

Northern Illinois University

Special Education - Vision Impairments

College of Education

Success Marker

"C" or better is required in SEVI

Degree Path - Catalog 2019-2020

Fall 1	Credits	Success Marker
ENGL 103	3	 A "C" or better is required in ENGL 103 and EPFE 201
COMS 100	3	
PSYC 102	3	
EPFE 201	3	
ETT 229	3	
UNIV 101/201	1	
Total hours	16	
Notes/Comments:		•

Fall 2	Credits	Success Marker		
SEVI 400	3	• A "C" or better is required in SEVI 400, SEVI 410, SEVI 420, SEVI		
SEVI 410	3	430, and GE: Nature & Technology		
SEVI 420	3			
SEVI 430	3	 Students must earn a 2.5 cumulative GPA by the end of the 		
GE: Nature & Technology	3	Fall 2 Semester		
Total hours	15			
Notes/Comments: SEVI 400, 410, and 420 are only offered in a Fall semester				

Total hours 16

Spring 2

420 are only offered in a Fall semeste

Fall 3	Credits	Success Marker		
SEVI 450*	3	• All courses in Fall 3 require no		
SESE 415	4	grade lower than a 'C' or equivalent		
SESE 416	3			
SESE 417	3			
SESE 418	2			
Total hours	15			
Notes/Comments: * SEVI 450 is only offered in a fall semester				

Spring 3	Credits	Success Marker		
EPS 405	3	 All courses in Spring 3 require a grade no lower than a "C" or 		
LTIC 301 or 420	3	equivalent		
SEVI 441*	3			
SEVI 440*	3	• Content Area test (#150) and the		
SEVI 480	3	Special Education General Cirriculum Test (#163) must be		
Total hours	15	completed prior to student teaching		

Notes/Comments: *SEVI 441 and 440 are only offered in a spring semester

Fall 4	Credits	Success Marker	Spring 4	Credits	Success Marker
SEVI 486*	3	 All major courses in Fall 4 require no grade lower than a 'C' or 	SEVI 484		 All courses in Spring 4 require no grade lower than a 'C' or equivaler
SESE 444	3	equivalent	SEVI 485	6	
SESE 449		• Apply for graduation (by 2/1 for May, by 6/15 for August, or by 9/1			 EdTPA must be passed prior to licensure
SESE 447		for December)			
ETT 402	3				
Elective	3				
Total hours	17		Total hours	12	
Notes/Comments: *SEVI 486 is o	nly offered in a	fall semester	Notes/Comments:		

Notes/Comments: This path is an example of what a four year plan could look like for a typical student based on the above catalog year. It should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor each semester to discuss course scheduling. Additional State testing is required for licensure, including Vision Content test (#150) and Special Education Curriculum Test (#163). All requirements are subject to change by NIU and the Illinois State Board of Education. Retention GPA: Fall 3 through Spring 4 requires a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA.

Spring 1	Credits	Success Marker
ENGL 203		• A "C" or better is required in ENGL 203, MATH 201, SESE 240, and GE:
MATH 201		Nature & Technology
SESE 240	3	
GE: Creativity & Critical Analysis	3	
GE: Nature & Technology	3	
Total hours	15	
Notes/Comments:		

Credits

3

SEVI 421

	Total hours	16		
	EPFE 410 or 321		 ACT/SAT waiver) passing score order to register In Spring 4 course 	
	GE: Knowledge Domain Elective	3		
	LTCY 300	4	•2.5 GPA in order to register for Fall 3	
y	ETR 434	3	421, LTCY 300, EPFE 410 or 321, and ETR 434.	

Notes/Comments: SEVI 421 is only offered in a spring semester