School of Graduate Studies and Research

PA Supervisor of Special Education (8947)

The coursework and related experiences prepare the candidate to promote the success of all students by becoming a district level leader for Special Education within the K-12 school system. "Leadership for Student Achievement" is the common thread throughout the program. Upon successful completion of the program, individuals will make application for PA Supervisor of Special Education certification. Successful completion of the program and achievement of the qualifying score on the Educational Leadership exam: Administration and Supervision will lead to Supervisor of Special Education Certification. Individuals who have successfully completed another master's degree program may also be eligible to receive the M.Ed. in Educational Leadership from Edinboro.

2011-2012 Gainful Employment Information	
Program Name	PA Supervisor of Special Education Post Master's Certificate
SOC Code, with weblinks to ONet occupation profiles of occupations that the program prepares students to enter	25-2052.00
Award Level	PA Certification
Program Length	1.5 years
Program Costs	PA Resident Tuition: $11,934.00 PA Resident Fees: $2,442.15 Non PA Resident Tuition: $13,127.40 Non PA Resident Fees: $3,647.70 Application fee: $30.00 Average book costs: $500.00
On-time Completion Rate	Due to a minimal number of students who completed this certificate, no information will be disclosed regarding this data.
Job placement rates	Not available at this time.
Median Loan Debt of Graduates	Due to a minimal number of students who completed this certificate, no information will be disclosed regarding this data.

Admission Requirements: All admission materials should be sent to: School of Graduate Studies, 219 Meadville Street, Reeder Hall-3rd Floor, Edinboro, PA 16444 or via email gradstudies@edinboro.edu or via fax 814-732-2611.

1. Complete the online graduate application (gradschool.edinboro.edu)
2. Application Fee: $30 (if not former EUP student); $7 (if former EUP student)
3. Submit official transcripts verifying an earned baccalaureate and master's degree from and accredited institution.
4. Submit copy of Professional Certificate
5. Five years of satisfactory, professional, certificated experience in special education on a Special Education certificate. Students who do not meet at least five years of certificated experience will not be approved for certification until the required work experience has been completed.
6. If you do not possess a master's degree in Special Education, you are required to take additional graduate course(s) in Special Education as determined by the Program Head.
7. Complete Mentor and Essay Form
8. Satisfies the requirement of Section 1209. Section 1209 refers to good moral character.
9. Requests for course substitution from another graduate degree must be submitted to the Program Head for consideration.

Application Deadline: This program has rolling admissions. There is no guarantee that the School of Graduate Studies can process an application for admission less than six weeks prior to the semester start date to which enrollment is sought.

***This certification may not be recognized by any other state.**

(see reverse for more information)

Curriculum: **27 credits**

SCHA 700	Introduction to Educational Leadership	3 credits
SCHA 775	Educational Leadership Theory and Practice	3 credits
SCHA 741	Curriculum Leadership	3 credits
SCHA 731	School and Community Relations	3 credits
SCHA 721	Collaborative Leadership for Evaluation	3 credits
SCHA 760	Legal Aspects of Educational Leadership	3 credits
SCHA 765	Financial Aspects of Educational Leadership	3 credits
SCHA 792	Supervisory Internship	6 credits

Note: Certification procedures in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania require that the candidates must pass the Exam required by the Pennsylvania Department of Education before certification will be granted. Candidates seeking certification in another state shall follow the corresponding procedures required by the given state. Only international students who hold immigrant status, and have submitted a form of intent to become a citizen, are eligible to apply for PDE teacher certification.

For more information: If you have questions about the application process, please contact Edinboro University's School of Graduate Studies at gradstudies@edinboro.edu or at (814)732-2856 or toll-free (888) 845-2890. ***Questions about the Supervisor of Special Education Certification Program*** should be directed to one of the following representatives from Edinboro University's Department of Professional Studies:Dr. Andrew J. Pushchak: 814-732-1548 or apushchak@edinboro.edu or Dr. John F. Ziegler: 814-732-1712 or jfziegler@edinboro.edu

Office for Students with Disabilities: For information or assistance regarding services, activities and facilities that are accessible to and usable by persons with a disability, contact Dr. Robert McConnell, Office for Students with Disabilities (OSD), at (814) 732-2462 t/tty or mcconnell@edinboro.edu. For additional information, visit the OSD web page.

Employer Reimbursement : Non-traditional students who are working and taking classes on a part-time basis may have employer-paid education benefits. The purpose of the employer tuition reimbursement agreement is to allow employees who receive reimbursement to defer payment of their tuition and fees until after grades are available at the end of the semester. Edinboro University accepts employer benefit plans through arrangements with the Bursar's Office by completing the enclosed employer tuition reimbursement agreement.

Veterans' Education Benefits Information and printable forms regarding **Veterans' Education Benefits** and the **Montgomery GI Bill** are available at the Department of Veterans Affairs website, http://www.gibill.va.gov/. After the Department of Veterans Affairs approves a student's eligibility, and after the school certifies the student's enrollment, benefits are paid directly to the student after the end of each month.

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For more information about our graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program and other important information, please visit our website at http://gradschool.edinboro.edu/gainful-employment.

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