

**TROY UNIVERSITY**  
**Education Specialist : School Counseling**  
 Graduate Degree Plan / Degree Audit  
**36 Semester-Hour Program**

Name  Student ID#  Campus

Address  Email

Copy of transcript must be attached. May not use "Student Academic Credits" or "Academic Evaluation" report.

**CERTIFICATION VERIFICATION:** List all professional educator certificates held and attach a copy of each to this degree plan. Candidates for the Education Specialist Degree in School Counseling **MUST** hold valid certification in School Counseling the master's level.

| Certificate Type/Class | Discipline | Hrs   | Grade Level | Valid Period | Issuing Date |
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**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:**

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. GRE, or equivalent exam, test scores submitted.</li> <li>2. Official transcripts of all academic work</li> <li>3. Unconditional Admission</li> <li>4. 36 semester hours of credit</li> <li>5. Meet residency requirement</li> <li>6. No more than two grades below "B"</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7. Overall GPA of 3.25 or better</li> <li>8. Completion of research requirement with a "B" or better</li> <li>9. All credit earned within 8 years of graduation</li> <li>10. Admission to Candidacy</li> <li>11. Thesis/Comprehensive Examination</li> <li>12. Intent to Graduate filed</li> </ol> |
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**REQUIRED CORE COURSES: (12 Semester Hours)**

| COURSE NO. | TITLE  | HRS | GRADE | TERM/YR | TRANSFER CREDIT |
|------------|--|-----|-------|---------|-----------------|
| CP 6656    | Marriage, Family and Sex Therapy Counseling    | 3   |       |         |                 |
| CP 7700    | Advanced Practicum in Group Leadership         | 3   |       |         |                 |
| CP 7702    | Advanced Theories and Techniques of Counseling | 3   |       |         |                 |
| PSY 6669   | Behavior Pathology                             | 3   |       |         |                 |

**RESEARCH COURSE: (3 Semester Hours) Select one of the following:**

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| PSY 6693 | Psychological & Educational Statistics                    | 3 |  |  |  |
| EDU 6693 | Quantitative Methods of Evaluation of Teaching & Learning | 3 |  |  |  |
| EDU 7792 | Advanced Research in Education                            | 3 |  |  |  |

**FIELD PROJECT OR THESIS: (3- 6 Semester Hours)**

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| CP 7794       | Field Project | 3   |  |  |  |
| CP 7795, 7796 | Thesis        | 3-6 |  |  |  |

**ADVISER APPROVED ELECTIVES: (15-18 Semester Hours)** All coursework applied toward Ed.S. degree program must be earned at the 6000 level or above. Courses applied toward certification at the masters level may not be applied at the Ed.S. level.

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**SURVEY COURSE IN SPECIAL EDUCATION: *Required Unless Previously Completed***

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|  | Survey Course in Special Education | 3 |  |  |  |
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