

ADVISING GUIDE

Professional Field Emphasis in Reading

On-Campus Graduate Program Advising Form

Southwest Minnesota State University

Name____

_____ Expected Graduation Date ____

MO/YR

Date you entered graduate classes at SMSU:

Professional Education Core

Professional Education Core Courses (11 credits)			
ED 623	Professional Planning & Assessment	2	F2 – FE&O
ED 625	21 st Century Brain-Based Teaching and Learning	3	F1 - O
ED 632	Linking Teaching, Content, and Learning	3	F2 - E
ED 635	Content & Curriculum Development	3	Sp2 -O

Research Component

Research Component Courses (8 credits)				
ED 622	Research in Education	3	Sp1 – E & O	
ED 624	Research Project Design	3	Su1 – E & O	
ED 627	Research Project Implementation	2	Sp2 – E & O	

Professional Field Emphasis

Professional Field Emphasis – Reading Courses (15 credits)				
ED 546	Advanced Developmental Reading Methods & Research	3	Su 0	
ED 550	Reading Assessment & Evaluation	3	Sp O	
ED 551	Literacy Practicum	3	Sp E or any semester	
ED 502	Early Literacy & Linguistics	3	F	
ED 547	Teaching of Literacy	3	Su O & E	

Note: This is a tentative schedule. Classes will be offered based on enrollment.

Student Signature_	Date
Advisor Signature_	Date

*F-Fall, Sp-Spring, Su-Summer; E- Available even years only O- Available odd years only; 1- Take in first year of program 2- Take in second year of program. *- First listing is the suggested time to take this course however; it is available more than once each year. You are responsible to keep informed of any changes in requirements, which may affect your academic career.

** Students enrolled in the Masters of Science in Education program choose between Plan A and Plan B options. All students complete the Professional Education Core and a Professional Field Emphasis. Students who opt for Plan A complete ED 627, "Research Project Implementation" for a total program length of 34-38 credits. Students who opt for Plan B may take ED 624, "Research Project Design" or an elective in place of ED 627, "Research Project Implementation" for a total program length of 32-36 credits.