

FISCHLER SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES

<http://www.schoolofed.nova.edu/gtep/>

Master's Programs

Master of Science Special Education and Reading Degree Program Only

SAMPLE

Entrance Requirements

- 1) Complete the admission application packet and submit a \$50.00 non-refundable fee (U.S. dollars) made payable to Nova Southeastern University (NSU).
- 2) Official transcripts from **all** previously attended academic institutions. An official transcript indicating conferral of a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution is required.
- 3) A minimum **2.5** cumulative grade point average (CGPA) is required for all students. Applicants who do not meet the 2.5 CGPA requirement must submit Graduate Record Exam (GRE) scores (a combined score of 1000 for the verbal and quantitative scales only).

If the applicant does not meet the minimum 2.5 GPA or GRE score requirement, the applicant may enroll in a maximum of six (6) credit hours and must earn a grade of B or better in each course during the first term of enrollment for **conditional admission**. Students who do not earn a grade of B or better in each course will be subject to dismissal from the program.

Core Coursework

	Completed	Course Title	Credit
1		EDU 5000 Orientation to the Graduate Teacher Education Program	0
2		EDU 601 Professional Seminar I	0
3		CUR 526 Educational Research for Practitioners	3
4		ESE 600 Survey of Exceptionalities of Children and Youth	3
5		ESE 610 Speech and Language Development and Disabilities	3
6		ESE 620 Behavior Management of Exceptional Students	3
7		ESE 630 Educational and Psychological Assessment of Exceptional Students	3
8		ESE 640 Transition Skills and Services for Exceptional Students	3
9		ESE 650 Instructional Strategies for Exceptional Students	3
10		RED 575 Contemporary Foundations of Reading: Research Perspectives**	3
11		RED 570 The Reading Process**	3
12		RED 554 Assessment in Reading**	3
13		RED 500 Techniques of Corrective and Remedial Reading**	3
14		RED 587 Supervised Reading Practicum (field experience)**	3
15		EDU 602 Professional Seminar II	0
Total Credits Required for Degree			36

Benchmarks:

1. Complete CUR 526, EDU 5000 and EDU 601 within first term of program at NSU
2. Maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA
3. Complete program capstone: Supervised Reading Practicum RED 587: <http://www.schoolofed.nova.edu/gtep/fldex/> (24 credit hours of coursework with a 3.0 cumulative GPA must be completed for eligibility. CUR 526, EDU 601 and EDU 5000 are prerequisites.)
4. Complete EDU 602

* **Program Prerequisites:** To check prerequisites, click on the individual course ID in the schedule;

<http://www.schoolofed.nova.edu/gtep/info/sites.htm>.

Exit Requirements

- Degree Application <http://www.nova.edu/cwis/registrar/faq.html>

Important Student Notice

****This set of courses meets the Florida Department of Education's requirements for an Endorsement in Reading and can only be added on to a current certificate in an academic, degreed vocational, administrative, or specialty class coverage.**

Students are strongly encouraged to visit the Fischler School of Education and Human Services catalog for degree and program requirements; <http://www.schoolofed.nova.edu/fgshome/fgscatalogs.htm>. The student has **6** years to complete degree from first session enrolled. **This program is not designed to meet specific certification/licensing requirements. Students seeking certification need to check with their state whether this program is suitable for their career goals.**

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