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SPECIAL EDUCATION RESOURCE ENDORSEMENT

College of Education

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PROGRAM INFORMATION

Teachers holding a standard K-6 or 4-8 license or a standard 7-12 license in a content area of English Language Arts, Mathematics, or Science are eligible for the ***Special Education Resource K-6, 7-12 Endorsement***. The purpose of this endorsement is to prepare licensed teachers in the development of knowledge, skills, and dispositions needed to teach and positively impact services to students with exceptionalities in an inclusive, co-taught, and/or resource classroom setting. This endorsement program is comprised of **four (4) online courses** which are currently part of the 30 credit hour M.S.E. in Special Education and the 21 hour Graduate Certificate in Special Education.



Learning Knows No Bounds

In response to special education being consistently identified as a critical academic licensure shortage area in Arkansas, The Arkansas Department of Education recently created this new endorsement area. Shortages of qualified special education teachers remain an ongoing challenge both nationally and in the state of Arkansas, as documented by the U.S. Department of Education.

PROGRAM OF STUDY

- ELSE 6300: SPED 101 Academy: The Philosophical, Historical, and Legal Aspects of Special Education
- ELSE 6304: Behavior Management and Analysis in Special Education
- ELSE 6347: Foundations of Dyslexia and the Language
- ELSE 6366: Educational Programming for Students with Mild Disabilities K-12

ALL COURSES ARE OFFERED IN THE SUMMER

To get started: <http://uca.edu/graduateschool/admission-process/>

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