



Master of Arts in Education (with License) Area of Focus **SPECIAL EDUCATION**

Start Your Career as a Special Education Teacher

Our online program is crafted for professionals like you who've earned a bachelor's degree and want to become a special education teacher in Grades K-12.

Our online program prepares you to meet the diverse learning needs of students as a licensed K-12 special education teacher by helping you:

- See your progress grow as you master new material.
- Actively communicate with faculty and peers each step of the way.
- Master your teaching skills in a semester of student teaching.

You will qualify for your K-12 license in Special Education for Cross Categorical (2801) from the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction.

At Marian, we believe great teachers change lives. That's why we partner with you every step of the way, helping you build a career that shapes inclusive classrooms and supports students who need dedicated educators like you.

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Rolling admission
with 3 different
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per year

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in as few as
5 semesters

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your WI teaching
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Master's degree

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We offer 3 starts per year in 7-week formats with our Graduate programs. Look to enhance your career opportunities and graduate in as few as 5 semesters.

Get out and do it

Per Wisconsin state statute PI-34 and Department of Public Instruction (DPI) guidelines, candidates seeking cross-categorical special education license 2801 (K-12 licensure) must complete field experience hours in the following grade bands: a K-5 classroom setting, a 6-8 classroom setting, and a 9-12 classroom setting. These field experiences are embedded into Marian's education courses and help to ensure that Marian education students are provided opportunities to spend meaningful time with students in all three grade-level bands.

Sample course plan

Prepare to meet the diverse learning needs of students as you complete the following courses in the program:

- SPE 613 Educating Exceptional Children
- TCH 620 Literacy in the Primary Grades
- SPE 615 Methods for Teaching Content to Diverse Learners
- SPE 621 Literacy Interventions for Students with Disabilities
- SPE 634 Diagnosis and Assessment of Disabilities
- SPE 637 Social Emotional Interventions and Support

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