FISCHLER SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES
http://www.schooolofc.ed.nova.edu/step/

Autism Grades K-12
Nevada Endorsement

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 conferment 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.
4) Valid NV Permanent Teaching License:
5) Special Education Endorsement

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Important Student Notice

* Program Prerequisite: To check prerequisites, click on the individual course ID in the schedule;
http://www.schooolofc.ed.nova.edu/step/infor/sites.htm

* One year of verifiable teaching experience with pupils who have autism

This set of courses meets the Nevada Department of Education's requirements for an Endorsement in Autism and can only be added on to a current teaching license in any exceptional student education area.

Students are strongly encouraged to visit the Fischler School of Education and Human Services catalog for degree and program requirements: http://www.schooolf.ed.nova.edu/step/infor/sites.htm. It is the student's responsibility to ensure that all certification and/or endorsement requirements are met. Please note that a student has 6 years to complete a degree from first session enrolled. The beginning of the six-year time frame for degree or program completion is the first term during which any courses that are applied toward any degree or any certification/endorsement program were taken, either as a non-degree seeking student or as a degree-seeking student in another specialization.

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Endorsements with a Specialization in Autism(Nevada): Prospective Students

About the Specialization

The Autism Endorsement Program at the Nova Southeastern University (NSU) Fischler School of Education is designed for practicing educators with a license in special education who are working with autistic children in Nevada. The program focuses on understanding the needs, assessment, and intervention of students with autism spectrum disorders (ASD). The courses in the program meet the Nevada Department of Education's licensure requirements for a teaching endorsement in autism, and can only be added on to a teaching license in any exceptional student education area. If you teach in Nevada, NSU’s School of Education autism education program can help you earn the teaching endorsements you need to achieve your goals in education.

Who Should Apply

Practicing special education teachers who are seeking an autism endorsement program in Nevada.

Overview

- Completed admission application packet, including a $50 non-refundable application fee made payable to Nova Southeastern University.
- Official transcript indicating completion of a bachelor's degree by a regionally accredited institution (2.5 minimum cumulative grade point average required)
- Official transcripts from all previously attended postsecondary institutions
- Nevada Permanent teaching license

Special Education Endorsement

Convenient Delivery Options

Curriculum for the Autism Endorsement Program, state approved in Nevada, is available online and at NSU's Nevada Student Educational Center. The online delivery option allows students to remotely submit coursework in their special education classes and interact with other students and professors via the Internet. The site-based delivery option for the endorsement program allows students to take classes at the university or on weekends in locations near their homes. These distance education options allow international students and busy professionals to complete their programs without having to leave their jobs or travel long distances.

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Completion Requirements

State Requirements for Licensure

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Courses in the Program

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Completion Requirements

Satisfactory completion of all required coursework
Cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher
One year of verifiable teaching experience with pupils who have autism

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