

# M.A.T. INITIAL CERTIFICATION, SECONDARY TRACK (9-12 CERTIFICATION AND SUBJECT ENDORSEMENT) (EDS.(EN, MA, SCI, OR SS).MAT)

## Subject Endorsements in: English, Mathematics, Science, and Social Studies

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Requirements (36 credits)</b>		
ED-510	Psychological and Philosophical Foundations of Teaching	3
ED-550	Teaching English Language Learners in Mainstream Classroom	3
ED-529	Content Literacy	3
EDS-500	Foundations of Special Education: Child & Adolescent Development and Transition to Adulthood	3
EDS-534	Classroom Management in Inclusive Settings	3
<i>Content Methods</i>		
Select two of the following Content Methods courses:		6
Content Method I		
ED-566	Methods of Teaching Science at the Secondary Level I	
ED-578	Methods of Teaching English at the Secondary Level	
ED-564	Secondary Mathematics Methods, Part I	
ED-579	Teaching Social Studies and Cultural Education at the Secondary Level	
Content Method II		
ED-567	Methods of Teaching Science at the Secondary Level II	
ED-585	Methods of Teaching English at the Secondary Level Part II	
ED-565	Secondary Mathematics Methods Part II	
ED-580	Secondary Social Studies Education Part II	
Select two of the following:		6
ED-606	Diversity in Education	
ED-583	Theories and Practice of ESL Instruction Part I	
EDS-535	Technology and Students with Disabilities Education (ED) 500-Level Independent Study	
ED-524	Research in Teaching Practice	
ED-593	Clinical Practice <sup>1</sup>	9
or ED-594	Supervised Clinical Practice	
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>36</b>

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Students must complete the appropriate test requirement(s) with a passing score prior to student/supervised teaching.

## Sequence Chart

First Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
ED-510 Psychological and Philosophical Foundations of Teaching		3 ED-529 Content Literacy	3
ED-550 Teaching English Language Learners in Mainstream Classroom		3 EDS-534 Classroom Management in Inclusive Settings	3
EDS-500 Foundations of Special Education: Child & Adolescent Development and Transition to Adulthood		3 ED-500 Elective or EDS-500 Elective (please refer to curriculum chart for choices)	3
<b>Semester Credits</b>		<b>9 Semester Credits</b>	<b>9</b>
Second Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
Content Methods I (please refer to curriculum chart )		3 ED-593 Clinical Practice or 594	9
Content Methods II (please refer to curriculum chart)		3	
ED-500 or EDS-500 + Elective (please refer to curriculum chart for choices)		3	
<b>Semester Credits</b>		<b>9 Semester Credits</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Total Credits 36</b>			

## Admission Requirements

- Possession of a baccalaureate degree with a satisfactory overall GPA per state requirements and a 3.0 GPA in the undergraduate major.
- Two letters of recommendation for graduate study.
- Résumé.
- Personal statement of not more than two pages that describes your preparation for study in the program and personal objectives for graduate study.
- Provide a passing score on the Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educators. Please visit <https://www.ets.org/praxis/nj> (<https://www.ets.org/praxis/nj/>) for guidance on the NJ Praxis tests and passing scores. A test score must meet the current passing score to satisfy the test requirement. *Before you register for a test, please confirm your state's requirements.*
  - Provide an official qualifying score on the SAT, ACT or GRE required for the year in which the exam was taken (see New Jersey Department of Education for details).
- Students interested in the MAT Initial Certification K-12 in Chinese must have a degree or thirty approved credits in the Chinese language and culture.

*Note: Prior to student teaching, the appropriate Praxis Test must be successfully completed, and all content course work and/or conditions of acceptance must be satisfied.*