hours of the program of study.

#### **Admission Process**

- 1. Complete graduate application forms
- 2. Provide current resume
- 3. Submit two professional letters of recommendation (at least one from a current or former employer)
- 4. Turn in one-page personal essay
- 5. Submit official transcript from a bachelor's degree-granting institution.
- 6. Be a current, licensed teacher and provide a copy of your teaching license
- 7. Employer commitment form

All degree requirements are subject to change. Please see Southwestern College Catalog for the most current degree requirements. All course descriptions can be found online at ps.sckans.edu

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