

**WESTERN NEW MEXICO UNIVERSITY**  
**Degree Plan - Master of Arts in Teaching Specialization - Special Education (0808)**  
**School of Education**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ID# \_\_\_\_\_

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 (incl street, city, state, zip) \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Completion: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Catalog Authority: 2020-21 \_\_\_\_\_ Date Admitted to Graduate School: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date Admitted to MAT Program: \_\_\_\_\_

**Education Core Requirements (9)**

<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 <b>or</b> EDUC 503 Action Research			EDUC 506 Current Issues/Perspectiv	(3) _____	_____
<b>or</b> ECED 531 Research Child, Growth, Development			EDUC 528 Student Grwth/Devlpmnt	(3) _____	_____
Course: _____	(3) _____	_____			
EDUC 529 TK20 Orientation	(0) _____	_____			

**Special Education Requirements (27)**

<u>Course(Credits)</u>	<u>Sem/Year</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Course(Credits)</u>	<u>Sem/Year</u>	<u>Grade</u>
EDUC 547 Field Experience Lab	(1) _____	_____	SPED 555 Fam/Schl/Cm/Cltr/Excp Ch	(3) _____	_____
SPED 508 Practical Applications of S	(3) _____	_____	SPED 569 Nature & Needs Pers ID	(3) _____	_____
SPED 528 Curr & Methds Spec Ed	(3) _____	_____	SPED 570 Nat & Needs Pers LD	(3) _____	_____
SPED 551 Behavior Mgmt Appl	(3) _____	_____	SPED 576 Nat & Needs Pers E&BD	(3) _____	_____
<b>or</b> EDUC 536 Classroom Mangement	_____	_____	SPED 541 Practice Teaching	(1-5) _____	_____
SPED 554 Evaluation & Assessment	(3) _____	_____	SPED 596 Practice Teaching Seminar	(1) _____	_____

**PRAXIS Principles of Learning & Teaching** Score: \_\_\_\_\_

**PRAXIS Special Education: Core Knowledge** Score: \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Credit Hours** \_\_\_\_\_ **Exit Exam:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
 (36 hours required)

**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.