

BARTON COLLEGE

School of Education

LICENSURE-ONLY in SPECIAL EDUCATION: GENERAL CURRICULUM (K-12)

<u>Courses that may be taken with No Restrictions:</u>	<u>Course Hours</u>
MTH 210 Fund Concepts Math	3
EDU 225 Introduction to Exceptional Children	3
EDU 316 Management Techniques for Exceptional Learners	3

Stage 1 Courses:

Attempted Praxis Core or presented evidence of exemption

EDU 324 Language Arts Methods	3
EDU 327 Assessment in Special Education	2
EDU 328 Special Edu Methods: Gen Curriculum	3
EDU 334 Instructional Technology	3
EDU 335 Math Methods K-3	2
EDU 344 Curriculum Development	2
EDU 345 Special Ed. Methods: Adapt Curriculum	3
EDU 354 Classroom Assessment	2
EDU 360 Reading Lab	1
EDU 361 Elementary Reading (EDU 324 = Pre-requisite)	3

Stage 2: Entry to Teacher Educ Program

Recommendation of advisor; 2.7GPA; Pass Praxis Core or present evidence of exemption. Pass all three Pearson tests; Pass Praxis Special Education: General Curriculum test.*

EDU 400 Teaching Skills Lab	1
EDU 428 Social Studies Methods K-6	2
EDU 429 Science Methods K-8	2
EDU 435 Mathematics Methods 4-8	2
EDU 451 Classroom Management	2
EDU 464 Differentiated Instruction for 21st. Century Learners	3

Stage 3: Entry to Student Teaching 2.7 GPA; Prior semester at Stage 2.

EDU 450 Education Capstone	2
EDU 470 (473,474 APP) Student Teaching	10

Praxis Core Exams & Possible Exemptions: <http://www.ets.org/praxis/nc/requirements/>

Praxis Core Academic Skills: Minimum Composite Score of 468 OR Provide evidence of exemption

Core Academic Skills Reading Score: ____ (156)

Core Academic Skills Writing Score: ____ (162)

Core Academic Skills Math Score: ____ (150)

***Exemption Option: Praxis Core is waived for the licensure-only program for a person who graduated with a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university with a 2.70 cumulative grade point average. Licensure-only students with less than a 2.70 grade point average will be admitted to the Teacher Education Program with a passing score on the Praxis Core Exams (reading, writing, and mathematics) and one of the following conditions: 1) a grade point average of 3.00 in the major field of study, 2) a grade point average of 3.00 on all work completed in the senior year; or 3) a grade point average of 3.00 on a minimum of 15 semester hours of coursework related to licensure and completed during the preceding five years.**

***Additional Exemption Options for the Praxis Core Tests:**

Before 3/2016: Total of 1100 for Praxis Core or SAT Math 550 for Math or SAT Verbal 550 for Reading/Writing

After 3/2016: Total of 1170 for Praxis Core or SAT Math 570 for Praxis Math or SAT evidence-based reading/writing 600 for Praxis Reading/Writing

OR ACT 24 Composite Score for all or ACT Math 24 for Math or ACT English 24 for Reading/Writing

Other Exams Required for Licensure: <http://www.nc.nesinc.com/Home.aspx> (Must pass all tests.)

Pearson Foundations of Reading Test

Pearson General Curriculum Test (with 2 subtests)

- Multi-Subject Subtest
- Mathematics Subtest

Praxis 543 Special Ed: Core Knowledge & Mild to Moderate Applctns (<https://www.ets.org/praxis/nc/requirements/>)