

2025-2026 Advising Worksheet B.S.E. in Special Education (SPED)

English Core (6 Hours):

- _____ ENGL 10103^ Composition I
_____ ENGL 10203^ Composition II

Math Core & Program (9 Hours):

- _____ MATH 11003 College Algebra **OR** higher
_____ MATH 22103 Math Structures I
(Pre-req: MATH 11003 or MATH 11103)
_____ MATH 22203 Math Structures II
(Pre-req: MATH 22103)

U.S. History /Gov't Core (3 hours):

- _____ HIST 20003 Hist. of American Ppl - 1877
_____ HIST 20103 Hist. of Amer. 1877 - pres.
_____ PLSC 20003 Amer. National Gov.

Fine Arts Core (3 hours):

- _____ ARCH 10003^ Architecture Lecture
_____ ARHS 10003^ Art Lecture
_____ COMM 10003^ Film Lecture
_____ DANC 10003 Dance Appreciation
_____ ENGL 20103 Creative Writing I
_____ HUMN 211H4 Birth of Modern Culture
_____ LARC 10003^ American Landscape
_____ MUSC 10003^ Experiencing Music
_____ MUSC 10103^ Music and Society
_____ MUSC 13303 Popular Music
_____ THTR 10003^ Theatre Appreciation
_____ THTR 10103^ Musical Theatre App.
_____ THTR 16803 Acting I
_____ THTR 18803 Acting Theatre Majors

Social Sciences Core (9 hours):

- _____ HDFS 24103^ Family Relations
And choose two from:
_____ AGE 11003^ Agri Microeconomics
_____ AGE 21003^ Agri Macroeconomics
_____ ANTH 10203^ Cultural Anthropology
_____ COMM 10203^ Comm Diverse World
_____ ECON 21003^ Macroeconomics
_____ ECON 22003^ Microeconomics
_____ ECON 21403^ Basic Economics
_____ EDST 20003 Intro to Educ. Studies
_____ GEOG 11103^ Human Geography
_____ GEOG 21003^ World Regional Geog.
_____ HDFS 14003^ Life Span Development
_____ HDFS 26003^ Rural Fam & Comm
_____ HIST 11193^ World Civilizations I
_____ HIST 11293^ World Civilizations II
_____ HIST 20003 Hist. Amer. Ppl to 1877
_____ HIST 20103 Hist. Amer. 1877 - pres.
_____ HIST 20903 Animals in World History
_____ HUMN 111H4 Roots of Culture
_____ HUMN 211H4 Birth Modern Culture
_____ INST 20103 Intro Int'l/Global Studies
_____ INST 211H4 Path Global Soc. Change
_____ JOUR 10203 Media & Society
_____ PLSC 20003 Amer. National Gov't
_____ PLSC 20103 Comparative Politics
_____ PLSC 21003 State & Local Gov't
_____ PLSC 28103^ Intro to Int'l Relations
_____ PSYC 20003^ General Psychology
_____ RESM 28503^ Leisure and Society
_____ SOCI 10103^ General Sociology
_____ SOCI 20103 Social Problems
_____ STEM 20003 Art of STEM Comm.

Science Core (8 hours):

- _____ ANTH 10143^ Intro to Biological Anth. &
_____ ANTH 10141^ Intro Biological Anth. Lab
_____ ASTR 20003^ Survey of the Universe &
_____ ASTR 20001^ Survey of the Universe Lab
_____ CHEM 10003 Chem. in Modern World &
_____ CHEM 10001 Chem. Modern World Lab
_____ ENSC 10003^ Environmental Science &
_____ ENSC 10001^ Environmental Science Lab
_____ ENTO 10203 Insects, Science, Society &
_____ ENTO 10201 Insects in Science Lab
_____ GEOL 11103^ Physical Geology &
_____ GEOL 11101^ Physical Geology Lab
_____ GEOL 11203 Earth Science &
_____ GEOL 11201 Earth Science Lab
_____ PHYS 10243^ Physics & Human Affairs &
_____ PHYS 10241^ Physics Human Affairs Lab

Full list of CORE Science choices see catalog.uark.edu

Humanities Core (3 hours):

- _____ Any Inter I Foreign Language (20103)
_____ AAST 20203 African American Experience
_____ ANTH 10303 Introduction to Archaeology
_____ ARCH 10103 Diversity and Design
_____ CLST 10003^ Intro Classic Studies: Greece
_____ CLST 10103^ Intro Classic Studies: Rome
_____ COMM 12303^ Media Comm & Citizenship
_____ DANC 10003 Dance Appreciation
_____ DASC 21303 Data Privacy & Ethics
_____ ENGL 11103^ World Lit I: Begin - 1650
_____ ENGL 11203^ World Lit II: 1650-present
_____ ENGL 12103^ Intro to Literature
_____ ENGL 20103 Creative Writing I
_____ GNST 20003^ Intro Gender Studies
_____ HUMN 112H4 Equilibrium Cultures
_____ HUMN 22103 Intro World Religions
_____ LALS 20103 Latin Amer Latino Studies
_____ MRST 20103 Intro Medieval Renaiss.
_____ MUSY 20003^ Music World Cultures
_____ PHIL 20003^ Introduction to Philosophy
_____ PHIL 21003 Introduction to Ethics
_____ PHIL 22003 Logic
_____ PHIL 23003 Human Nature & Meaning Life
_____ PHIL 31003 Ethics & the Professions
_____ THTR 10003^ Theatre Appreciation
_____ THTR 10103^ Musical Theatre App.

Notes:

General Electives (9 Hours):

- _____ CIED 10103 Introduction to Education

Pre-Education Requirements (12 Hours):

- _____ SPCH 10003^ Public Speaking
_____ CSDI 22503 Intro to Comm Disorders
_____ CIED 30203^ Survey of Exceptionalities
(Pre-req CIED 10103 or PSYC 20003)
_____ CIED 30303^ Classroom Learning Theory
(Pre-req: CIED 10103/PSYC 20003/
MUED 20102/AGED 11203)

First Year in SPED Program (30 Hours)

Fall Semester (15 Hours)

- _____ SPED 44203 Technology Inclusive Classrm
_____ SPED 44403 Career Development &
Transition Planning for Std with Dis.
_____ SPED 44503^ Assessment of Students with
Disabilities
_____ SPED 44803 Teaching Literacy Skills to
Students with Disabilities
_____ SPED 44903 Intro High Incidence Dis.

Spring Semester (15 Hours)

- _____ SPED 41703 Intro to Dyslexia: Lit. Dev. &
Structure of Language
_____ SPED 44103^ ABA & Classroom Mgmt. for
Teachers
_____ SPED 47803 Professional and Family
Partnerships
_____ SPED 44603 Teaching Students with
Extensive Support Needs
_____ SPED 44703 Teaching Math & Science

Second Year in SPED Program (28 Hours)

Fall Semester (15 Hours)

- _____ SPED 45309 SPED Internship (K-6)
_____ SPED 45403 SPED Seminar (K-6)
_____ SPED 44303 Curriculum Development

Spring Semester (13 Hours)

- _____ SPED 45609 SPED Internship (7-12)
_____ SPED 45703 SPED Seminar (7-12)
_____ SPED 45801 SPED Research

Application to Special Education

- [Application](#) in January; includes background check and interview
- Must have C or better in CIED courses
- Must meet one of the criteria below in each section: math, reading, and writing

	Math	Reading	Writing
ACT	20	20	7
SAT	533	544	5
Accuplacer	251	251	251
Grade	B or higher College Algebra	3.0 cumulative GPA	3.0 avg in ENGL 1013 & 1023
PRAXIS	150	156	162