

Discover Special Education

Master of Education in Curriculum and Instruction with Emphasis on Special Education

Who takes this program?

- Anyone interested in working with or assisting children diagnosed with a disability.
- Anyone interested in assisting in the planning and implementation of appropriate programming for students diagnosed with a disability.
- This program may be a good fit for teachers, counselors, school administrators, or other education personnel seeking expertise in special education.

How does the program work?

- 36-hour program for students with a bachelor's degree in special education.
- 45-hour program for students who do not have a bachelor's degree in special education.
- Program is offered completely online.

How will this degree benefit me?

Professions open to program graduates include:

- Master teacher in the field of special education.
- Researcher.
- Curriculum and Instruction Specialist for Special Needs.
- Educational consultant.
- Instructors colleges and universities.
- Special Education Coordinator.

What courses will I take?

- 9 hours of core education coursework.
- 21 hours of special education coursework
- 6 hours of assessment coursework

What sets this program apart from other programs?

The program at WTAMU is completely online and developed to enhance your expertise of special education content. Students obtaining their masters in C&I specializing in Special Education can take an additional 6 hours (2 courses) and obtain an additional certification as Educational Diagnostician online.

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Admission Criteria and Application Guidelines

Full Admission

- Classroom teaching certificate.
- Letter of intent and interest.
- Undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 2.75
- Official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended.

Suggested Deadlines to Apply

- August 1 for Fall admission
- December 1 for Spring admission
- May 1 for Summer admission

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