

EDUCATION (SPECIAL EDUCATION (PK-12*))

POST BACCALAUREATE

	Major Requirements	Credits	Field Exp. (Y/N)?	Typical Semester Offered
	PSYC 101 Introduction to Psychology	3	N	Fall/Spring
	MATH 101 Theory of Arithmetic	3	N	Fall/Spring
	MATH 102 Algebra and Geometry	3	N	Fall/Spring
	NSCI 171-199 Natural Science	3	N	Fall/Spring
	PHYS 100 Physical Science for El. Ed.	3	N	Spring
	HIST 111 American History	3	N	Fall/Spring
	ENGL 110 Writing	3	N	Fall/Spring
	ENGL 140-149 Literature	3	N	Fall/Spring
	EDUC 202 Education Philo., Ethics, Issues & Trends	3	N	Fall/Spring
	EDUC 215 ² Development, Cognition & Learning I	3	Y	Fall/Spring
	EDUC 217 Adolescent Development, Cognition & Learning	3	Y	Spring
	EDUC 240 ² Sec. Multicultural, Linguistic, & Instruction Methods	3	Y	Fall/Spring
	EDUC 231 Technology Module I	1	N	Fall/Spring
	EDUC 232 Technology Module II	1	N	Fall/Spring
	EDUC 260 Literacy Foundations	3	Y	Spring
	EDUC 270 Introduction to Special Education	3	Y	Fall/Spring
	EDUC 299 Basic Skills (if needed)	0		
	EDUC 305 ² Assessment I	3	Y	Fall/Spring
	EDUC 306 ² Assessment II	3	Y	Fall/Spring
	EDUC 314 Transition Options for At-Risk Students	3	Y	Spring
	EDUC 318 Low Incidence Disabilities	1	Y	Fall
	EDUC 366 Reading in the Content Area/Teaching Diverse Students	3	Y	Spring
	EDUC 370 ² Specifically Designed Instruction	3	Y	Fall
	EDUC 390 Differentiated Reading	3	Y	Fall
	EDUC 424 Classroom Management/Family for the PK-12 Classroom	3	N	Fall
	EDUC 440 Inclusive Education	3	ST SEM	Fall/Spring
	EDUC 457/447 Student Teaching**	5-10	ST SEM	Fall/Spring
	EDUC 438 Seminar (if not previously certified)	1	ST SEM	Fall/Spring
	Total Credits	73-79		

² Updated Clearance Packets **REQUIRED** for all courses requiring field experiences. Requirements for Clearance Packets are available on the King's website.

Must apply for formal acceptance to the Education Department after completing a minimum of 6 credits at King's College and no later than the semester prior to student teaching.

Certification in Pennsylvania requires the candidate to maintain a 3.0 GPA and complete the necessary testing requirements.

Student Teaching Fee applied to EDUC 457/447.

*PDE Certification in Special Education PK-12 is anticipated after Dec. 31, 2021. King's is currently approved to recommend for certification in Special Education PK-8 or Special Education 7-12, which must accompany a content area. PDE is in the process of changing these requirements. This means the above courses may need to be adjusted to meet new requirements.

**If a candidate already holds a teaching credential and wishes to add Special Education Certification, they must complete a student teaching field experience in special education. This experience will be approximately half the length of a typical student teaching experience for 5 credits. Seminar in these cases will be waived.