

This is a non-licensure degree and is not a state-approved program. Completion of this degree will not lead to the eligibility of a VA state teaching license or a teaching license or certificate in any other state.

<b><u>EDUCATION COURSES (9 hours)</u></b>		<b><u>Hrs</u></b>	<b><u>Sem</u></b>	<b><u>Grade</u></b>
EDUC 701	Advanced Learning Theory & Research	3	_____	_____
EDUC 703	Theories of Historical & Philosophical Foundations	3	_____	_____
EDUC 730	Issues & Trends in Learning Technologies			
<b>or</b> EDUC 745	Organizational Analysis & Problem Solving	3	_____	_____
<b><u>SPECIAL EDUCATION CORE (18 hours)</u></b>				
EDSP 722	History & Future of Special Education	3	_____	_____
EDSP 723	Administration & Supervision of Special Education	3	_____	_____
EDSP 724	Collaboration & Communication in Special Education	3	_____	_____
EDSP 725	Assessment & Evaluation in Special Education	3	_____	_____
EDSP 726	Disability & Learning	3	_____	_____
EDSP 727	Critical Review of Special Education Literature	3	_____	_____
<b><u>RESEARCH COURSES (12 hours)</u></b>				
EDUC 750	Survey of Educational Research <sup>1</sup>	3	_____	_____
EDUC 816	Applied Research Methods	3	_____	_____
EDUC 850	Literature Review for Applied Research	3	_____	_____
EDUC 880	Applied Research Concepts & Methodology <sup>2,3</sup>	3	_____	_____
<b><u>CAPSTONE PROJECT (15 hours)</u></b>				
EDUC 887	Capstone Project I <sup>4</sup>	5	_____	_____
EDUC 888	Capstone Project II <sup>4</sup>	5	_____	_____
EDUC 889	Capstone Project III <sup>4</sup>	5	_____	_____
EDUC 890	Capstone Project IV <sup>5</sup>	0	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>		<b>54</b>		

**Graduation Requirements**

Complete 54 hours  
 A maximum of 50% of a post-graduate and doctoral degree may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level  
 3.0 GPA  
 No grades lower than a B- may be applied to the degree  
 Successful completion of Capstone Project  
 Degree must be completed within 7 years  
 Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

**Offered in Online Format**

**Notes**

*All applicable prerequisites must be met*  
<sup>1</sup>Intensive Format optional  
<sup>2</sup>EDUC 880 must be the final course taken before enrolling in Capstone Project courses  
<sup>3</sup>Once the student enters the Capstone Project phase (after completion of EDUC 880), they must maintain continuous enrollment (Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters) until all degree requirements are completed  
<sup>4</sup>Ed.D. students are allowed to enroll in EDUC 887, 888, 889 a maximum of two times. Extensions for exceptional circumstances must be approved by the School of Education.  
<sup>5</sup>Enrollment in EDUC 890 is contingent on School of Education approval  
*Suggested Course Sequence on second page*

**SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE**

<u>First Semester (B-Term)</u>		<u>First Semester (D-Term)</u>	
EDUC 701	3	EDUC 722	3
EDUC 703	<u>3</u>	EDUC 730 or EDUC 745	<u>3</u>
Total	6	Total	6
 <u>Second Semester (B-Term)</u>		 <u>Second Semester (D-Term)</u>	
EDSP 723	3	EDSP 725	3
EDSP 724	<u>3</u>	EDSP 726	<u>3</u>
Total	6	Total	6
 <u>Third Semester (B-Term)</u>		 <u>Third Semester (D-Term)</u>	
EDSP 727	3	EDUC 816	<u>3</u>
EDUC 750	<u>3</u>	Total	3
Total	6		
 <u>Fourth Semester (B-Term)</u>		 <u>Fourth Semester (D-Term)</u>	
EDUC 850	<u>3</u>	EDUC 880	<u>3</u>
Total	3	Total	3
 <u>Fifth Semester (A-Term)</u>		 <u>Sixth Semester (A-Term)</u>	
EDUC 887	<u>5</u>	EDUC 888	<u>5</u>
Total	5	Total	5
 <u>Seventh Semester (A-Term)</u>		 <u>Eighth Semester (A-Term)</u>	
EDUC 889	<u>5</u>	EDUC 890	<u>0</u>
Total	5	Total	0