

NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY

Early Interventionist (Birth-5) ADD-ON

Name _____ CWID _____

PRESCRIPTION OF STUDY

The holder of a valid Louisiana teaching certificate may add Early Interventionist (Birth-5) certification by completing the following courses:

LDOE Requirement	NSU Course
Foundations in Early Childhood Education and Early Intervention	SPED 5320: Foundations of Early Childhood Education for Young Children with Disabilities
Understanding and working with Families of Young Children	SPED 5350: Families of Individuals with Exceptional Needs
Assessment in Early Intervention	SPED 5310: Identification and Assessment in Early Intervention
Early Intervention Methods	SPED 5370: Curriculum and Methods for Non-Categorical Early Childhood Special Education
Teaming, Physical and Medical Management in Early Intervention	SPED 5960: Interactive Teaming and Physical and Medical Management
Communication and Literacy in Early Intervention	RDG 5020: Early Childhood/Primary Reading Instruction
Nine (9) semester hours of reading	RDG 5710: Advanced Diagnosis and Correction of Reading Difficulties RDG 5210: Reading and Literacy Instruction in the Elementary School RDG 5030: Dyslexia, Literacy, & The Science of Reading *Other relevant reading courses may be substituted

PRAXIS REQUIREMENTS:

- ✓ Principles of Learning and Teaching (PLT) Early Childhood #0621/5621
- ✓ SPED: Early Childhood #5691

*Check the LDOE website for PRAXIS exams taken prior to 9/1/14

