

BENEDICTINE UNIVERSITY CHECKLIST FOR BACHELOR OF ARTS in SPECIAL EDUCATION
Includes State Certification Requirements, K-12
Learning Behavior Specialist I (LBS I)
Freshman Rules
(2006-2007 Academic Year)

NAME:		DATE:
BU ID #:	ADVISOR:	SEMESTER OF ENTRY:

GRADUATION REQUIREMENT: Students must submit a total of 120 semester credit hours (with a minimum G.P.A. of 2.0 from Benedictine University courses)

<p>BASIC SKILLS (12 HOURS) Grade of "C" or better required.</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">College</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Course #</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Cr.</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Grade</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Writing Colloquium (RHET-S103)* (or HNRS 190: 1st Year Colloquium I) Research Writing (RHET-S102) (or HNRS 191: 1st Year Colloquium II) Basic Speech (RHET-S110) (or HNRS-191) Math Satisfied by major requirements*</p> <p>*Freshman with AP credit for RHET-S103 must take RHET-S104, Person in Community: One-Hour seminar</p>	College	Course #	Cr.	Grade	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	<p>COMMON CORE (12 HOURS)</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">College</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Course #</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Cr.</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Grade</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>BU</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>BU</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>BU</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">HUMN-220, 230 or 240 (or HNRS-220) HUMN-220, 230 or 240 (or HNRS-230) HUMN-250-WI-required for all except scholars American History</p> <p>HUMN-220, 230, 240, 250 <u>taken at Benedictine</u> comprise the Cultural Heritage Series.</p>	College	Course #	Cr.	Grade	BU	_____	_____	_____	BU	_____	_____	_____	BU	_____	_____	_____
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		4			MATH-112 Math for Elem Teachers I*	3		EDUC-355 Classroom Management
		1			EDUC-200 Preclinical Experience	0		EDUC-356 Preclinical Exp Class Mgt
		3			EDUC-205 Hist & Phil of Education	4		EDUC-357 Lrng Beh Mthds Phy & ID
		3			EDUC-240 Reading & Language Arts	0		EDUC-358 Preclin Exp Phy & ID Mthd
		3			EDUC-257 Lrng Beh Char Phy & ID	3		EDUC-360 Lrng Beh Mthds LD
		3			EDUC-260 Survey of Except Children	0		EDUC-361 Preclin Exp LD Mthds
		3			EDUC-265 Lrng Beh Char LD	3		EDUC-365 Lrng Beh Mthds ED
		3			EDUC-270 Lrng Beh Char ED	0		EDUC-366 Preclin Exp ED Mthds
		3			EDUC-275 Work w/ Fam of Per w/ Dis	3		Professional Elective***
		3			EDUC-215 Technology for Teachers	2		PHED-257 Wellness
		3			EDUC-310 Measurement & Eval	6		EDUC-372 Student Tch Elem LBSI**
		3			EDUC-320 Literacy & Assessment	6		EDUC-373 Student Tch Sec LBSI**
		0			EDUC-321 Preclinical Exp Reading			
		0			EDUC-206 Transfer introduction to Education Seminar (TIES) is required for students who have been awarded transfer credit for EDUC-205, History and Philosophy of Education.			

All majors must submit at least 47 hours within the department [with a grade of "C" or better] at the 200 level or above [including 19 hours at the 300 level].
 *The math requirement for majors in Special Education is MATH-112 (4) with a grade of "C" or better. [MATH-105, 108, or 110 may be used in place of MATH-112 by transfer students and students who change their major to Special Education if completed with a grade of "C" or better].

**Required for teacher certification, not major.

***For course options, refer to [Teacher Education Handbook](#) and advisor.

❖ One Writing Intensive course (indicated by a "WI" in the course schedule) must be completed within the major

A cumulative 2.5 GPA is needed for teacher certification: overall, in major, and in professional education courses. [GPA is based on Benedictine University courses only]