

**NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY
SPECIAL EDUCATION MILD/MODERATE
Grades 4-8 and 6-12 ADD-ON**

Name _____ CWID _____

PRESCRIPTION OF STUDY

The holder of a valid Louisiana teaching certificate may add Mild/Moderate Special Education Grades 4-8 or 6-12 certification by completing the following courses:

LDOE Requirement	NSU Course
Assessment and Evaluation of Students with Disabilities	SPED 5380: Curriculum Based Assessment
Fundamentals of Instructional Technology	ETEC 5710: Professional Development for K-12 Technology Integration
Self-Determination & Transition	SPED 5640: Vocational and Transition Services for Students with Exceptional Needs
Behavioral Support and Intervention	EPSY 5370: Behavior Management and Modification
Collaborative Teaming	SPED 5960: Interactive Teaming and Physical and Medical Management
Instructional Practices in Special Education	SPED 5600: Research-Validated Instructional Practices in Special Education

PRAXIS REQUIREMENTS:

All Middle and Secondary Grades:

Special Education: Core Knowledge and Mild to Moderate Applications #5355

Grades 4 – 8:

Principles of Learning and Teaching (PLT) 5-9
Middle School Content Exam

Grades 6 – 12:

Principles of Learning and Teaching (PLT) 7-12
Secondary Core Content Exam

*Check the LDOE website for PRAXIS exams taken prior to 1/1/11