**PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS**

**MATH 201** - Fon. Of Elem. Sch. Mth. (3)
**EPFE-321 OR 410** - Phil./Hist. of Ed. (3)
**PSYC 102** - Intro to Psychology (3)
**POL 100** - American Govern. & Policies (3)
Or **POL 150** - Democracy in America
**EPFE 201** - Ed. As an Agent for Ch. (3)
**SESE 240** - Intro to Special Ed. (3)
**LTIC 420** - Methods for Teaching ELL (3)
**SESE 370** - Ed. Intervention for Students w/Diverse Disabilities (4)
(required TB test)
**EPS 405** - Human Development (3)
**SESE 320** - Disability in Film (3)
**LTIC 300** - Foundation of Inst. in Reading/writing & Lang. Arts
**SESE 230** - Exploring the Spec. Ed. major (3)
**ETT 229** - Computers in Ed. (3)
Or Computing exam

Completion of all General Education Plus requirements prior to 1st Teaching Methods/Clinical Block is not required but is strongly recommended.

Entrance to the Sp. Ed. professional courses requires min. NIU GPA of 2.5 or higher upon completion of SESE 240 and 370 & passing score on ICTS TAP or equivalent recognized by the ISBE. Must maintain 2.5 GPA to remain in program.

* Require grade of "C" or equivalent.
* Writing infused courses
^ Human Diversity course

**Effective 2017-2018 Catalog** All requirements subject to change by ISBE.

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**GENERAL EDUCATION PLUS COURSES**

**FOUNDATIONS STUDIES 12 HRS**
**COMS 100** * MATH 201
**ENGL 103** * ENGL 203
OR **ENGL 204**

**PLUS KNOWLEDGE DOMAIN (21 HRS)**
Can take a maximum of 2 courses from any department.

**Creativity/Critical Analysis (6 HRS)**
Program Requirement: **EPFE 321** or **EPFE 410**
(Recommended HIST 260 or HIST 261)

**Nature & Technology (6 HRS)**
**SESE 459**
**ETT 402**

**Society & Culture (6 HRS)**
**PSYC 102**, **POL 100**, **EPFE 201**

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**ADDITIONAL CREDIT NEEDED FOR GRADUATION**
(4) Elective(s)

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