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Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

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Advisor checks all that apply:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Professional Certificate <sup>1</sup>

2. \_\_\_\_\_ Endorsement

	Credits	Grade	Notes
I. Special Education Coursework – Required for EI candidates who DO NOT hold a Special Education endorsement. (Take first)			
EDS 652 Foundations of Special Education	3	_____	_____
II. Pre-teaching Coursework – Required for EI candidates who DO NOT hold a Special Education endorsement. Application Required. <sup>2</sup>			
EDS 550 Pre-teaching and Methods of Teaching Special Education	6	_____	_____
(Candidates with approved special education experiences may seek a waiver of the EDS 550 requirement.)			
III. Elective Coursework – Required for EI candidates who DO hold a Special Education endorsement. Advisor approval required. (Take anytime)			
_____	3	_____	_____
IV. Emotional Impairment Coursework – Required for ALL EI candidates.			
EDS 609 Understanding Students with Emotional Impairment	3	_____	_____
EDS 610 Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports	3	_____	_____
EDS 611 Curriculum and Instruction for Students with Emotional Impairment	3	_____	_____
EDS 625 Inclusive Practices	3	_____	_____
EDS 627 Instructional Practices: Technology	3	_____	_____
EDS 629 Transition Practices	3	_____	_____
EDS 636 Diagnostic and Interpretive Procedures	3	_____	Take before EDS 638
EDS 638 Instructional Practices: Learning Disabilities 2	3	_____	_____
V. Practicum Coursework – Required for ALL EI candidates. Application Required. <sup>2</sup>			
EDS 685 A Emotional Impairment	6	_____	_____
VI. Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) Requirement <sup>3</sup>		_____	_____

Students seeking special education endorsements must have a valid Michigan teacher certificate and earn a passing score on the Michigan Test for Teacher Certification – Emotional Impairment.

- Program Requirement Notes
1. Additional information on certification requirements can be found on the College of Education website: <https://www.gvsu.edu/coe/grad/educator-certification-requirements-50.htm#FAQ>

2. Students must apply in advance for each practicum or capstone course. Advisor approval is required. Apply online at <http://www.gvsu.edu/coe/grad/app>. Application deadlines: May 15 for fall enrollment, September 15 for winter enrollment, and February 15 for spring/summer enrollment.

3. All students must complete Responsible Conduct of Research training as a graduation requirement. This online training should be completed prior to completion of 50% of the graduate program or prior to engaging in any research activity. Certification expires after 3 years and must be current while engaged in any research activity. More information may be found on the COE website: <https://www.gvsu.edu/coe/grad/responsible-conduct-of-research-rcr-requirement-54.htm>

- Important Program Policies
- Students must apply and be accepted for graduate study in the College of Education. Students who have not been accepted will not be permitted to enroll in coursework beyond 6 semester hours.

▪ Students who have not enrolled for 24 consecutive months must follow the program requirements in the GVSU catalog that are in effect at the time of their re-entry.

▪ This program does not result in a master’s degree without completion of additional coursework.

▪ Students must earn a cumulative 3.0 GPA or higher on GVSU graduate coursework. If pursuing a master’s degree, a letter grade of “C” or higher is required for all courses used for degree.

▪ All candidates applying for certification must initiate the certification recommendation process by self-registering in the Michigan Online Educator Certification System (MOECS) at [www.michigan.gov/moeecs](http://www.michigan.gov/moeecs).

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Date Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Updated: \_\_\_\_\_ Updated: \_\_\_\_\_ Updated: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Advisor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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