

EDUCATION (SPECIAL EDUCATION (PK-8))

POST BACCALAUREATE COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- **Required courses for certification in Special Education (PK-8)). Candidates must already hold a teaching certification in Pennsylvania for a grade band included in PK-8.**

Major Requirements	Credits
EDUC 215 ² Development, Cognition & Learning I	3
EDUC 216 Development, Cognition & Learning II	3
EDUC 230 ² PK-4 Multicultural, Linguistic, & Instruction Methods	3
EDUC 260 Early Literacy Foundations (PK-1)	3
EDUC 270 Introduction to Special Education	3
EDUC 305 ² Assessment I	3
EDUC 306 ² PK-8 Assessment II	3
EDUC 370 ² Specifically Designed Instruction	3
EDUC 390 Differentiated Reading for the Developing Child	3
EDUC 423 ² Literacy Across the Curriculum: Reading-Writing Conn.	3
EDUC 440 Inclusive Education	3
EDUC 447 ² Special Education Culminating Field Experience	4
Total Credits	37

² Updated Clearance Packet **REQUIRED** for EDUC 215, EDUC 230, EDUC 305, EDUC 306, EDUC 370, EDUC 423, EDUC 447.

Pre-Professional Semester – EDUC 423. Students must be available to attend classes at King’s College Mon/Wed/Fri 9 am –noon and go into the schools Tues/Thurs 9:30 am -12:30 pm and the last two weeks of the semester full –time.

Must apply for formal acceptance to the Education Department after completing a minimum of 6 credits at King’s College and no later than the semester prior to student teaching.

Certification in Pennsylvania requires the candidate to maintain a 3.0 GPA and complete the necessary testing requirements.

Student Teaching Fee applied to EDUC 447.