

**VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY  
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION and HUMAN SERVICES  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION SCIENCES AND DISORDERS  
M. Ed. Degree with a major in Communication Disorders**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ID: \_\_\_\_\_

**For State Certification and Licensure these courses and exams are required:**

SPEC 3000 Serving Students with Diverse Needs (3 hours)

ACED 2400 Computer Technology for the Workplace (3 hours)

GACE I and Praxis II (GACE I is required by the end of your 1st semester in the program if you did not exempt it;

Praxis II is required by the end of your last semester in the program)

Physical Science (3 hours), a Biological Science (3 hours) and Statistics (3 hours) are required for National Certification and must be completed before a Master's degree is awarded. All students are enrolled in EDUC 5999 until the requirements are completed.

**Semester I (14 hours):**

Hours	Semester	Grade	Field Description Site
CSD 5010	Language Disorders in Young Children	3	
CSD 5030	Phonological Disorders	3	
CSD 5050	Beginning Practicum in Communication Disorders	2	
CSD 5080	Dysphagia & Motor Speech Disorders	3	
CSD 5110	Science & Research in Communication Disorders	3	
EDUC 5999	Professional Orientation	0	

**Semester II (15 hours)**

CSD 5040	Fluency Disorders	3	
CSD 5060	Language Disorders in School Age Children	3	
CSD 5090	Aural Rehabilitation	3	
CSD 5100	Intermediate Practicum in Communication Disorders	3	
CSD 5120	Aphasia & Other Neurogenic Disorders	3	

**Semester III (13 hours)**

CSD 5130	Congenital & Multifactorial Syndromes & Dis	3	
CSD 5140	Advanced Practicum in Communication Disorders	3	
CSD 5160	Voice Disorders	3	
CSD 5200	Augmentative/Alternative Communication	3	
LEAD 7210	Ethics and Law	1	
CSD 5230	Thesis	1-3	

**Semester IV (9 hours)**

CSD 5190	Applied Practicum in Schools	9	
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**Semester V (9 hours)**

CSD 5210	Externship	9	
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**Total Hours**

<b>60</b>
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**We agree to the program of study as outlined above:**

**Student's signature and date**

**Advisor's signature and date**

**NOTE: \*A two hour seminar has been incorporated into CSD 5050, CSD 5100 and CSD 5140.**

**CSD 5230 is required for students writing a Thesis during the semester they defend. Thesis credit will increase the total hours up to 63 credits if all hours are used. Revised 9/20/18**