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College of Education Program Requirements Non-Master's Certification-Only Program EARLY INTERVENTION BIRTH - 5 YEARS

To be admitted to any non-master's alternate certification program at the University of Louisiana at Lafayette, a candidate must present evidence of having fulfilled each of the following requirements:

Degree: Baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university

GPA: Adjusted grade point average of at least a 2.5

Praxis Exams: Passing scores on all sections of the Praxis Pre-Professional Skills Test or **ACT \geq 22**
Reading (174) Writing (173) Math (172)
Waived with: ACT composite of 22 or higher; SAT 1030 or higher

Passing scores on the Praxis content test appropriate for the area and/or level
Praxis II Content Area: **(Elementary test # 0014)**

Please call the Office of Student Services at (337) 482-6681 to schedule an appointment to have your transcripts and Praxis scores evaluated. Enrollment in the classes listed below is limited to students who have been accepted into the Special Education non-master's certification-only program.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS:

Professional Education (27 hours + 6 credits of Internship or Student Teaching):

- SPED 391:** Foundations of Special Education (Pre req. for all other SPED classes)
SPED 405: Foundations of Early Childhood Education & Early Intervention
SPED 406: Physical and Medical Management in the Classroom
SPED 414: Interdisciplinary and Interagency Teaming
SPED 420: Instructional Program Planning & Implementation in Early Intervention
SPED 422: Working with Families of Young Children
SPED 423: Identification and Evaluation of Children During the Developmental Period
READ 309: Emerging Literacy and Reading Instruction through Age 8 (Pre req. for 411)
READ 411: Assessment and Prescriptive Teaching of Reading

The Praxis **Core Content Knowledge (Exam 0353) and **PLT (Exam 0521)** exams and all course work listed above must be passed **prior to** enrolling in Student Teaching or an Internship.**

EDCI 485 and 487: Student Teaching/Internship for Alternate Certification Candidates I and II

NOTE: No final grade below "C" accepted for any professional education or specialized academic education course required for this certification.

Program effective September 1, 2007