PROGRAM COMPONENT (Group B) OR NON-SUBSTANTIVE MINOR REQUEST FORM (Short Form)

**Instructions:** Please use one form for each request/action. Clearly mark all changes using either (1) Track Change or (2) strikethroughs for deletions and underlines for additions. Following the approval of the appropriate college curriculum committee, the department chair will e-mail the completed form to gracemiller@uidaho.edu.

**Deadline:** This form must be submitted by October 1 for inclusion in the next available General Catalog and to be available for scheduling beginning with the next summer session.

When applicable, a Curriculum Change Form and Course Approval Forms must accompany the short form.

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<td><strong>Briefly describe the change you are requesting:</strong> Adding a teaching endorsement in special education to the existing major of secondary education (BS Ed.).</td>
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**What is the financial impact of the requested change?**

| Greater than $250,000 per FY: | x |
| Less than $250,000 per FY: |

**Note:** If financial impact is greater than $250,000, you must complete a Program Proposal form.

**Describe the financial impact:** None – all courses are currently offered at the graduate level and the undergraduate equivalents will be joint-listed.

**Rationale for Program Component Request or Name Change**

Explain the change you are requesting, and provide a rationale for this request. Include an explanation of how the department will manage the added workload for a new program component; describe whether the program component curriculum and admissions requirements remain the same; describe the rationale for a name change or degree designation change, if applicable.

Opportunities for teacher education candidates to pursue recommendation for certification to work with exceptional children currently only include Master’s level programs. This program will be available to undergraduate students in pursuit of that certification. This program will not change the workload of the program faculty in a significant way as these courses are already a part of faculty workload. To accommodate undergraduate students in the current coursework we requested to joint list two of the courses but other than that, the coursework remains the same.

**Name or Degree Change Only Requests**

Leave blank if not making a name and/or degree change only request.

Current Name:

New Name:

Current Degree:

New Degree:
Other Details: 
Effective Date: 

Please indicate if any course or curriculum changes are occurring as a result of this name or degree change request: □ Yes □ No
If there are accompanying curriculum or course changes, complete the next section and attach the curriculum and/or course forms.

**Note: A substantive change to a program degree, major, or program component may require a program proposal form.**

Please indicate whether 25% or more of the program learning outcomes are changing: □ Yes □ No

**Note: If you answered YES to this question, complete the table below:**

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<th>SLO#</th>
<th>List Old Learning Outcomes</th>
<th>New Learning Outcome, if changed (if no change, write N/A and move to next outcome)</th>
<th>New Direct Measure (list student work product and explain how it will be evaluated)</th>
<th>Have you updated the assessment cycle to include this change? (yes/no)</th>
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**Program Component Request**

Leave blank if not adding, discontinuing, or modifying a program component. Program components consist of option, emphasis, minor, academic certificate less than 30 credits, or teaching endorsement.

Clearly mark all changes to existing program components by using either (1) Track Change or (2) strikethroughs for deletions and underlines for additions. A curriculum change form and/or course approval forms associated with this request are required to be submitted with this short form.

Create New x Discontinue Discontinue Implementation Date: Fall 2018
Graduate Level x Undergraduate Level Law Level Credit Requirement:
Are new courses being created: (circle your response) No □ Yes □ If yes, how many courses will be created: 2

If the request is for an option or emphasis, enter the associated major and degree:

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<th>Degree:</th>
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Enter the name of the program component in the appropriate row:

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<td>Minor:</td>
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<td>Teaching Endorsement (Major/Minor):</td>
<td>Special Education</td>
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Provide a summary/description of the program component using 50 words or less:

This new teaching endorsement will allow elementary or secondary education majors to pursue certification in special education. This program will be offered online and will be an extension of the current graduate level program offering an initial certification in special education. Currently offered classes at a 300 and 400 level will remain the same, and the two classes at a 500 level (EDSP 548 and EDSP 530) are being considered for joint listing to accommodate undergraduate students.

**Learning Outcomes and Assessment Information**

This section must be completed if program component request section is completed

1. List the intended learning outcomes for the program component. Use learner centered statements that indicate what will
students know, be able to do, and value or appreciate as a result of completing the program:

**Outcome 1: Philosophy and School Organization.** University of Idaho special education majors demonstrate an understanding of the philosophical foundation of disabilities and special education and historical and contemporary school models that promote developmentally responsive practices for all learners. (connected to standard 6 of Idaho Special Exceptional Child Generalist Standards)

**Outcome 2: Curriculum.** University of Idaho special education majors demonstrate an understanding that curriculum and interventions should be relevant, inviting, challenging, integrative, and exploratory. They illustrate how to design, select and adapt curriculum for individuals in light of curriculum standards, theories, and models. (related/connected to standard 3 of Idaho Special Exceptional Child Generalist Standards)

**Outcome 3: Instruction.** University of Idaho special education majors demonstrate an understanding of the principles of developmentally appropriate instruction, know a wide variety of teaching and learning strategies and interventions and use technologically sound practices to teach core concepts, skills of inquiry, problem solving, collaboration, and communication. (connected to standard 5 of Idaho Special Exceptional Child Generalist Standards)

**Outcome 4: Assessment.** University of Idaho special education majors analyze and demonstrate an understanding of the roles of multiple assessments for identifying, monitoring and evaluating students learning in order to modify instruction; they can develop and critique formal and informal, and performance assessment techniques, including local, state, and national assessments systems. (connected to standard 4 of Idaho Special Exceptional Child Generalist Standards)

**Outcome 5: Research.** University of Idaho special education majors, as critical consumers and producers of educational research, examine the role of educational research for collecting, analyzing and sharing data. (connected to all standards in Idaho Special Exceptional Child Generalist Standards)

**Outcome 6: Communication.** University of Idaho special education majors select and apply a variety of communication techniques to foster inquiry, collaboration, and supportive interaction in and beyond the classroom. (connected to standard 7 of Idaho Special Exceptional Child Generalist Standards)

***a list of direct and indirect measures for each outcome as well as an alignment of signature assignments to standards are attached as separate documents

2. Describe the assessment process that will be used to evaluate how well students are achieving the intended learning outcomes of the program component:

Assessment will occur through alignment of signature assignments to Idaho Standards for Initial Preparation of Professional School Personnel in the Exceptional Child Generalist Endorsement. Candidates are expected to complete the internship semester and demonstrate proficiency through the Udaho Teacher Performance Assessment (UI-TPA).

3. How will you ensure that the assessment findings will be used to improve the program?

The assessment data will be considered for the annual closing of the assessment loop process and program improvement.

4. What direct and indirect measures will be used to assess student learning?

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5. When will assessment activities occur and at what frequency?

We will conduct ongoing assessment.
Distance Education Availability
This section must be completed if program component request section is completed

To comply with the requirements of the Idaho State Board of Education (SBOE) and the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU), the University of Idaho must declare whether 50% or more of the curricular requirements of a program may be completed via distance education. If the program component is to be offered via distance education, additional or different formwork may be required. Contact provost@uidaho.edu for assistance.

The U.S. Department of Education defines distance education as follows:
Distance education means education that uses one or more of the technologies listed below to deliver instruction to students who are separated from the instructor and to support regular and substantive interaction between the students and the instructor, either synchronously or asynchronously. The technologies may include--

(1) The internet;
(2) One-way and two-way transmissions through open broadcast, closed circuit, cable, microwave, broadband lines, fiber optics, satellite, or wireless communications devices;
(3) Audio conferencing; or
(4) Video cassettes, DVDs, and CD-ROMs, if the cassettes, DVDs, or CD-ROMs are used in a course in conjunction with any of the technologies listed in paragraphs (1) through (3).

Can 50% or more of the curricular requirements of this program component be completed via distance education?  
No

*If Yes, can 100% of the curricular requirements of this program component be completed via distance education?  
No

Geographical Area Availability
This section must be completed if program component request section is completed

Identify the geographical area(s) this program component can be completed in:

Moscow x
Coeur d'Alene
Boise*
Idaho Falls*
Other** Location(s): online

*Note: Programs offered in locations other than Moscow may require additional formwork from the State Board of Education. Contact the Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for additional information.

**Note: If Other is selected, identify the specific area(s) this program component will be offered.

Exceptional Child Generalist Teaching Endorsement

FOR ELEMENTARY ED MAJORS

EDSP 300 Educating for Exceptionalities 3 cr
EDSP 325 Classroom Applications of Learning Theories 2 cr
EDSP 350 Language and Communication Development and Disorders 3 cr
EDSP 423 Collaboration 3 cr
EDSP 425 Evaluation of Children and Youth 3 cr
EDSP 426 Developing Instructional Programs 3 cr
EDSP 430 Assistive Technology and UDL 2 cr
EDSP 448 Special Education Curriculum 3 cr
EDCI 463 Content Reading 3 cr
EDSP 484  Special Education Internship  6 cr

Courses to total 31 credits

FOR SECONDARY ED MAJORS:
*would take all courses listed above plus:

MTHE 235  Mathematics for Elementary Teachers I  3 cr
MTHE 236  Mathematics for Elementary Teachers II  3 cr
EDCI  320      Teaching Reading and Literacy  3 cr

Courses to total 40 credits

UCC-19-029 new courses for above.

College of Education, Health and Human Sciences
Proposed Catalog Changes
Effective Summer 2018

CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION
1. Add the following courses:

EDSP J430/J530 Assistive Technology and Universal Design for Learning for PreK-12 (2 cr)
This course is designed to introduce students to assistive technology (AT), instructional technology, and universal design for learning (UDL). Together, they provide a foundational environment in which all students, including those with disabilities, can survive and thrive in the general education setting. This course will increase participants’ understanding of the relationship between instructional design and technology and prepare for successful implementation. The course will move from individualized consideration of assistive technology to a naturally supported least restrictive environment.
Prereq: EDSP 300, EDSP 325, EDSP 350
Available via distance: Yes
Geographical Area: Moscow, Online with weekly synchronous sessions
Rationale: Opportunities for teacher education candidates to pursue recommendation for certification to work with exceptional children currently only include masters level programs. This course will be available to undergraduate students in pursuit of that certification.

EDSP J448/J548 Special Education Curriculum (3 cr)
This course is designed to enable professional educators to assume leadership roles in the development and implementation of instructional programs and services for students with disabilities. Attention will be given to theoretical models, curriculum approaches, practices in developing curricula, the use of technology and assistive technology in instruction, techniques for delivering instruction in a variety of educational settings, and trends and issues in special education instruction.
Prereq: EDSP 300, EDSP 325, EDSP 350

Available via distance: Yes
Geographical Area: Moscow, Online
Rationale: Opportunities for teacher education candidates to pursue recommendation for certification to work with exceptional children currently only include masters level programs. This course will be available to undergraduate students in pursuit of that certification.

2. Change the following courses:

EDSP 530 Assistive Technology and Universal Design for Learning for Pre-K12 (2 cr)
See EDSP J430/J530. This course is designed to introduce students to assistive technology and universal design for learning as they are woven into the PreK12 community to support all students including those with disabilities access and interact with the general education curriculum. This course will increase participants’ understanding of the continuum of assistive technologies to universal design and expose them optimal systematic formats for successful implementation. Focus will move from an IEP team-based process, of student evaluations, reporting, training, and follow-up, to a general education classroom instructional design model with an understanding of the impact on school improvement.

Available via distance: Yes
Geographical Area: Moscow, Online
Rationale: See above.

EDSP 548 Special Education Curriculum (3 cr)
See EDSP J448/J548. Theories of curriculum; models of teaching, instructional strategies, evaluation of student progress and service delivery; issues and trends in special education. (Fall only)

Available via distance: Yes
Geographical Area: Moscow, Online
Rationale: See above.