

Master of Arts (M.A.) in School Counseling

Fall 2025 Approved Part-Time Academic Degree Plan

REQUIRED COURSES FOR THE FALL COHORT

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YEAR ONE		
Fall Semester UNIV LIB COUN 500 COUN 521 COUN 596A COUN 596D	Information Research and Resources ₁ Orientation to the Counseling Profession Counseling Skills & Techniques Residency Year One (only required for online students taking COUN 521) ₂ New Student Orientation (only required for campus students taking COUN 521) ₃	0 3 3 0
Spring Semester COUN 526 COUN 561	Theories of Counseling Ethics, Professional Orientation & Legal Issues in Counseling	3 3
Summer Semester COUN 540 COUN 516	Human Growth & Development Principles of School Counseling YEAR TWO	3 3
Fall Semester		
COUN 538 COUN 554 COUN 596B	Psychopathology & Diagnosis Group Counseling Residency Year Two (only required for <u>online</u> students taking COUN 554) ₂	3 3 0
Spring Semester COUN 514 COUN 518	Counseling Children & Adolescents Career & College Planning	3 3
Summer Semester COUN 570 COUN 578	Multicultural Counseling Counseling & Christian Thought YEAR THREE	3 3
Fall Semester		
COUN 519 COUN 523	Program Development & Evaluation for School Counselors Practicum & Advanced Skills	3 3
Spring Semester COUN 532 COUN 594A	Assessment Techniques in Counseling Internship in School Counseling	3 3
Summer Semester COUN 520 COUN 536	School Counseling Leadership Career & Lifestyle Development	3 3
	YEAR FOUR	
Fall Semester COUN 517 COUN 594B	Research & Statistics Internship in School Counseling TOTAL HOURS	3 3 60

Graduation Requirements: Complete a total of 60 credit hours. Maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0. Pass the Exit Exam (CPCE).

Note: 1 Must be completed during the first semester of enrollment. 2 Online students must take COUN 596A and COUN 521 concurrently. 3 Campus students must take COUN 596D and COUN 521 concurrently.

The Counselor Preparation Comprehensive Examination (CPCE), the qualifying Exit Exam for the MA degree, can be taken any time after a student has completed all coursework covering the eight CACREP common core areas.

Effective: Catalog Term Fall 2025