



**M.A.T. Degree  
Major: Special Education  
2024/2025 Catalog**

This program plan is valid only if the student registers for, and completes, a term at Brenau by summer 2025. If the student defers admission to fall 2025 or after, the student must contact the adviser to change to the subsequent catalog.

**All courses are three hours unless otherwise noted. ( )  
Total hours for degree: 63-73.**

**Prerequisite Placement Information:**  
(Institution/ Term/ Transfer crs #)

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_ ⚙EH 101 Written Comm  
 \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_ ⚙EH 102 Read/Res Writing  
 \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_ ❖MS 101 College Algebra  
 ⚙ for language arts concentration only ❖ for math concentration only

**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:** (27 hours)

Term	Grade	Course #
_____	_____	ED 500 * Introduction to Teacher Education
_____	_____	ED 501 * Clinical Experiences Seminar (0)
_____	_____	SE 604 Introduction to Special Education
_____	_____	ED 605 * Understanding & Managing Learners **
_____	_____	ED 612 Instructional Planning & Assessment
_____	_____	ED 614 Content Applications **
_____	_____	ED 630 Computer Literacy in Education
_____	_____	ED 688 School Law & Ethics in Education
_____	_____	ED 700 Clinical Practices Seminar
_____	_____	ED 702 Applied Educational Psychology

**READING & WRITING:** (9 hours)

_____	_____	ED 600 Lang & Lit Acquisition & Assessment
_____	_____	ED 609 Literacy Methods for Middle Grades **
_____	_____	ED 610 Content Literacy & Assessment**

**SPECIAL EDUCATION:** (12 hours)

_____	_____	SE 607 Assessment of Learning Potential **
_____	_____	SE 608 Advanced Applied Behavioral Analysis **
_____	_____	SE 710 Learners with Mild Disabilities **
_____	_____	SE 711 Methods of Mild Disabilities **

**CONCENTRATION:** (6-16 hours)

Choose one concentration from Language Arts, Mathematics, Reading, Science or Social Studies. Courses for each concentration are listed opposite.

**Concentration:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Program Plan to Student (date): \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Id No \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Degree/Date \_\_\_\_\_

Where degree earned \_\_\_\_\_

**Clinical Experiences:** (9 hours)

Choose:

SE 730 Stud Teaching – or SE 740 Internship and post below.

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**Concentration Courses:**

**Language Arts:**

ED 607 Assessing & Teaching Lang & Lit\*\*  
 ED 609 Literacy Meth for MG \*\*  
 ED 631 Childr Lit & LA for Teachers \*\*  
 World/American/British Lit  
 Language Arts Elective

**Mathematics:**

687 Methods for Teaching Math \*\*  
 Algebra (MS 100/101/111/210)  
 Geometry (MS 204)  
 Statistics (MS 205)  
 Math Elective

**Science:** (One must be 4 hr lab sci.)

ED 686 Meth for Teaching Science \*\*  
 Earth/Space Science (PS 104)  
 Physical Science (PS 100)  
 Life Science  
 Science Elective

**Social Studies:**

ED 632 Soc Stud for Teachers \*\*  
 HY 201 U.S. History I  
 Economics (BA 200/206/207)  
 SS Elective  
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**Reading:**

ED 607 Assessing & Teaching Lang & Lit\*\*  
 ED 610 Content Literacy \*\*  
 ED 631 Childr Lit & LA for Teachers \*\*  
 ED 741 Issues in Reading  
 Reading Elective (ED 342 or SE 409)

**\* Required for admission to Teacher Education  
 \*\* Contains Field Experience Requirement.**

**Note: Financial aid recipients cannot receive aid for courses repeated unnecessarily or for courses not specifically required for their degree.**

**Any deviation of this program must be documented via substitution memo and approved by the department chair and the registrar.**