



## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN SPECIAL EDUCATION, EARLY CHILDHOOD, Pre-K – 3 LICENSURE

(Minimum 120 credit hours required)

**This program requires a minimum 2.75 GPA overall, in English Composition, in the Specialty and Emphasis Requirements, and in the Professional Education / Professional Semester Requirements.**

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**RELIGION CORE****DEVELOPING BIBLICAL FAITH/LIFESTYLE**

|                                     |   |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| BIBL-110                            | Message of the New Testament (3).....( )  |
| BIBL-111                            | Message of the Old Testament (3) .....( ) |
| THEO-230                            | Intro. to Theology (3).....( )            |
| THEO-231                            | Intro. to Christian Ethics (3).....( )    |
| Christian Service (80 clock hours)* | .....( )                                  |

\*Christian Service is not a course; the hours are earned by a combination of class, group, and individual service learning experiences.

SUBTOTAL (12 hrs) \_\_\_\_\_

**LEE UNIVERSITY FRESHMAN EXPERIENCE**

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| LEEU-101           | Freshman Seminar: Gateway (1) (Fall).....( )    |
| LEEU-102A          | Global Perspectives Seminar (1) (Spring)....( ) |
| LEEU-102B          | Foundations of Benevolence (1) (Spring) ....( ) |
| SUBTOTAL (3 hours) | .....( )  |

**GENERAL EDUCATION CORE****ACQUIRING FUNDAMENTAL ACADEMIC SKILLS**

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| ENGL-105 (4) and ENGL-110 (3).....( )( ) |
| OR ENGL-106 (3) and ENGL-110 (3)         |
| OR ENGL-110 (3) [Depends on placement]   |

MATH-111 College Algebra (3) .....( )

**EXPLORING THE HUMANITIES**

HUMN-201 Foundations of Western Culture (3).....( )

**Two of the following (6)**

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| HUMN-202       | Rise of Europe (3) .....                     |
| HUMN-301       | Foundations of Modern World (3)              |
| HUMN-302       | Modern Western Culture (3)                   |
| HIST-221 / 222 | Western Civilization I, II (3) (3)           |
| ENGL-221       | Western Lit: Ancient to Renaissance (3)      |
| ENGL-222       | Western Lit: Enlightenment to Postmodern (3) |

**One of the following (3)**

|                |                                 |
|----------------|---------------------------------|
| ARTS-244 / 245 | Art History I, II (3) (3) ..... |
| MUHL-211       | Music in Culture (3)            |
| PHIL-241       | Introduction to Philosophy (3)  |
| THEA-201       | Theatre in Culture (3)          |

**UNDERSTANDING CONTEMPORARY SOCIETY**

HIST-212 Recent American History (3) .....

PSYC-200 Understanding Human Behavior (3) .....

SOCI-200 Understanding Contemporary Society (3) ... ( )

**RESPECTING THE NATURAL WORLD**LAB SCIENCE: Choose one (1) course along with  
the corresponding lab:

|          |   |
|----------|---|
| BIOL-103 | Human Biology (4) <b>OR</b><br>BIOL-104 Environmental Science (4).....( ) |
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**SEEKING A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE**

GNST-250-253 Cross Cultural Experience (1-3).....( )

LING-201 Intro Language and Culture (3) **OR**

|          |   |
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| SIGN-111 | Intro to American Sign Language (3).....( ) |
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SUBTOTAL (35/41 hours) .....

**SPECIALTY AREA REQUIREMENTS**

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| PSYC-361 | Child Development (3).....( )  |
| SPED-323 | Nature/Charact. of Early Child Sp Ed (3).....( )                         |
| SPED-331 | Behavior Management (3).....( )  |
| SPED-335 | Education/Gifted, Talented, Creative (3) .....( )                        |
| SPED-340 | Adapt. Environ./Comprehensions Disabilities (3).....( )                  |
| SPED-349 | Collaborating w/ Parents, Teachers, and<br>Other Professionals (3) ..... |
| SPED-480 | Policies, Procedures & Practices (3) .....                               |
| READ-371 | Survey of Reading (3) .....  |
| ECED-342 | Observation/Assessment Young Child (3).....( )                           |
| ECED-350 | Children's Lit/Literacy Development (2).....( )                          |
| ENGL-381 | Language Acquisition & Development (3) .....                             |
| EDUC-495 | Int. Faith & Learning (Capstone) (3).....( )                             |

SUBTOTAL (35 hours) .....

**ENHANCED GENERAL ED REQUIREMENTS**

|   |                                   |
|---|-----------------------------------|
| MATH-201                                      | Concepts of Mathematics (3) ..... |
| In Addition to Algebra in General Core        |                                   |
| PHSC-111                                      | Physical Science                  |
| OR PHSC-112 Earth & Space Science (4).....( ) |                                   |
| In Addition to General Core Science           |                                   |
| SUBTOTAL (7 hours)                            | .....( )                          |

**PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**

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|-----------|--|
| EDUC-199  | Intro. to the Teaching Profession (1).....( )    |
| EDUC-299  | Teaching Diverse Learners (1).....( )            |
| ECED-315  | Foundations of Early Child Education (3) ....( ) |
| ELED-340  | Principles of Classroom Instruction (2) .....    |
| ELED-402  | Elementary Grades Methods (5).....( )            |
| SPED-404  | Methods Tch. Students w/ M/M Disab.(4).....( )   |
| SPED-404L | Lab for SPED-404 (0) .....                       |
| ECED-401  | Early Childhood Methods (2).....( )              |
| SPED-407  | Methods Tch. Early Child Spec Ed (2) .....       |
| ELED-395  | Teaching Creative Arts (2) .....                 |

**PROFESSIONAL SEMESTER**

|                             |                                    |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| EDUC-496                    | Student Teaching I (5) .....       |
| EDUC-497                    | Student Teaching II (5).....( )    |
| EDUC-498                    | Student Teaching Seminar (2) ..... |
| SUBTOTAL (35 hours).....( ) |                                    |

**ACADEMIC ASSESSMENT**

|          |                                 |
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| GNST-400 | Academic Assessment (0).....( ) |
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**SUGGESTED FOUR YEAR SEQUENCE OF STUDY FOR  
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN SPECIAL EDUCATION,  
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**Minimum 120 hours required for graduation**

(The 80-clock-hour Christian Service requirement is not listed, but is spread throughout the four years.)

**FRESHMAN YEAR**

| <b>Course</b>                            | <b>Hours</b> |
|--|--------------|
| LEEU-101, 102A, 102B.....                | 3            |
| College Writing/Workshop.....            | 3/4          |
| Rhetoric and Research .....              | 3            |
| Message of New & Old Testament.....      | 6            |
| Recent American History .....            | 3            |
| Concepts of Math I (MATH-201) .....      | 3            |
| Understanding Human Behavior .....       | 3            |
| Understanding Contemporary Society ..... | 3            |
| Lab Science (core).....                  | 4            |
| Total                                    | 31/32        |

**JUNIOR YEAR**

| <b>Course</b>                                    | <b>Hours</b> |
|--|--------------|
| Adapt. Environ./Compreh. Disabilities (F) .....  | 3            |
| Collaborating w/ Parents & Others (S) .....      | 3            |
| Children's Literature .....                      | 2            |
| Principles of Classroom Instruction .....        | 2            |
| Humanities Option.....                           | 3            |
| Language and Culture.....                        | 3            |
| Foundations of Early Childhood Education .....   | 3            |
| Observation and Assessment of Early Childhood .. | 3            |
| Gifted, Talented, Creative (S).....              | 3            |
| Behavior Management .....                        | 3            |
| Policies, Procedures, Practices (S) .....        | 3            |
| Early Childhood Methods .....                    | 2            |

Total 33

**SOPHOMORE YEAR**

| <b>Course</b>                                 | <b>Hours</b> |
|---|--------------|
| Intro. to Theology .....                      | 3            |
| Intro. to Christian Ethics .....              | 3            |
| Introduction to the Teaching Profession.....  | 1            |
| Teaching Diverse Learners .....               | 1            |
| Foundations of Western Culture.....           | 3            |
| Humanities Option.....                        | 3            |
| Characteristics of Early Childhood .....      | 3            |
| Child Development.....                        | 3            |
| Language Acquisition.....                     | 3            |
| Physical Science OR Earth & Space Science.... | 4            |
| College Algebra .....                         | 3            |
| Teaching Creative Arts.....                   | 2            |
| Admission to Teacher Ed Program .....         | 0            |
| Total   | 32           |

**Summer Semester**

|                                 |     |
|---------------------------------|-----|
| Cross Cultural Experience ..... | 1/3 |
| Total                           | 1/3 |

**SENIOR YEAR**

**CLINICAL I**

| <b>Course</b>                                     | <b>Hours</b> |
|---|--------------|
| Methods Tch. Students with M/M Disabilities ..... | 4            |
| Elementary Methods .....                          | 5            |
| Survey of Reading.....                            | 3            |
| Methods Tchg Early Childhood Special Ed .....     | 2            |
| Int. Faith & Learning (Capstone) .....            | 3            |
| Praxis II .....                                   | 0            |
| Senior Academic Assessment.....                   | 0            |

Total 17

**CLINICAL II**

| <b>Course</b>             | <b>Hours</b> |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Seminar.....              | 2            |
| Student Teaching I .....  | 5            |
| Student Teaching II ..... | 5            |

Total 12

(F) – fall semester  
(S) – spring semester