

VIRGINIA WESLEYAN COLLEGE
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
Transfer Student Guide
Special Education Learning Disabilities (K-12) Teacher Certification

Interdivisional Major Required

Fall Semester			Spring Semester		
SPED 371	Foundations/Legal/Ethical Aspects of Special Education	3	INST 202	School and Society	3
SPED 376	Assessment and Intervention in SE	3	EDUC 320	Teaching Reading and the Language Arts	3
SPED 377	Assessment and Intervention in SE Practicum	1	SPED 378	Classroom Strategies for the LD Student	3
			SPED 379	Classroom Strategies for the LD Student Practicum	1
Total: 10 hours			Total: 10 hours		
Fall Semester			Spring Semester		
SPED 380	Behavior Management for the LD Student	3	INST 303	Applied Technology for Innovative Instruction	3
SPED 381	Behavior Management for the LD Student Practicum	1	INST 482	Issues in Education	3
EDUC 321	Diagnostic Reading	3			
Total: 7 hours			Total: 6 hours		
Fall Semester					
SPED 438	Special Education Preservice Teaching I	7.5			
SPED 439	Special Education Preservice Teaching II	7.5			
Total: 15 hours					
Cumulative Total: 48 hours					

- ◆ During the *First* semester of EDUCATION courses at VWC, the student must make application to the Education Department. See Barbara Hodges, Faculty Secretary, Pruden Hall, for an admission packet.
- ◆ One of the criteria for admission to the Education Department is that the student must pass the PRAXIS I test.
- ◆ One of the exit criteria for certification is that the student must pass the PRAXIS II test.
- ◆ When a student registers for a **practicum** course as well as **student teaching**, a placement request form must be completed at that time. See Director of Field Experiences, Blocker 20.

Required Courses:

COMM 222 Speech
ENG 222 Modern English Grammar