

**WESTERN NEW MEXICO UNIVERSITY**  
**Degree Plan - Master of Arts in Teaching - Special Education (0808)**  
**Option 1 - Students without related undergraduate professional education preparation**  
**School of Education**

Student Name: _____	ID#: _____
Complete Mailing Address: _____ (incl street, city, state, zip)	Telephone: _____
Email Address: _____	Advisor: _____
Catalog Authority: <u>2017-18</u>	Date Admitted to Graduate School: _____
Teaching Field: _____ (24-36 credit hours approved by NM Dept. of Ed.)	Date Admitted to MAT Program: _____

**Core Knowledge (9)**

**Contextual Knowledge (7)**

<u>Course(Credits)</u>	<u>Sem/Year</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Course(Credits)</u>	<u>Sem/Year</u>	<u>Grade</u>
EDUC 500 Methods of Research (3)	_____	_____	EDUC 511 Foundtn of Education (1)	_____	_____
<b>or</b> EDUC 503 Action Research (3)	_____	_____	EDUC 534 Integr Technl in Curric (3)	_____	_____
EDUC 506 Hist & Phil of Education (3)	_____	_____	SPED 508 Intro to Except Children (3)	_____	_____
EDUC 528 Student Growth/Dev (3)	_____	_____			

**Professional Education Requirements (31)**

**1. Foundation (6)**

SPED 555 Fam/Schl/Cm/Cltr/Excp C (3)	_____	_____
SPED 570 Nature & Needs Pers LE (3)	_____	_____

**2. Application & Reinforcement (23)**

BLED 545 ESL Mthds/Content Lit (3)	_____	_____
EDUC 547 Field Experience Lab (1)	_____	_____
RDG 510 Teaching of Reading (3)	_____	_____
RDG 511 Corrective Reading Instr (3)	_____	_____
SPED 528 Curr & Methds Spec Ed (3)	_____	_____
EDUC 547 Field Experience Lab (1)	_____	_____

**NES Essential Academic Skills**

**Reading Score:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Writing Score:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Math Score:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Application & Reinforcement - cont.**

SPED 551 Behavior Mgmt Appl (3)	_____	_____
<b>or</b> EDUC 536 Classroom Mgmt. (3)	_____	_____
SPED 554 Evaluation & Assessmn (3)	_____	_____
SPED 569 <b>or</b> SPED 576 Nature & Needs Pers ID or E&BD		
Course: _____ (3)	_____	_____

**3. Capstone (2)**

SPED 541 Practice Teaching-Sp Ed (1-5)	_____	_____
SPED 596 Practice Teaching Semina (1)	_____	_____

**NES Prof. Knowledge: Elem or Scnd**  
**NES SPED Content Knowledge**

**Score:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Score:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Credit Hours:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Exit Exam:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(minimum of 47 required)

**Copy to Registrar on:** Date: \_\_\_\_\_ **Grad. Audit sent on:** Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Advisor Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Associate Dean, School of Education:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dean, College of Professional Studies:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dir of Graduate Division:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Note: All graduate credit, including transfer credit, must have been earned within the seven years prior to issuance of the graduate degree.