

CURR INST SPECIAL ED (CISP)

CISP 510 Instructional Prac/Excep Child	3 Credit hours	
An introductory course on applied planning and instructional approaches for the exceptional child. The course will introduce students to validated classroom practices for the beginning classroom teacher.		
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 520 Intro to Exceptional Child	3 Credit hours	
An introduction to the study of children who deviate from the average in mental, physical, and social characteristics, including a study of the characteristics of such children and the adaptation of educational procedures to their abilities and disabilities.		
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 521 Child w Exceptionalities	3 Credit hours	
Behavioral characteristics of children with exceptional development, dynamics of family-community interaction, and attitudes toward exceptional conditions. Implications for amelioration and educational planning. (Not for Special Education majors)		
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 526 Introduction to Gifted	3 Credit hours	
An overview of giftedness in children, definitions, etiology, observable characteristics and implications for educational agencies.		
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 527 Introduction to Autism	3 Credit hours	
This is an online course designed to survey current issues in the education and treatment of students with autism spectrum disorder (ASD). The course is the first in a two-course sequence that leads to the WV Autism Teaching Endorsement.		
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 529 Intro to Develop Disabilities	3 Credit hours	
Introduction to the characteristics and needs of young children with developmental disabilities addressing the physical, neurological, health, and environmental problems that impact atypical grown and development.		
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 535 Gen Spec Ed Programming	3 Credit hours	
Address the educational/curricular needs of students with mild learning problems in the categorical areas of mental retardation, behavior disorders, and specific learning disabilities. (PR: CI 320/520 and 433/533 or 423/523 or 424/524 or permission of instructor)		
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 553 Characteristics Methods ID	3 Credit hours	
Characteristics and effective instructional strategies appropriate for students with intellectual disabilities are considered. Emphasis will be on evidence and research based practices to address academic achievement and functional performance.		
Pre-req: CISP 520.		
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 554 Families of Except Students	3 Credit hours	
Principles and information designed to give the student an understanding of the needs and rights of parents of exceptional children and techniques to involve parents successfully in their child's education.		
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 560 Staff Development		1-4 Credit hours
Courses and activities designed to meet the inservice needs of public school personnel. Credit in these courses may be used for certificate renewal and salary upgrades if approved, but may not be used for degree programs. CR/NC grading.		
Attributes: Not Degree Applicable		
Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only		
CISP 561 Staff Development		1-4 Credit hours
Courses and activities designed to meet the inservice needs of public school personnel. Credit in these courses may be used for certificate renewal and salary upgrades if approved, but may not be used for degree programs. CR/NC grading.		
Attributes: Not Degree Applicable		
Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only		
CISP 562 Staff Development		1-4 Credit hours
Courses and activities designed to meet the inservice needs of public school personnel. Credit in these courses may be used for certificate renewal and salary upgrades if approved but may not be used for degree programs. CR/NC grading.		
Attributes: Not Degree Applicable		
Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only		
CISP 563 Staff Development		1-4 Credit hours
Courses and activities designed to meet the inservice needs of public school personnel. Credit in these courses may be used for certificate renewal and salary upgrades if approved but may not be used for degree programs. CR/NC grading.		
Attributes: Not Degree Applicable		
Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only		
CISP 564 Staff Development		1-4 Credit hours
Courses and activities designed to meet the inservice needs of public school personnel. Credit in these courses may be used for certificate renewal and salary upgrades if approved but may not be used for degree programs. CR/NC grading.		
Attributes: Not Degree Applicable		
Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only		
CISP 580 Special Topics		1-4 Credit hours
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 581 Special Topics		1-4 Credit hours
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 582 Special Topics		1-4 Credit hours
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 583 Special Topics		1-4 Credit hours
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 585 Independent Study		1-4 Credit hours
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 586 Independent Study		1-4 Credit hours
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CISP 588 Independent Study		1-4 Credit hours
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		
CISP 600 Grant Writing in Sp Ed		3 Credit hours
A review of the federal and state guidelines for writing grants in Special Education. The priority areas of special education in which monies are currently available will also be examined.		
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode		

- CISP 601 Psych Found Giftedness** **3 Credit hours**
A study of measures used to identify the gifted and interpretation of results, psychological development of the gifted and psychological pressures, problems and adjustments strategies towards mental health in the gifted child.
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 602 Education Gifted Children** **3 Credit hours**
Educational models, identification techniques, teaching strategies and resources available for gifted children. Current trends in curriculum development for the gifted are also examined. (PR: CISP 526)
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 603 Field Experience: Gifted** **3 Credit hours**
Supervised experiences (one semester) in field work with children who exhibit potential giftedness.
Pre-req: CISP 602.
Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only
- CISP 604 Pract Emotional Disturb** **3 Credit hours**
An initial participation and observation experience with children experiencing behavior problems. Course evolves around bi-weekly seminar and selected projects.
Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only
- CISP 606 Reading Strat Except Student** **3 Credit hours**
This course examines research-strategies in reading instruction for students with high-incidence disabilities. This includes application of appropriate techniques in assessment, materials, and instructional strategies for adapted reading lessons.
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 607 Math Strat Except Students** **3 Credit hours**
Examines mathematics curriculum, methods, and adapted materials for students with mild to moderate disabilities in K-12 classrooms. Emphasizes strategies for accessing the general education curriculum, higher-level courses, and technology.
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 611 Special Ed Research I** **3 Credit hours**
The study of problems related to the area of exceptionality receiving emphasis in the student's degree program. (PR: CI 603, 649, 651 or 674, EDF 621 or 625)
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 615 Special Ed Research II** **3 Credit hours**
As a part of the requirements for this course, the student will submit a written, bound document, which will be added to the college library collection. (PR: CISP 611)
Pre-req: CISP 611.
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 626 Diagnostic-Clin Practices** **3 Credit hours**
Collaborative/consultative multi-disciplinary and curriculum-based assessment process and their use in developing appropriate interventions linking instruction to content standards and objectives. Team approach to diagnosis and treatment of exceptional children. (PR: CISP 520)
Pre-req: (CI 520 or CISP 520) or (CI 521 or CISP 521).
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 627 Issues Special Education** **3 Credit hours**
An in-depth look at current issues effecting all areas of special education as well as issues specific to each special education category.
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 629 Special Education Seminar** **3 Credit hours**
Research methods and current significant findings in special education. Guest speakers. Advanced special education students only.
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 645 Characteristics Methods E/BD** **3 Credit hours**
Recognition of socio-emotional issues, assessment of educational needs, establishment of programs to implement behavioral change and provision of necessary modification in educational programs to remediate learning and behavioral difficulties of children.
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 646 Field Exper Learn Disability** **3 Credit hours**
Field Experience (practicum) affords graduate students an opportunity to demonstrate the skill-based competences required by CEC standards and to qualify for an LD teaching license. Supervised experiences of one semester in field work with children or youth who exhibit symptoms of problems in learning.
Pre-req: (CI 523 or CISP 523) and (CI 647 or CISP 647).
Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only
- CISP 647 Char/Mthd Spec Lrn Disabilities** **3 Credit hours**
Recognition of learning disabilities, assessment of educational needs, and understanding of evidence-based teaching techniques and interventions to promote success of students with or at-risk of learning disabilities.
Pre-req: CISP 520.
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 648 Field Exp Phys Handicap** **3 Credit hours**
Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only
- CISP 649 Field Exper Emotional Disturb** **3 Credit hours**
Supervised field experiences (one semester) working with children who exhibit symptoms of emotional disturbances- behavioral disorders. (PR: CISP 520 and CISP 624)
Pre-req: (CI 524 or CISP 524) and (CI 645 or CISP 645).
Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only
- CISP 650 Sp Ed Evaluate Teach Tech** **3 Credit hours**
Educational assessment and diagnostic evaluation for remediation- amelioration; advanced course for providing understanding and utilization of evaluation, teacher assessment, and analysis for programming for exceptional individuals. (PR: CISP 626)
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode
- CISP 651 Field Exper Mental Impairment** **3 Credit hours**
Field Experience (practicum) allows candidates to demonstrate skill-based competencies required by CEC and to qualify for a teaching license in mild/moderate Mental Impairment. All-day supervised teaching in special classes in the public schools required of all students who are completing curriculum for teachers of mentally retarded children. (PR: CI 533 and CI 553)
Pre-req: (CI 533 or CISP 533) and (CI 553 or CISP 553).
Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only
- CISP 652 Reading & Spell for Learn Dis** **3 Credit hours**
An integrated, in-depth study of current LD reading and written language programs as determined by research studies. Tutoring of LD student is required.
Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

CISP 655 Field Exp: Multi-Categorical 3 Credit hours

Field Experience (Practicum) affords graduate students an opportunity to demonstrate the skill-based competencies required by CEC Standards and to qualify for the multi- categorical teaching license. (PR: CISP 553, 645, and 647)

Pre-req: CISP 645 and CISP 647 and CISP 553.

Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only

CISP 656 Field Experience Non Public 3 Credit hours

Field experience in a non-public setting affords graduate students an opportunity to demonstrate the skill-based competencies required by CEC Standards and to qualify for the multi-categorical teaching license.

Pre-req: CISP 520 and CISP 553 and CISP 645 and CISP 647.

Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only

CISP 660 Grant Writing Sp Ed 3 Credit hours

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

CISP 661 Intro Preschool Sp Ed 3 Credit hours

An overview of early childhood special education programs including historical events, legislation, the population served, program models and components and current issues and trends.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

CISP 662 Instruct Char of Autism 3 Credit hours

This online course provides information on evidence-based practices used to teach students with autism spectrum disorder (ASD). The course is the second in a two-course sequence that leads to the WV Autism Teaching Endorsement (PR: CISP 527). A lecture-discussion course, designed to provide students with an understanding of the learning characteristics of autistic children and research-based instructional techniques for teaching and managing behavior. (PR: CI 427 or 527)

Pre-req: CISP 527 or CI 527 or CISP 527E.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

CISP 663 Dev Issue Preschool Hand 3 Credit hours

An examination of the normal development of young children, the interrelated effects of impairment in various areas of development and strategies for intervention.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

CISP 664 Practicum in Autism 3 Credit hours

This course contains two components: A competency-based practicum experience with students with autism spectrum disorders (ASD) and a seminar with regular discussion and readings on practical issues concerning the education of students with ASD.

Pre-req: CISP 527 or CI 527 and CISP 662 or CI 662.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

CISP 665 Assess Preschool Sp Ed 3 Credit hours

An overview of issues in the identification, screening and assessment of young handicapped children, specific assessment techniques for working with families and interdisciplinary teams in the assessment process.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

CISP 666 Curr/Meth Preschool Sp Ed 3 Credit hours

A review of curriculum development and methodology used to teach young children with handicaps. Evaluation techniques, program development and management, adaptation of materials and equipment and program models are presented.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

CISP 673 Field Exp Preschool Sp Ed 3 Credit hours

Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only

CISP 674 Clinical: Preschool Special Ed 3 Credit hours

Clinical Preschool Special Education. 3 hrs. Emphasis on infants and toddlers identified as at-risk or with special needs. Clinical field observations of practitioners (developmental specialists/service coordinator) and service providers are required.

Grade Mode: Credit/No Credit Grade Only