

SEVERE DISABILITIES MINOR

Banner Code: SPSD

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This minor provides undergraduate students with background knowledge in teaching students with severe disabilities. Completing this minor partially fulfills the requirements for Virginia's initial licensure in special education—adapted curriculum K-12.

Admissions & Policies

Policies

At least eight credits must be unique to this minor and may not be used to fulfill requirements of the student's major, concentration, an undergraduate certificate, or another minor. Students must complete all coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.00. For policies governing all minors, see AP.5.3.4 Minors (<https://catalog.gmu.edu/policies/academic/undergraduate-policies/#ap-5-3-4>).

Requirements

Minor Requirements

Total credits: 15

Coursework

Code	Title	Credits
EDSE 201	Introduction to Special Education	3
EDSE 251	Classroom Management and Positive Behavior Supports	3
EDSE 361	Characteristics of Students with Severe Disabilities	3
EDSE 362	Communication and Severe Disabilities	3
EDSE 469	Individualized Supports and Specialized Care of Students with Severe Disabilities	3
Total Credits		15