This advising sheet applies to students having appropriate certification in Collaborative SPE who begin this program at UA or elsewhere August, 2021. Students earning graduate credit prior to this date may elect to utilize this program. Candidates must present a GPA of at least 3.25 on all courses in the program below, with no grade below a "C." Credits over 6 years old may not be used for degree purposes, and credits used for the previous Class B support certificate may not be used for this program.

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<th>Required Courses:</th>
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<td>6 sem hours required</td>
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<td>SPE 531 Intro to Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD)</td>
<td>(At least 1/3 of the total hrs in this program must be in graduate-level teaching field courses.)</td>
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<td>Choose one of the following courses:</td>
<td><strong>SPE 502 Advanced Behavior Management</strong></td>
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<td><strong>SPE 504 Intro to Assistive Technology</strong></td>
<td><strong>SPE 532 Evidence Based Practice: For Ind. With ASD</strong></td>
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<td>SPE 520 Lang, Comm, Early Literacy Instr</td>
<td><strong>SPE 533 Assess Behavior Chg in Child/Youth w ASD</strong></td>
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<td><strong>SPE 588 Practicum P-12 ASD</strong></td>
<td><strong>State-approved diversity course</strong></td>
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<th>Foundations of Professional Studies:</th>
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<td>3 sem hrs required</td>
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<td>BEF 503, 507, 534, 575, 607, or 639</td>
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<td>BEP 500, 505, 541, 550, 570, 600, 665, or 601</td>
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<td>(see advisor for additional foundations courses)</td>
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<td>SPE 501 Diagnosis and Assessment of Exceptional Children and Youth</td>
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<td>a) Admission requires prior certification in an appropriate area of special education; b) All candidates in this program must complete a practicum; c) a passing score on a comprehensive assessment covering the content of the curriculum is required. d) A passing score on the appropriate Praxis II tests may be required if changing areas of certification.</td>
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