

Dyslexia Specialist Added Endorsement Program K-12

Student Name: _____

UID: _____

This program is approved by the state of Iowa as preparation for endorsement number 1761, K-12 Dyslexia Specialist, and is available to licensed teachers who have three years of teaching experience in a K-12 setting. This program is offered at the graduate level, as a non-degree program. The holder of the K-12 Dyslexia Specialist K-12 endorsement is authorized to serve as a dyslexia specialist in kindergarten and grades 1 through 12.

This program is offered in cooperation with the [Iowa Reading Research Center](#).



Requirements

- Admission to the University of Iowa as a [graduate Distance and Online Student \(nondegree\)](#), or as a graduate student in another University of Iowa program; and admission to the added endorsement program. Visit the [Dyslexia Specialist program web page](#), or contact the Office of Student Services ask-education@uiowa.edu for application information.
- Program completion requirements: 18 semester hours of dyslexia strategies course requirements, including practicum in dyslexia, as detailed below; and hold or meet requirements for a Standard License.

Dyslexia Strategies Course Requirements

Complete all of the following.

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Course	Course Title	Credit	Session/Substitute
EDTL:7008	Seminar: Research and Current Issues: Dyslexia Theory and Practice	3 s.h.	
EDTL:6164	Early Literacy Development and Instruction	3 s.h.	
EDTL:5083	Diagnostic Reading Instruction	3 s.h.	

Assessment (Complete the following course)

Course	Course Title	Credit	Session/Substitute
PSQF:4740	Issues in K-12 Assessment	3 s.h.	

Practicum (Complete both of the following courses.)

Course	Course Title	Credit	Session/Substitute
EDTL:6171	Advanced Reading Clinic: Techniques	3 s.h.	
EDTL:6172	Advanced Reading Clinic: Practicum	3 s.h.	

Approved course substitutions

Course	Course Title	Credit	Session/Substitute

Practicum in dyslexia

EDTL:6171 Advanced Reading Clinic: Techniques (site, grade level, clock hours and/or dates)

Elementary

Site/Grade Level:
Dates/Hours:

Secondary

Site/Grade Level:
Dates/Hours:

EDTL:6172 Advanced Reading Clinic: Practicum (site, grade level, clock hours and/or dates)

Elementary Practicum

Site/Grade Level:
Dates/Hours:

Secondary Practicum

Site/Grade Level:
Dates/Hours:

Verification of Completion

Student completed Dyslexia Specialist course sections, elementary and secondary practicum in dyslexia, and course substitutions are approved.

Student Signature:

Date:

Advisor Signature:

Date:

Additional Information

This Program Guide is for planning and documentation of program completion. State requirements for licensure and endorsements are subject to change without notice; check with your adviser or the Office of Education Services for updated requirements. Course transfer and substitution may require syllabi or other documentation in addition to transcript. Revised 9/14/2021 DR/BJ version 4.2.2.

For additional information, admissions procedures, or advising referral, please contact Office of Student Services, College of Education, N201 Lindquist Center, Iowa City, IA 52242, 319-335-5359, FAX: 319-335-5364, ask-education@uiowa.edu, <https://education.uiowa.edu/>